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What's New in SAS Decision Manager 2.2

Overview

SAS Decision Manager 2.2 runs on the second maintenance release of SAS 9.4. The full functionality of the SAS Model Manager Java Client application and the Workflow Console web-based application have been integrated into SAS Decision Manager 2.2.

New features and enhancements in this release enable you to perform these tasks:

- manage workflows and track workflow tasks
- publish models to Hadoop and SAP HANA
- manage versions of projects, rule sets, and rule flows
- deploy rule flows as stored processes
- run a wizard to generate and import vocabularies, rule sets, and rule flows from an input data source by using the Decision Tree, Scorecard, Market Basket Analysis, or Recency Frequency Monetary discovery techniques
- execute rule flows inside the databases by using the SAS In-Database Code Accelerator for Teradata or the SAS In-Database Code Accelerator for Greenplum
- selectively include rule sets in a rule flow
- save rule flow tests and display the results of previous tests
- display the rules fired for specific output records
- import vocabularies from an input data table, including domain values
- display the terms and lookup tables that are used in a rule set
- display where rules sets are used in rule flows
- search for rule sets by term
- create libraries and register tables in the SAS Metadata Repository

Manage Workflows and Track Workflow Tasks

The functionality of the SAS Model Manager Workflow Console is now available in SAS Decision Manager. You can manage your workflows and perform tasks in the same user interface that you use to manage business rules and modeling projects. For more information, see [“Overview of Using Workflows” on page 277](#).

Note: Rule flows can be sent through approval workflows only.

The model life cycle functionality has been deprecated and replaced with functionality that leverages SAS Workflow. You can view only migrated life cycles. For more information, see [“View Life Cycle Status” on page 135](#).

Publish Models to Hadoop and SAP HANA

Support has been added for publishing models to the Hadoop Distributed File System and to the SAP HANA database. You can also remove published model files from Hadoop, like the other publish destinations. However, you cannot remove published model files from an SAP HANA database. For more information, see [“Publishing Models to a Database” on page 264](#).

Manage Versions

Within a modeling project, you can add new versions, lock or unlock a version, and switch the displayed version. One or more versions can be active at one time, but only one can be the champion version. For more information, see [“Overview of Project Versions” on page 133](#).

You can also manage versions of rule sets and rule flows. You can display detailed information about a rule set or rule flow version. For rule sets, you can lock a version and add new versions. For rule flows, a new version is created each time you publish a rule flow. See [“Managing Rule Set Versions” on page 94](#) and [“Managing Versions of a Rule Flow” on page 106](#) for more information.

Deploy Rule Flows as Stored Processes

When you save a rule flow as a stored process, the rule flow is made available as a stored process on the SAS Stored Process Server. Other applications can then execute the rule flow and receive and process the results. See [“Deploy a Rule Flow as a Stored Process” on page 111](#) for more information.

New Rule Discovery Wizard

SAS Decision Manager now provides a New Discovery window that enables you to use analytical techniques to generate and import rule flows from a data table. You can use the Decision Tree, Scorecard, Market Basket, or Recency Frequency Monetary (RFM) technique to generate and import business rule data into the rules database. This wizard generates a vocabulary, as many rule sets as are needed, and a rule flow. See [“Create a Rule Flow by Using Discovery Techniques” on page 102](#) for more information.

Execute Rule Flows inside the Databases

SAS Decision Manager 2.2 executes rule flows inside the databases by using the SAS In-Database Code Accelerator for Teradata or the SAS In-Database Code Accelerator for Greenplum when possible. Some complex rule flows cannot be executed inside the database.

Support for Additional Operators

SAS Decision Manager now supports the LIKE operator in condition expressions. It also supports leading + (plus) and – (minus) operators in action expressions.

Create Libraries and Register Tables in the SAS Metadata Repository

The Data Tables category enables you to create libraries and to register tables to the SAS Metadata Repository. You can use the tables can as data sources when you are working with business rules and with modeling projects. For more information, see [Chapter 4, “Managing Data Tables,”](#) on page 49.

Accessibility

For information about the accessibility of this product, see [Accessibility Features of SAS Decision Manager 2.2](#).

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About Decision Management

Decision management systems can transform the way businesses make decisions. They enable businesses to use the information they already have to make better decisions—decisions that are based on predictive analytics rather than on past history. Decision management systems automate the process of making decisions, particularly day-to-day operational decisions. They improve the speed, efficiency, and accuracy of routine business processes, in part by reducing the need for human intervention. By automating decisions, organizations in every industry can improve interactions with customers, partners, suppliers, and employees. In addition, organizations that are highly regulated, such as financial services, health care, and insurance, can more easily achieve compliance as a result of repeatable, traceable decisions.

SAS Decision Manager helps organizations manage data, business rules, analytical models, and optimization techniques. Rule management, model management, and data management are integrated into a consistent interface for easier accessibility.

Data Management

SAS Decision Manager enables you to manage your list of data tables from within the application. You can create new Base SAS libraries, add and remove tables, view table data and metadata, create and delete table summaries, and associate attachments and comments with tables. The application uses data tables when it needs to access data, such as for rule discovery, rule flow testing, and testing, scoring, training, and performance monitoring of models.

Business Rule Management

About Business Rules

Business rules capture the logic of business decisions and are one of the core components of decision management systems. Business rules make the decision-making process transparent and adaptable, allowing organizations to respond quickly to new information about customers and markets. They allow organizations to identify and deal with fraud, avoid unnecessary risk, and find opportunities hidden in customer data.

You can use SAS Decision Manager to create a database of business rules, connect those rules together into rules flows, and publish the rule flows for use by other applications. SAS Decision Manager provides the following capabilities:

vocabulary management

A business vocabulary identifies the objects and actors in your business domain. It defines the entities and terms that are the building blocks of business rules. SAS Decision Manager enables you to easily create and edit entities and terms. For individual terms, you can create a list of allowable values, which makes creating rules even easier.

business rule authoring

A business rule specifies conditions to be evaluated and action to be taken if those conditions are satisfied. For example, you can create a rule that determines whether a customer has a mortgage. That same rule can then add the outstanding balance of the mortgage to a running total of the customer's debt. With SAS Decision Manager, you define the conditions and actions for each rule. You can use the Expression Editor to create the expressions for the rule.

rule set management

A rule set is a logical collection of rules. A single rule set can have many rules. For example, you might have a rule set that determines a customer's asset balance and another rule set that determines a customer's debt level. SAS Decision Manager displays rules sets in decision tables. Each row of the decision table defines the conditions and actions for one rule. By using SAS Decision Manager, you can easily create new rule sets, reorder the rules in a rule set, add new rules to existing rule sets, and more.

rule flow authoring and publishing

A rule flow is a logical collection of rule sets. A rule flow defines a set of rule sets and the order in which they must be executed. A single rule flow frequently corresponds to a single decision. For example, a rule flow can initially execute the rule set that determines a customer's asset balance. Next, the rule set that determine a customer's debt level is executed. Finally, the rule set that assign's a customer's loan application status is executed.

SAS Decision Manager makes it easy to combine rules sets into a rule flow and to publish those rule flows to the metadata server. After a rule flow has been published, it is available for use by other applications.

Create and Publish Business Rules

To create and publish business rules using SAS Decision Manager:

1. [Add data tables](#) to your list of data sources.
2. [Create business rule folders](#) where you want to save the business rules.
3. [Create vocabularies](#).
4. [Create entities and terms](#).
5. [Create rule sets and rules](#).
6. [Create rule flows](#).
7. (Optional) [Test rule flows](#).
8. [Publish rule flows](#).

After a rule flow has been published, it is available for use by other applications such as SAS Data Integration Studio. These applications map objects in the rules database to objects in the input data. For example, terms are usually mapped to table columns or to data set variables. The output generated when a rule flow is executed is written to a data set. The location of the data set is specified by the application.

Model Management

About Managing Models

Using SAS Decision Manager, you can organize modeling projects, develop and validate candidate models, assess candidate models for champion model selection, publish and monitor champion models in a production environment, and retrain models. All model development and model maintenance personnel, including data modelers, validation testers, scoring officers, and analysts, can use SAS Decision Manager.

Here are some of the services SAS Decision Manager provides:

- Use a single interface to access all of your business modeling projects and all models are stored in a central, secure model repository.
- Track the progress of your project's version by creating processes, definitions, and tests. You create custom processes, definitions, and tests to meet your business requirements and to match your business processes.
- Use data tables that are registered in the SAS Metadata Repository.
- Import SAS Enterprise Miner models, SAS/STAT linear models, SAS/ETS COUNTREG and SEVERITY models, models that you develop using SAS code, PMML models, or R models. You can create custom model templates for SAS code models so that SAS Decision Manager knows exactly what files and metadata are associated with a model.
- You can schedule and run scoring tests, performance monitoring, and retraining to validate models.
- Run several reports to compare and assess candidate models. You can also write your own SAS reporting programs to run and assess candidate models. The aggregated reporting facility enables you to combine multiple reports into a single report.

Dashboard reports enable you to monitor the state of projects using performance monitoring reports and can be viewed in a web browser.

- Publish models to the SAS Metadata Repository or a SAS channel. You can also publish the champion model and challenger models to a database for scoring. The SAS Scoring Accelerator is used by SAS Decision Manager to publish models to a database.

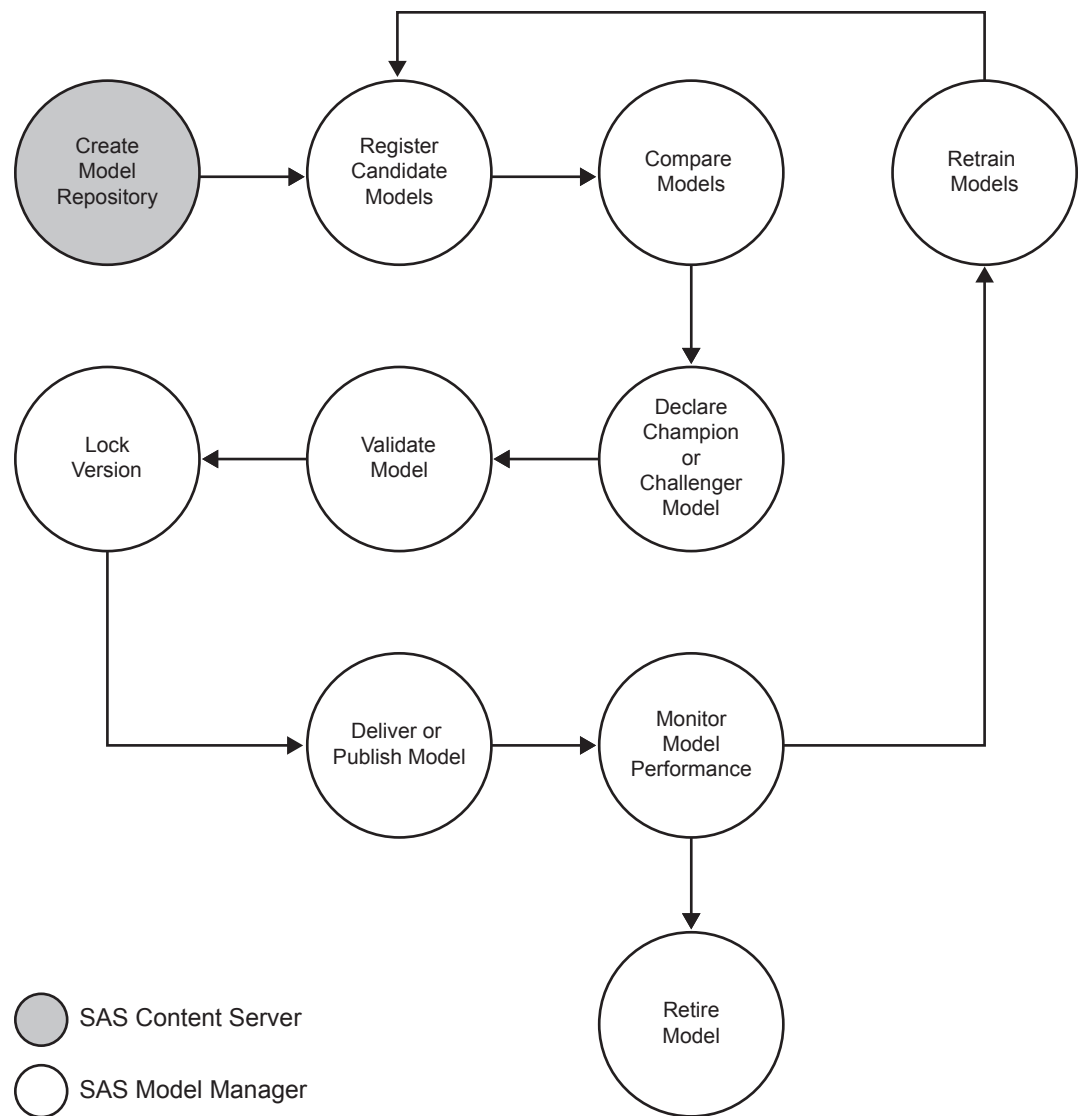
Data tables are an integral part of the modeling process. You can use project input and output prototype tables, as well as scoring input and output prototype tables to define variables. Data tables are used for scoring, testing, and performance monitoring. Performance data can be created from your operational data.

You can also create multiple projects in a portfolio. Additional versions can then be created for all projects within the portfolio. Champion models for all projects within the portfolio can be monitored for performance, and published to the SAS Metadata Repository.

Any user who is registered in SAS Management Console can be assigned to a SAS Decision Manager group, and can then work in SAS Decision Manager. For more information, see Chapter 5, “Configuring Users, Groups, and Roles,” in *SAS Decision Manager: Administrator's Guide*.

Model Management Process

The following diagram illustrates the model management process:

Figure 1.1 The Model Management Process

Here is a summary of the model management process:

- **Create Model Repository:** create a secure model repository on the SAS Content Server where SAS code, input and output files, and metadata that is associated with a model can be stored.
- **Register Candidate Models:** register input and output files, and then import and configure a model.
- **Compare Models:** perform scoring tests and create comparison reports for the models by using test data sources.
- **Declare Champion or Challenger Model:** declare the model as champion or challenger to use for testing and production phases of the workflow.
- **Validate Model:** perform scoring tests and create validation reports for the champion model and challenger models by using test data sources.
- **Lock Version:** lock a version when the champion model is approved for production.
- **Deliver or Publish Model:** publish a champion or challenger models to a SAS publish channel, to a database, or to the SAS Metadata Repository.

- **Monitor Model Performance:** provide comparative model performance benchmarking.
- **Retrain Models:** select models to retrain in response to data or market changes.
- **Retire Model:** retire a model from production.

Here is an example of the model management process for comparing a challenger model to the champion model to determine the best champion model:

1. Register candidate models in the version that is under development.
2. Create a Dynamic Lift report and compare the model to the champion model. Flag the model as a challenger based on the results of the Dynamic Lift report.
3. Perform scoring tests with the champion and challenger models in real time or in batch. This step can be performed outside SAS Decision Manager.
4. Publish the challenger model to a database or to the SAS Metadata Repository.
5. Prepare performance data sources, which include both the actual outcome variable and predicted variable.
6. Create and execute the performance monitoring for the champion and challenger models to create reports to compare and validate the champion model and challenger models. One of the reports that is available for this comparison is the Champion and Challenger Performance report.
7. Set the challenger model as the project champion if the challenger is good enough to be promoted. Go to step 3, or consider building another model as a challenger with existing or a new input training data source.
8. Publish the new project champion model with or without a new challenger model.

Chapter 2

Working with the User Interface

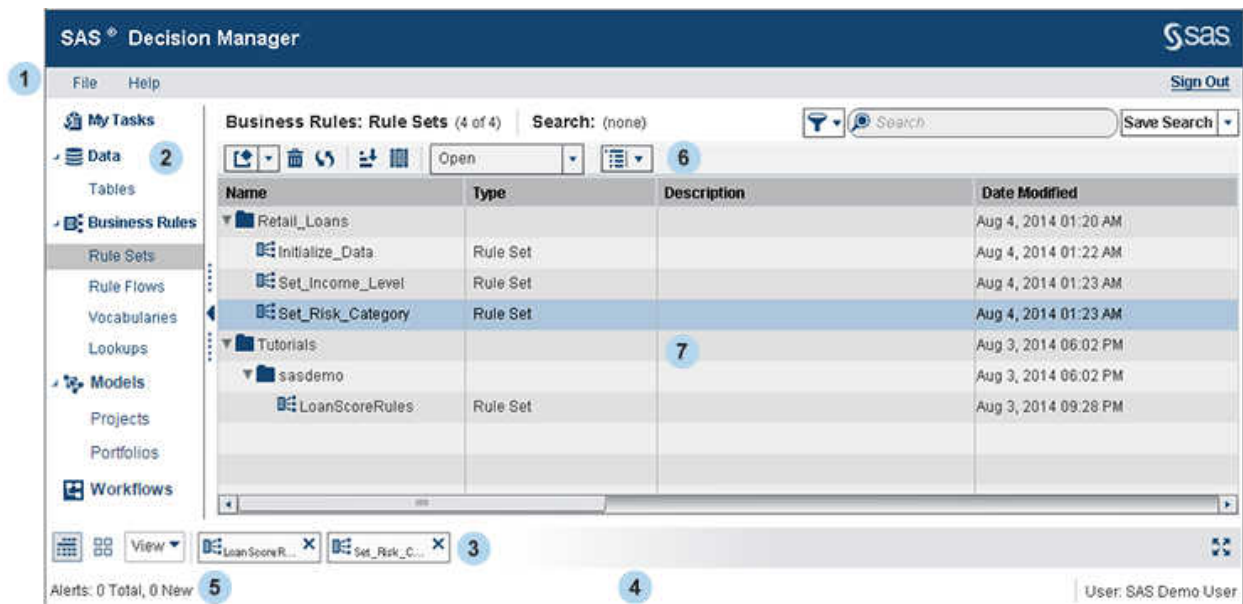
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Exploring the User Interface




Category Views

Each of the category views are similar. The following figure shows the Business Rules category view.

Figure 2.1 Business Rules Category View



- 1 The menu bar provides options for managing preferences, accessing Help resources, and opening recently edited items.
- 2 The Navigation pane lists the categories of items. Click a category to display the list of items in that category. When the Models category is selected, it shows the Projects and Portfolios categories.
- 3 The Tile pane displays icons for open items. When you open an item, its icon is automatically added to the Tile pane and remains in the Tile pane until you click  to close the item's tile.

Use the icons in the View toolbar to switch between the most recently viewed category view and a detail tile. Click  to return to the previously displayed category view. Click  to display the most recently viewed detail tile. Click  at the far right of the Tile pane to maximize the display of the currently opened objects.

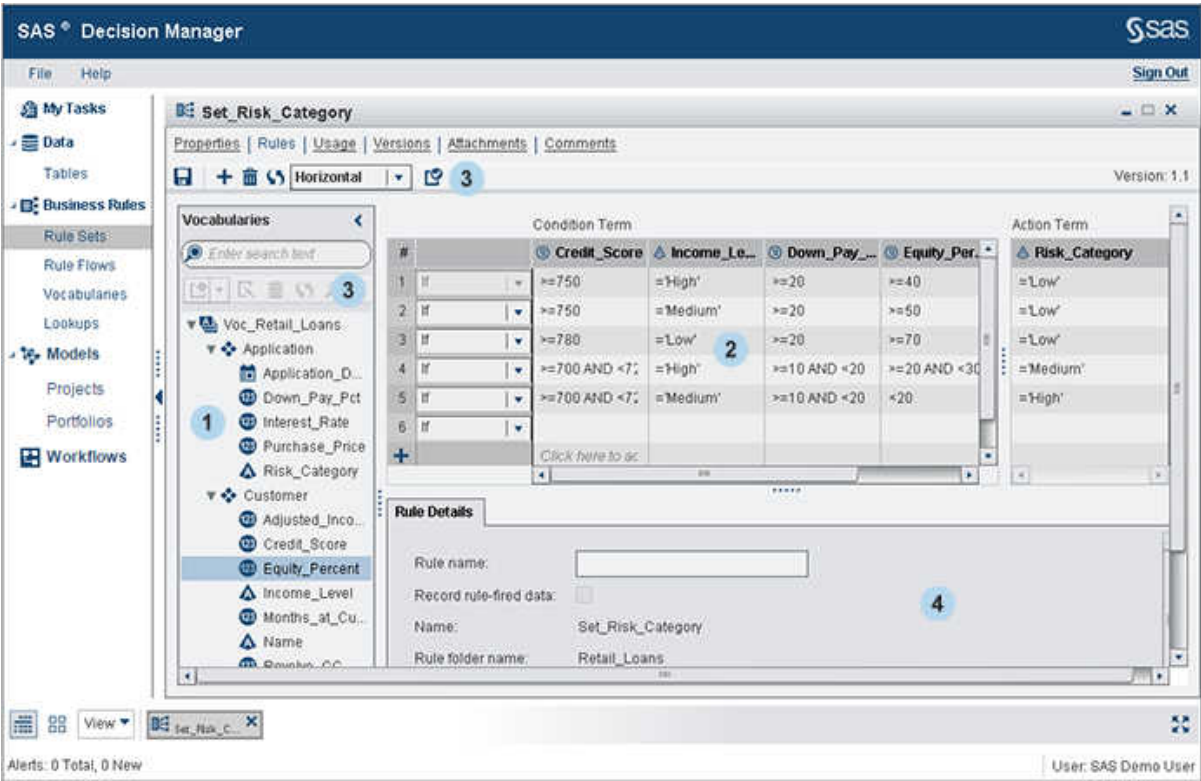
To close all open items, click **View**, and select **Close All**. To open the tiles for all of the minimized items in the tile pane, click **View**, and select **Show All**.
- 4 The status bar displays the user ID or display name of the user that is logged on to the metadata server, and alert notices.
- 5 Alerts are displayed when an action that you take has failed. Click **Alerts** to view the list of alerts.

- 6 Panes and tiles can have their own toolbars, so you might see multiple toolbars when the window contains multiple tiles.
- 7 The category view lists the items that are in the currently selected category. In the category view, you can open and edit any of the items that are in your rules database. See “Control the Appearance of a Category View” on page 12 for information about controlling the display of information in the category view.

Rule Set Tile

Each of the detail tiles is specific to the type of item. For example, when you open a rule set, SAS Decision Manager opens a tile that shows the decision table for that rule set.

Figure 2.2 Rule Set Tile (Decision Table)






- 1 The **Vocabulary** pane lists the entities and terms in the vocabulary assigned to the rule set. You use this list to add terms to the decision table.
- 2 The decision table contains all of the rules that are defined in the rule set. By using the menu in the toolbar above the decision table, you can choose whether you want to display the decision table in a horizontal format or a vertical format. Figure 2.2 on page 11 shows the decision table in the horizontal format.





In the horizontal format, each row represents a single rule. Terms are listed across the top of the table. The left side of the table contains the condition expressions, and the right side contains the action expressions

In the vertical format, each column represents a single rule. Terms are listed on the left side of the table. The top section of the table contains the condition expressions, and the bottom section contains the action expressions.
- 3 There are two toolbars in the rule set tile. Each section has its own toolbar.

- 4 The **Rule Details** tab contains detailed information about the currently selected rule. The **Rule expression** field displays the expressions as they are rendered by SAS Decision Manager in the published rule flow.

Control the Appearance of a Category View

To change which columns are displayed in a category view, click . SAS Decision Manager opens the Manage Columns window. To remove a column from the category view, select the item in the **Displayed columns** list and click . To add a column, select the column in the **Available columns** list and click . Click **OK** to save your changes.

To change how columns are sorted in the category view, click . SAS Decision Manager opens the Sort window. To sort the category view by one or more columns, select those columns in the **Items to sort** list and click . SAS Decision Manager adds those columns to the **Sort By** list. For each column in the **Sort By** list, select whether you want the column to be sorted in ascending or descending order. The columns are listed in the category view in the order in which they are shown in the **Sort By** list. To change the order of a column, select the column and click  or .

Managing Preferences

About Setting Preferences

Preferences provide a way for you to customize the user interface. Preferences for each user are stored in metadata and are retained if your deployment is migrated or reconfigured.

You can set preferences in two ways:

by using the Preferences window

To open the Preferences window, select **File** ⇒ **Preferences**. There are two general categories of preferences: Global and Decision Manager preferences. See [“Global Preferences”](#) and [“Decision Manager Preferences”](#) on page 13 for more information.

by using SAS Preferences Manager

SAS Preferences Manager is a web application that provides a central facility for users to manage their preferences and settings. See [“SAS Preferences Manager”](#) on page 13 for more information.

Global Preferences

Global preferences apply to all SAS web applications that are displayed with the Adobe Flash Player. When you set a global preference, it applies only to the user that you are logged on as.

To set global preferences, select the **Global Preferences** page. The following global preferences are available:

User locale

specifies the geographic region whose language and conventions are used in the applications. This setting might also apply to some SAS web applications that are not displayed with the Adobe Flash Player. The default is the browser locale. Locale changes take effect after you log off and log back on.

Note: You can also set the **User locale** setting by using the SAS Preferences Manager. Select the **Regional** menu option in SAS Preferences Manager. For more information, see “[SAS Preferences Manager](#)” on page 13 and “SAS Preferences Manager” in Chapter 7 of *SAS Intelligence Platform: Middle-Tier Administration Guide*.

Note: If the user locale that you specify in the preferences is different from the user locale for the SAS Workspace Server, you might receive an error when you try to sign in to the application. You might also receive encoding errors when executing tasks in SAS Decision Manager. If you receive an error, change the updated locale back to the original locale.

Theme

specifies the collection of colors, graphics, and fonts that appear in the applications. Your site administrator can change the default theme. A theme change might take a few seconds to apply if many items and features are open in the application.

Invert application colors

inverts all of the colors in the application window, including both text and graphical elements. You can also temporarily invert or revert the colors for an individual application session by pressing Ctrl+~.

Override settings for focus indicator

controls the appearance of the highlighting that surrounds the currently selected field in the SAS Decision Manager interface.

Decision Manager Preferences

Decision Manager preferences apply to SAS Decision Manager only. To set these preferences, select **Decision Manager** ⇒ **General**.

Show this number of recent items

controls the number of items that are listed in the **Recent Work** menu. To display this menu, select **File** ⇒ **Recent Work**.

SAS Preferences Manager

SAS Preferences Manager is a web application that provides a common mechanism for managing preferences for SAS web applications. The application enables users to manage their preferences and administrators to set default preferences for locale, theme, alert notification, time, date, and currency.


To launch the SAS Preferences Manager, enter the URL `http://host-name:port/SASPreferences` in your browser window. Replace the values for host-name and port based on the location of the configured SAS Web Infrastructure Platform. For more information, see “SAS Preferences Manager” in Chapter 7 of *SAS Intelligence Platform: Middle-Tier Administration Guide*.


Change the Delivery Type for Alert Notifications

The default delivery type for notifications is specified in the properties for the SAS Application Infrastructure by using the Configuration Manager plug-in to SAS Management Console. For SAS 9.4, the default delivery type is **My alerts portlet**. You can use SAS Preferences Manager to change your default delivery type.

Note: A SAS administrator can modify the default notification type for all users. For information about modifying the default delivery type for all users, see “Configuring Alert Notifications for SAS Workflow” in Chapter 6 of *SAS Decision Manager: Administrator's Guide*.

To specify the notification delivery preference for an individual user:

1. Enter the URL `http://host-name:port/SASPreferences` in your browser window to launch the SAS Preferences Manager. Replace the values for host-name and port based on the location of the configured SAS Web Infrastructure Platform.
2. Enter the user ID and password for the user account that you use to access SAS web applications.
3. Select **General** ⇒ **Notifications**.
4. Select a format type for the e-mail notifications. The options are **HTML-formatted e-mail** and **Plain-text e-mail**.
5. Select the notification types from the **Available** list and click  to add the selected notification types.

TIP To remove a notification type, select the type from the list and click .

6. Click **Apply** to update the notification settings, and click **OK** to save the changes.

For more information, see “SAS Preferences Manager” in Chapter 7 of *SAS Intelligence Platform: Middle-Tier Administration Guide*.

Viewing Help and Documentation


SAS Decision Manager provides the following types of Help and documentation:

how-to Help

How-to Help provides quick instructions or tips to help you complete some tasks in the application. To access how-to Help, select **Help** ⇒ **How To**.

embedded Help

Help pop-up menus and tooltips provide brief descriptions of various fields.

To access a Help pop-up menu for a field, click the Help icon () when it appears next to a field. You can also place the mouse pointer over an element in the SAS Decision Manager windows to view the associated tooltip.

SAS Decision Manager: User's Guide

This document provides detailed information about the concepts and tasks that are related to using SAS Decision Manager. This document is available at <http://support.sas.com/documentation/onlinedoc/edm>.

SAS Decision Manager: Administrator's Guide

This document contains information about the administration tasks that are required to set up and configure the SAS Decision Manager and is available at <http://support.sas.com/documentation/onlinedoc/edm>.

Additional resources are available from the **Help** menu. To access these resources, select **Help** ⇒ **SAS on the Web**.

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Quick Start Tutorial

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Make the Tutorial Files Available

About Making the Tutorial Files Available

The tutorial is designed to use the SAS Metadata Repository. Before you use tables in the SAS Metadata Repository, the tutorial data sets and models must be on the SAS Application Server. An administrator who has Write access to the server and a valid SASApp user ID and password can put the tables there.

Some parts of this tutorial require files other than data sets and models, such as score code and templates. These files do not need to be registered in the SAS Metadata Repository. The drive where you extract the tutorial ZIP file must be accessible to the SAS Metadata Repository and to tutorial users. Tutorial users can also extract tutorial ZIP files to their local computers in order to access the other files.

You can define a data library and register the tables in the SAS Metadata Repository using the Data category view in SAS Decision Manager.

Download the Tutorial Files

The ZIP file QuickStartTutorial.zip contains the tutorial's data sets, models, and score code, and is available at <http://support.sas.com/documentation/onlinedoc/edm/>. Before you begin the tutorial, extract the tutorial files to a computer that is accessible to the SAS Metadata Server and to SAS Decision Manager users. If your SAS Metadata Server is separate from the SAS Application Server, the files must be placed on the SAS Application Server. Use WinZip to extract the files. If you are using a different extraction program, follow that program's instructions for extracting the files.

To download the files:

1. Create a folder on your local computer to store the tutorial files. The instructions refer to this folder as **<drive>**.
2. Save the QuickStartTutorial.zip to **<drive>**.
3. Open Windows Explorer to **<drive>**. Right-click **QuickStartTutorial.zip** and select **Open**. Click **Open**.
4. Click the arrow on the **Unzip** button to open the Unzip from WinZip File Folder window.

Note: If you are using a previous release of Windows, from the WinZip window, click the **Extract** button. The Extract dialog box appears.

5. Select **<drive>** from the Unzip to WinZip File Folder window.

Note: If you are using a previous release of Windows, in the **Extract to** box, select **<drive>** and click **Extract**.

You can find the data and models files for each tutorial in the respective tutorial folder (for example, **<drive>\QuickStartTutorial\Data** or **<drive>\QuickStartTutorial\Models**).

UNIX Specifics

To complete the tutorial in a UNIX environment, first locate the CPORT file. Files that you use to import the data sets into UNIX are located in the

QuickStartTutorial.zip file. Instructions, as well as the sample code for performing an import, are provided in the Readme.txt file.

Sign In

To sign in to SAS Decision Manager:

1. In the address bar of your web browser, enter the URL for SAS Decision Manager and press **Enter**. The Sign In page appears.

Note: Contact your system administrator if you need the URL for SAS Decision Manager.

2. Enter a user ID and password. Your user ID might be case sensitive, depending on the operating system that is used to host the application server. Your password is case sensitive.

Note: To schedule jobs in a Windows environment, you must include the domain name when entering your user ID (for example, *domain\myuserID*).

3. Click **Sign In**.

Define Data Sources

To register new tables in the SAS Metadata Repository and add them to the list of data sources:

1. Select **Data** ⇌ **Tables**.
2. Click **+** and select **Register Tables**. The Register Tables window appears.

Register Tables

Select a Library Step 1 of 2

Select a Library

Select Tables

Library

☒ Use an existing library

☐ Create a new library

Library:


Previous Next Finish Cancel

Note: You cannot use the **Register Tables** option to add a table that has already been registered in the SAS Metadata Repository using the SAS Management Console. You must select **Add Registered Table** instead. See [“Add a Table That Is Registered in Metadata”](#) on page 50.

3. Create a new Base SAS library.
 - a. Select **Create a new library**.

- b. Specify **QSTutorial** for the name of the new library. The name cannot exceed 60 characters.
- c. (Optional) Specify a description for the library.
- d. Specify **QSTut** for the libref.
- e. Specify the location for the new library. This location is the folder in the SAS Metadata Repository where the library is stored.
- f. Select the server and the directory where the data tables for the quick start tutorial reside (for example, **C:\QuickStartTutorial\Data**).
- g. Click **Next**.

Note: If you click **Cancel** at this point, a folder for the library is created in the SAS Metadata Repository, but the folder does not appear in the list of data tables.

4. Click  to add all of the tables to the **Selected tables** list.
5. Click **Finish**. The new library is now available in the list of data tables.


Data: Tables (36 of 36) | Search: (none) Search Save Search

Open

| Name | Date Created | Type | Engine | Library | Columns | Summaries | Location |
|------------------------|--------------------|---------|--------|------------|---------|-----------|--------------------|
| QSTutorial | | Library | | | | 0 | QSTutorial |
| HMEQ_PROJECT_INPUT | Jul 17, 2014 03... | Table | BASE | QSTutorial | 12 | 0 | /Shared Data/Mo... |
| HMEQ_PROJECT_OUTPUT | Jul 17, 2014 03... | Table | BASE | QSTutorial | 1 | 0 | /Shared Data/Mo... |
| HMEQ_Q1 | Jul 17, 2014 03... | Table | BASE | QSTutorial | 13 | 0 | /Shared Data/Mo... |
| HMEQ_Q2 | Jul 17, 2014 03... | Table | BASE | QSTutorial | 13 | 0 | /Shared Data/Mo... |
| HMEQ_Q3 | Jul 17, 2014 03... | Table | BASE | QSTutorial | 13 | 0 | /Shared Data/Mo... |
| HMEQ_Q4 | Jul 17, 2014 03... | Table | BASE | QSTutorial | 13 | 0 | /Shared Data/Mo... |
| HMEQ_SCORE_INPUT | Jul 17, 2014 03... | Table | BASE | QSTutorial | 14 | 0 | /Shared Data/Mo... |
| HMEQ_SCORE_OUTPUT | Jul 17, 2014 03... | Table | BASE | QSTutorial | 22 | 0 | /Shared Data/Mo... |
| HMEQ_SCORE_PROB_OUTPUT | Jul 17, 2014 03... | Table | BASE | QSTutorial | 14 | 0 | /Shared Data/Mo... |
| HMEQ_TEST | Jul 17, 2014 03... | Table | BASE | QSTutorial | 13 | 0 | /Shared Data/Mo... |
| HMEQ_TRAIN | Jul 17, 2014 03... | Table | BASE | QSTutorial | 13 | 0 | /Shared Data/Mo... |
| MMLib | | Library | | | | 0 | MMLib |
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Define Business Rule Folders

All of the content in your business rules database is contained within business rules folders. You must define at least one top-level folder. To define a top-level folder:

1. Select **Business Rules** ⇒ **Vocabularies**. (You must display a category view to enable the folder menu options. You can select any of the categories under **Business Rules**.)
2. Click , and select **New Top-Level Folder**.
3. Enter **Tutorials** for the folder name, and click **OK**.

Because multiple users might want to perform the tasks in the tutorial, each user should create a separate folder in the **Tutorials** folder. To create a new folder:

1. Right-click the **Tutorials** folder and select **New Folder**.
2. Enter a name for the folder such as **myUserID**. The examples in this tutorial use the ID **sasdemo**.
3. Click **OK**.

For more information, see [Chapter 5, “Managing Business Rule Folders,”](#) on page 59.

Create a Vocabulary, Entities, and Terms

Vocabularies, entities, and terms are the basic building blocks of a business rules database. Vocabularies contain entities, and entities contain terms. In this tutorial, you use the data table `HMEQ_SCORE_PROB_OUTPUT`, which you registered in “[Define Data Sources](#)” to import the terms for a new vocabulary. Then, you create a new entity and term manually in SAS Decision Manager and rename two of the imported terms.

For more information about vocabularies, entities, and terms, see [Chapter 6, “Managing Vocabularies,”](#) on page 61.


Create a New Vocabulary

To create a vocabulary:

1. Select **Business Rules** ⇒ **Vocabularies**.
2. Right-click on your folder in the **Tutorials** folder, and select **New Vocabulary**.
3. Enter **HMEQ_Vocab** for the vocabulary name, and click **OK**.

Import Terms From an Input Data Set

The easiest way to create new entities and terms is to import them from an input data set. The following steps import all of the terms in the data table `HMEQ_SCORE_PROB_OUTPUT`, which you registered in the SAS Metadata Repository in “[Define Data Sources](#)” on page 21.

4. Double-click **HMEQ_Vocab** to open the vocabulary.
5. Click  to import the vocabulary entities and terms. The Import Terms window appears.
6. Select **HMEQ_SCORE_PROB_OUTPUT** as the data source, and enter **BadLoans_Test** as the entity name.

7. Select the check box to the left of the **Term** table header to select all of the terms, and click **OK**.

Import Terms ✕

Name: HMEQ_Vocab

Data source: * QSTutorial.HMEQ_SCORE_PROB_OUTPUT 📁

Entity name: * BadLoans_Test

Description:

Library: QSTutorial.HMEQ_SCORE_PROB_OUTPUT

Select the terms to import.

| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Term | Type | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Import Domain ? | Values | <input type="checkbox"/> Discrete | <input type="checkbox"/> Exclude from Input | <input type="checkbox"/> Exclude from Output |
|--|-----------|---|-----------------|-------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CLAGE | Decimal | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 0 - 1168.2335 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CLNO | Integer | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 0 - 71 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DEBTINC | Decimal | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 1.855539980 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DELINQ | Integer | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 0;1;2;3;4;5;6;7 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ID | Character | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | ID_00000000 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> JOB | Character | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Mgr;Office;Oth | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LANDLINE | Boolean | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | True;False | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOAN | Integer | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 1500 - 89000 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

SAS Decision Manager imports the terms and adds them to the entity named **BadLoans_Test**. If you expand the list, you see all of the terms that were imported.

HMEQ_Vocab

Name: * HMEQ_Vocab

Description:

Parent folder: sasdemo

Created by: SAS Demo User

Date created: Aug 3, 2014 08:45 PM

Modified by: SAS Demo User

Date modified: Aug 3, 2014 08:45 PM

Entities And Terms

| Name | Type | Description | Date Modified | Modified By | Data Type | Domain Type | Date Created | Created By |
|-------------------|--------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|
| ▼ ♦ BadLoans_Test | Entity | | Aug 3, 2014 ... | SAS Demo User | | | Aug 3, 2014 ... | SAS Demo User |
| 123 CLAGE | Term | | Aug 3, 2014 ... | SAS Demo User | Decimal | Continuous | Aug 3, 2014 ... | SAS Demo User |
| 123 CLNO | Term | | Aug 3, 2014 ... | SAS Demo User | Integer | Continuous | Aug 3, 2014 ... | SAS Demo User |
| 123 DEBTINC | Term | | Aug 3, 2014 ... | SAS Demo User | Decimal | Continuous | Aug 3, 2014 ... | SAS Demo User |
| 123 DELINQ | Term | | Aug 3, 2014 ... | SAS Demo User | Integer | Discrete | Aug 3, 2014 ... | SAS Demo User |
| A ID | Term | | Aug 3, 2014 ... | SAS Demo User | Character | Discrete | Aug 3, 2014 ... | SAS Demo User |
| A JOB | Term | | Aug 3, 2014 ... | SAS Demo User | Character | Discrete | Aug 3, 2014 ... | SAS Demo User |
| II LANDLINE | Term | | Aug 3, 2014 ... | SAS Demo User | Boolean | Boolean | Aug 3, 2014 ... | SAS Demo User |

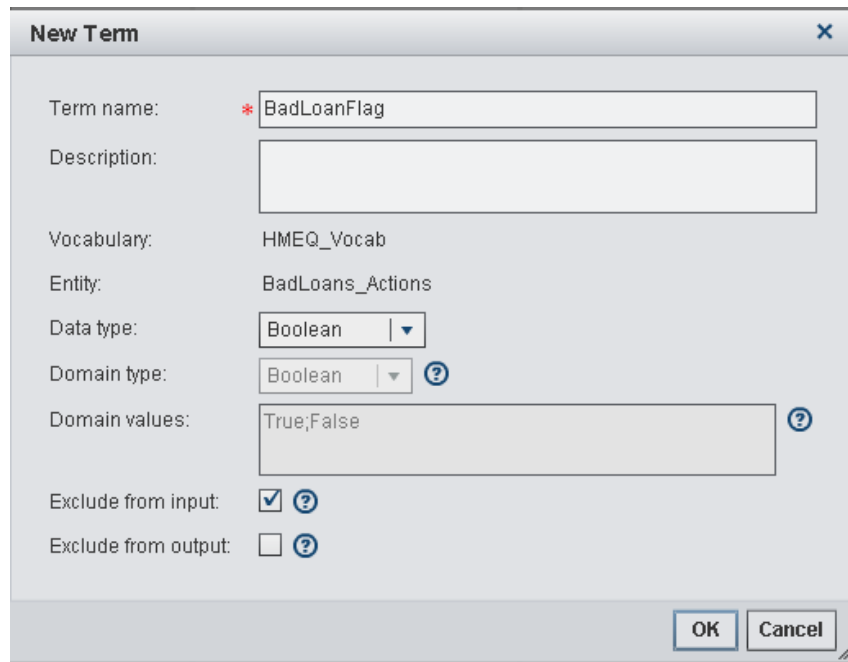
8. Click **X** to close the vocabulary.

Create a New Entity and Term

In addition to importing terms, you can create entities and terms manually. The following steps create a new entity and a new term.

9. In the Business Rules: Vocabularies category view, right-click **HMEQ_Vocab** and select **New Entity**. The New Entity window appears.
10. Enter **BadLoans_Actions** as the entity name, and click **OK**.
11. Right-click **BadLoans_Actions** and select **New Term**. The New Term window appears.

12. Enter **BadLoanFlag** for the term name. Select **Boolean** for the data type, select **Exclude from input**, and click **OK**.



The 'New Term' dialog box is shown with the following fields and values:

- Term name: *** BadLoanFlag**
- Description: (empty)
- Vocabulary: **HMEQ_Vocab**
- Entity: **BadLoans_Actions**
- Data type: **Boolean** (dropdown)
- Domain type: **Boolean** (dropdown)
- Domain values: **True;False**
- Exclude from input: ☒ (checked)
- Exclude from output: ☐ (unchecked)

Buttons at the bottom: **OK** and **Cancel**.

The **HMEQ_Vocab** vocabulary now contains two entities and several terms. You can display all of the terms in the vocabulary in the category view.

Business Rules: **Vocabularies** (34 of 34) | Search: (none) Search Save Search

| Name | Type | Description | Date Modified | Modified By | Data Type | Domain Type | Date Created |
|--------------------|------------|-------------|------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------|-----------------|
| ▼ Tutorials | | | Aug 3, 2014 1... | SAS Demo User | | | Aug 3, 2014 10: |
| ▼ sasdemo | | | Aug 3, 2014 1... | SAS Demo User | | | Aug 3, 2014 10: |
| ▼ HMEQ_Vocab | Vocabulary | | Aug 3, 2014 1... | SAS Demo User | | | Aug 3, 2014 10: |
| ▼ BadLoans_Actions | Entity | | Aug 3, 2014 1... | SAS Demo User | | | Aug 3, 2014 10: |
| BadLoan_Flag | Term | | Aug 3, 2014 1... | SAS Demo User | Boolean | Boolean | Aug 3, 2014 10: |
| ▼ BadLoans_Test | Entity | | Aug 3, 2014 1... | SAS Demo User | | | Aug 3, 2014 10: |
| CLAGE | Term | | Aug 3, 2014 1... | SAS Demo User | Decimal | Continuous | Aug 3, 2014 10: |
| CLNO | Term | | Aug 3, 2014 1... | SAS Demo User | Integer | Continuous | Aug 3, 2014 10: |
| DEBTINC | Term | | Aug 3, 2014 1... | SAS Demo User | Decimal | Continuous | Aug 3, 2014 10: |
| DELINQ | Term | | Aug 3, 2014 1... | SAS Demo User | Integer | Discrete | Aug 3, 2014 10: |
| ID | Term | | Aug 3, 2014 1... | SAS Demo User | Character | Discrete | Aug 3, 2014 10: |
| JOB | Term | | Aug 3, 2014 1... | SAS Demo User | Character | Discrete | Aug 3, 2014 10: |
| LANDLINE | Term | | Aug 3, 2014 1... | SAS Demo User | Boolean | Boolean | Aug 3, 2014 10: |
| LOAN | Term | | Aug 3, 2014 1... | SAS Demo User | Integer | Continuous | Aug 3, 2014 10: |
| MODELScore | Term | | Aug 3, 2014 1... | SAS Demo User | Integer | Continuous | Aug 3, 2014 10: |
| MORTDUE | Term | | Aug 3, 2014 1... | SAS Demo User | Integer | Continuous | Aug 3, 2014 10: |

Rename Existing Terms

You can rename a term if it has not already been used in a rule set. Renaming is useful if the names of some of the terms in imported data are not indicative of their purpose. In the following steps, you rename two different terms.


13. Right-click the **LANDLINE** term in the **BadLoans_Test** entity, and select **Rename**.
14. Change the term name to **HAS_LANDLINE** and click **OK**.
15. Right-click the **MODELScore** term and select **Rename**.
16. Change the term name to **LOAN_SCORE** and click **OK**.

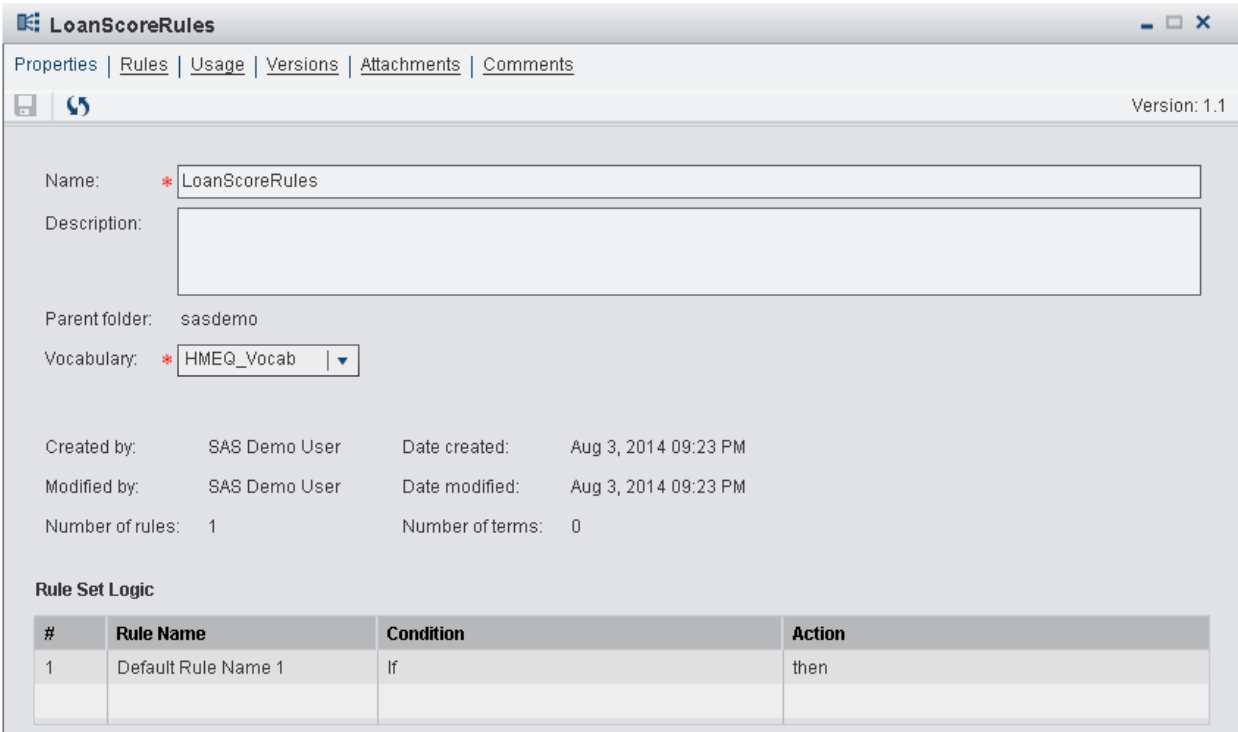
Create a Rule Set and Define Business Rules

A business rule specifies conditions to be evaluated and actions to be taken if those conditions are satisfied. Rules are grouped together into rule sets. In this tutorial, you create a single rule set with three rules.

For more information, see [Chapter 8, “Managing Rules and Rule Sets,”](#) on page 76.

Create a New Rule Set

1. Select **Business Rules** ⇒ **Rule Sets**.
2. Select your folder in the **Tutorials** folder.
3. Click  and select **New Rule Set**. The New Rule Set window appears.
4. Enter **LoanScoreRules** for the rule set name.
5. Select **HMEQ_Vocab** for the vocabulary and click **Create**. SAS Decision Manager opens the rule set and displays the **Properties** page.



LoanScoreRules Version: 1.1

Properties | Rules | Usage | Versions | Attachments | Comments

Name: * LoanScoreRules

Description:

Parent folder: sasdemo

Vocabulary: * HMEQ_Vocab

Created by: SAS Demo User Date created: Aug 3, 2014 09:23 PM

Modified by: SAS Demo User Date modified: Aug 3, 2014 09:23 PM


Number of rules: 1 Number of terms: 0

Rule Set Logic

| # | Rule Name | Condition | Action |
|---|---------------------|-----------|--------|
| 1 | Default Rule Name 1 | If | then |

Define Business Rules

To define the business rules for the new rule set, you enter condition and action expressions for the terms in the rule set into the rule set editor. The following steps define three simple rules.

6. Select the **Rules** page.
7. Expand the **BadLoans_Test** entity, and select the **HAS_LANDLINE**, **LOAN_SCORE**, and **REASON** terms.
8. Right-click on one of the highlighted terms, and select **Use as Condition Term**.
9. Right-click the **BadLoanFlag** term, and select **Use as Action Term**.
10. Enter the rule expressions into the rule set editor. Each row in the table represents a different rule. Enter the expressions for each term into the column for that term. You can enter expressions directly into the table cells, or you can use the equation editor. Click  to open the equation editor.

Enter the expressions in the following table into the rule set editor.

| Rule | Condition Terms | | | Action Term |
|---------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------|-------------|
| | HAS_LANDLINE | LOAN_SCORE | REASON | BadLoanFlag |
| Rule 1 | | >.5 | | True |
| Rule 2 | = True | >.6 AND <=.7 | 'HomeImp' | True |
| Rule 3 | = True | >.7 AND <=.8 | 'DebtCon' | False |

TIP If you do not specify an operator at the beginning of an expression, SAS Decision Manager adds an equal sign to the beginning of the expression.

TIP In condition expressions, when an AND or OR operator is followed immediately by another operator, SAS Decision Manager inserts the column term between the AND or OR operator and the operator that follows it.

See “[Define Expressions for a Rule](#)” on page 78 and “[Terms and Operators Added by SAS Decision Manager](#)” on page 87 for more information.

The following display shows the decision table with the rules that are defined for the **LoanScoreRules** rule set.

The screenshot displays the SAS Decision Manager interface for the **LoanScoreRules** rule set. The interface includes a Vocabularies pane on the left, a main table with Condition and Action terms, and a Rule Details pane at the bottom.

Vocabularies:

- HMEQ_Vocab
 - BadLoans_Actions
 - BadLoanFlag
 - BadLoans_Test

Decision Table:



| # | Condition Term | Action Term |
|---|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 | If HAS_LANDLINE >.5 | BadLoanFlag True |
| 2 | If LOAN_SCORE = True | BadLoanFlag True |
| 3 | If REASON = True | BadLoanFlag False |
| | Click here to add a new rule | |

Rule Details:

- Rule name: Default Rule Name 3
- Record rule-fired data: ☒
- Name: LoanScoreRules

Validate and Save the Rule Set


When you save a rule set, SAS Decision Manager validates the content of the rule set before saving it. However, you can validate the rule set at any time while you are creating the rule set.

11. Click  to validate the rule set.
12. Click  to save the rule set.


Lock and Close the Rule Set

The last major step in creating a rules database is to create and publish rule flows. However, you cannot publish rule flows unless the rule set versions that are used in the rule flows are locked.

13. Select the **Versions** page.

14. Select Version 1.1 of the rule set, and click  to lock the selected version.



15. Click  to close the rule set.

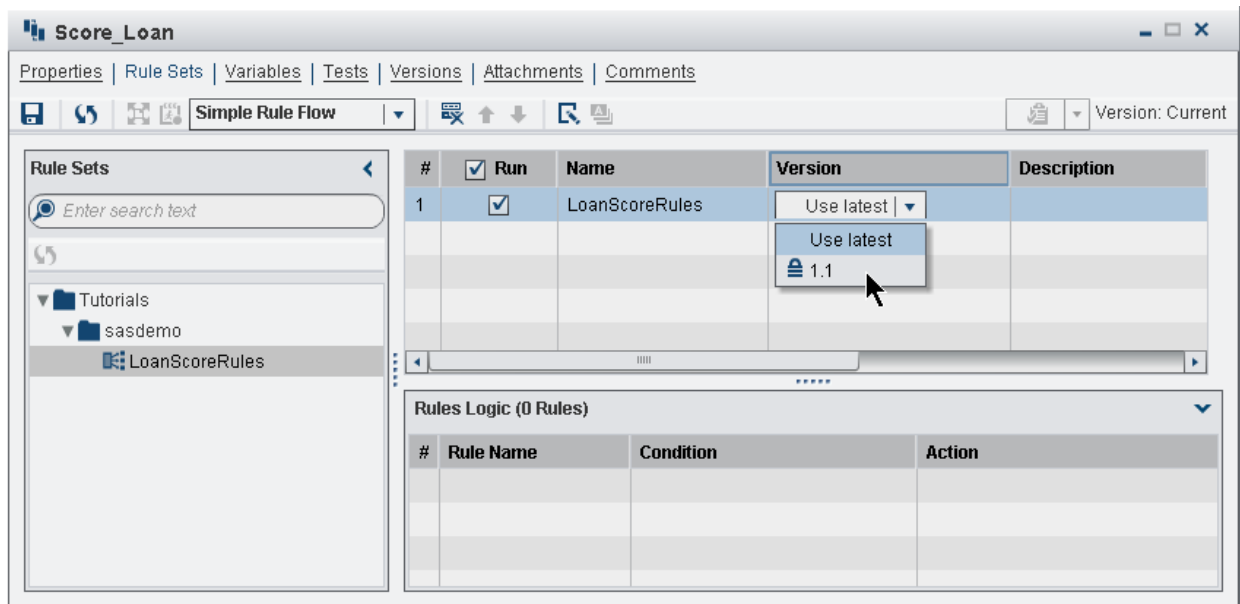
Create and Publish a Rule Flow

A business rule flow is a logical collection of rule sets that define multiple conditions and actions. The rule flow that you create in this tutorial contains only one rule set, but most rule flows contain multiple rule sets. After you add the rule set to the rule flow, you must specify the rule set version in order to be able to publish the rule flow.

For more information, see [Chapter 9, “Creating and Publishing Rule Flows,”](#) on page 100.

To create and publish a rule flow:

1. Select **Business Rules** ⇒ **Rule Flows**.
2. Right-click on your folder in the **Tutorials** folder, and select **New Rule Flow**.
3. Enter **Score_Loan** for the rule flow name and click **Create**. SAS Decision Manager opens the rule flow and displays the **Properties** page.
4. Select the **Rule Sets** page.
5. In the rule sets list, right-click **LoanScoreRules** and select **Add To Rule Flow**.
6. Specify the locked version of the rule set in the rule flow. Click **Use latest** in the **Version** column, and select **1.1**.



7. Click to save the rule flow.
8. Click to publish the rule flow. The Choose a Location window appears.
9. Select the location where you want to publish the rule flow, and click **OK**.
10. Click to close the rule flow.

Organize the Model Hierarchy

Create Folders

Create a top-level folder for the quick start tutorials:


1. Select **Models** ⇒ **Projects**.
2. Click and select **New Top-Level Folder**. The New Folder window appears.

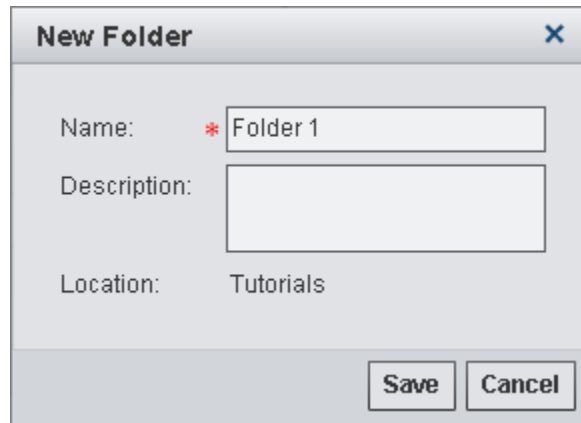
The 'New Folder' dialog box is shown. It has fields for 'Name', 'Description', and 'Location'. The 'Name' field contains 'Folder 1', the 'Description' field is empty, and the 'Location' field contains 'This is a top-level folder.' There are 'Save' and 'Cancel' buttons at the bottom.

3. Enter **Tutorials** for the name of the folder.
4. (Optional) Enter a description for the folder.

5. Click **Save**.

Because multiple users might want to perform the tasks in the tutorial, it is recommended that each user create their own folder in the **Tutorials** folder. To create a new folder:

1. Select **Tutorials**, click , and select **New Folder**. The New Folder window appears.



The 'New Folder' dialog box has a title bar with a close button (X). It contains three input fields: 'Name' with a red asterisk and the text 'Folder 1', 'Description' which is empty, and 'Location' with the text 'Tutorials'. At the bottom right are 'Save' and 'Cancel' buttons.


2. Enter a name for the folder, such as **myUserID**. The examples in this tutorial use the ID **sasdemo**.
3. (Optional) Enter a description for the folder.
4. Click **Save**.

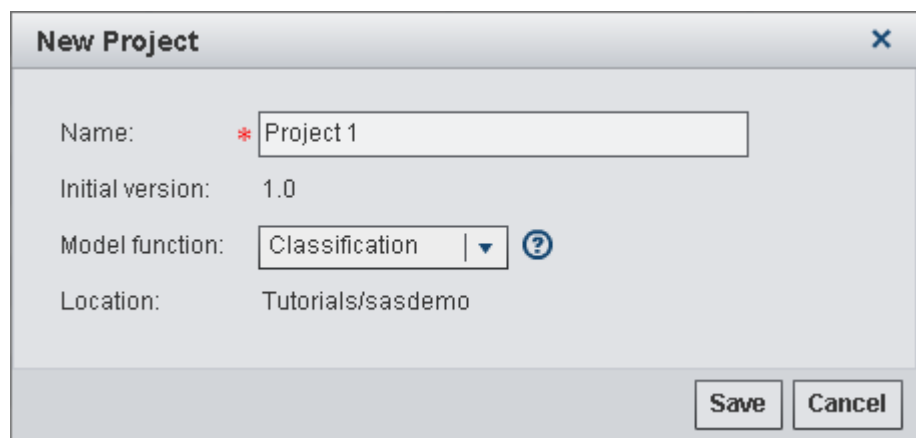
See Also

[“Overview of Managing Folders” on page 115](#)

Create a Project

To create a project:

1. Select a folder to store the new project (for example, **myUserID**).
2. Click  and select **New Project**. The New Project window appears.



The 'New Project' dialog box has a title bar with a close button (X). It contains four input fields: 'Name' with a red asterisk and the text 'Project 1', 'Initial version' with the text '1.0', 'Model function' with a dropdown menu showing 'Classification' and a help icon (?), and 'Location' with the text 'Tutorials/sasdemo'. At the bottom right are 'Save' and 'Cancel' buttons.

3. Enter **HMEQ** for the name of the project.
The initial version is displayed and reflects the level for sequential versions.

4. Select **Classification** for the model function.

Note: The model function (Classification, Prediction, Segmentation, or Analytical) indicates the type of models that should be imported into the project.

5. Click **Save**.

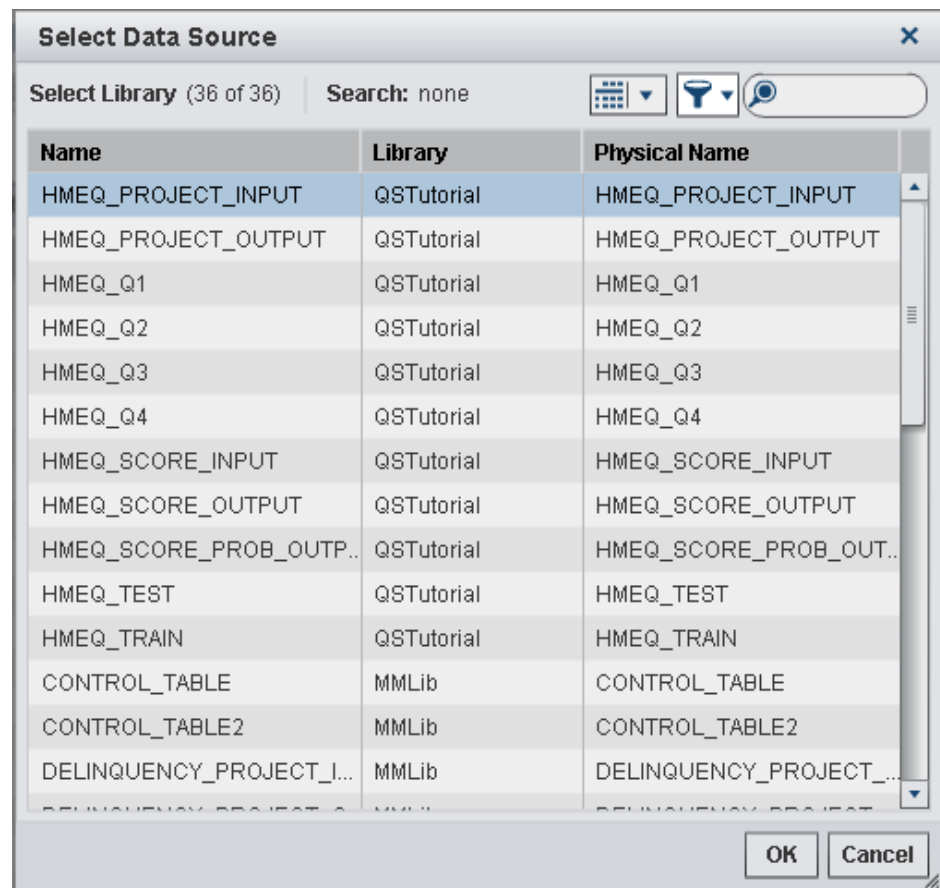
See Also



[“Overview of Projects” on page 119](#)

Import Project Variables

To import project variables:

1. Select **Variables** ⇒ **Input** and click . The Select Data Source window appears.



2. Select HMEQ_PROJECT_INPUT as the data source from the **QSTutorial** library. Click **OK**.
3. Select the **Output** tab and click .
4. Select the HMEQ_PROJECT_OUTPUT as the data source from the **QSTutorial** library and click **OK**.
5. Click  to make the changes effective for other pages.
6. Click **Yes** in the warning message since you have not set a champion or challenger yet.

See Also

[“Import Variables” on page 128](#)

Set the Project Properties

To define the properties that SAS Decision Manager uses to create reports, score, publish, and monitor models:

1. Select **Properties** ⇒ **Specific**.
2. Select the default data tables from the **QSTutorial** library and specify the model variables for the project:

Default test table

select **HMEQ_TEST**.

Default scoring input table

select **HMEQ_SCORE_INPUT**.

Default scoring output table

select **HMEQ_SCORE_OUTPUT**.

Default train table

select **HMEQ_TRAIN**.

Training target variable

enter **BAD**.

Target event value

enter **1**.

Class target level

select **Binary**.

Output event probability variable

select **score**.

3. Click .

Here is an example of the **HMEQ** project-specific properties:

The screenshot shows the HMEQ Properties dialog box with the 'Specific' tab selected. The 'General' tab is also visible. The 'Specific' tab contains the following settings:

| Property | Value | Action |
|------------------------------------|------------------------------|--------|
| Default test table: | QSTutorial.HMEQ_TEST | Browse |
| Default scoring input table: | QSTutorial.HMEQ_SCORE_INPUT | Browse |
| Default scoring output table: | QSTutorial.HMEQ_SCORE_OUTPUT | Browse |
| Default performance table: | | Browse |
| Default train table: | QSTutorial.HMEQ_TRAIN | Browse |
| Champion version: | | |
| Model function: | Classification | |
| Training target variable: | BAD | |
| Target event value: | 1 | |
| Class target values: | | |
| Class target level: | Binary | |
| Output event probability variable: | score | |
| Output segmentation variable: | | |

See Also


“Project Properties” on page 122

Import Models

Import a SAS Package File

Note: Before you import a model, verify that the model type matches the **Model function** property setting on the project’s **Properties** page.

To import a model from a SAS Package File:

1. Select the **Models** page.
2. Click  and select **from a SAS package file**.

The screenshot shows the 'Import Model from SAS Package File' dialog box. It has two tabs: 'Browse' and 'Record Location'. The 'Browse' tab is active, showing a 'Select a Model' button and a 'Model name:' text box. The 'Record Location' tab is also visible. At the bottom, there are 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons.

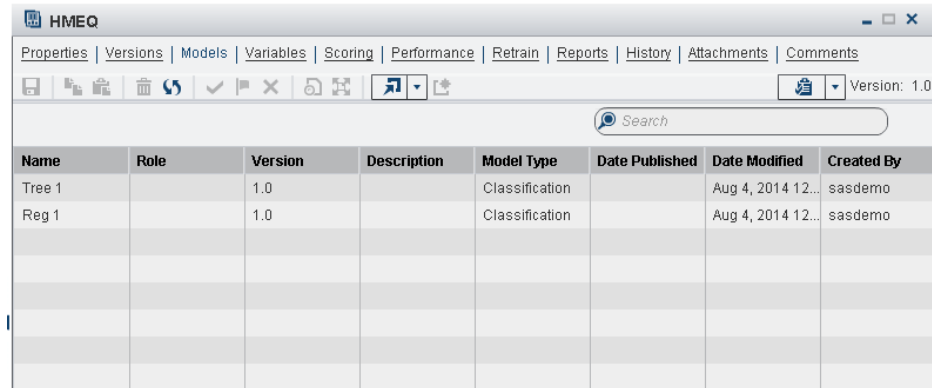
3. On the **Browse** tab, click **Select a Model** and navigate to the location of the file (for example, use <drive>:\QuickStartTutorial\Models\Reg1).

Select the miningResult.spk file to import and click **Open**.

4. Enter **Reg 1** for the name of the model.

5. (Optional) On the **Record Location** tab, enter the location of the SAS package file in order to record it in the model's history log.
6. Click **OK**.
7. Repeat steps 2 through 6 to import the model package file located in `<drive:>\QuickStartTutorial\Models\Tree1`. Name the model **Tree 1**.

Here is an example of the **Models** page, after the models have been imported:



| Name | Role | Version | Description | Model Type | Date Published | Date Modified | Created By |
|--------|------|---------|-------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|------------|
| Tree 1 | | 1.0 | | Classification | | Aug 4, 2014 12... | sasdemo |
| Reg 1 | | 1.0 | | Classification | | Aug 4, 2014 12... | sasdemo |
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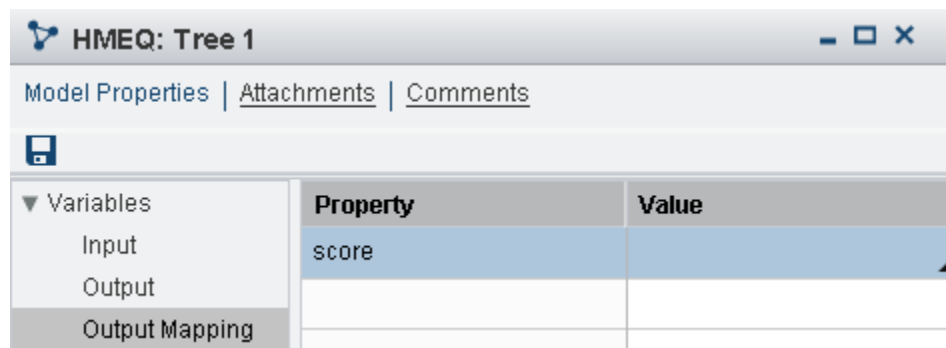
See Also

[“Overview of Importing Models” on page 155](#)


Map Model Variables to Project Variables

To map model variables to the project variables:

1. Select and open the **Reg 1** model.
2. Select **Model Properties** ⇒ **Variables** ⇒ **Output Mapping**.



| Property | Value |
|----------|---------------------|
| score | EM_EVENTPROBABILITY |
| | |
| | |

3. Select **EM_EVENTPROBABILITY** from the **Value** column beside the **score** variable in the **Property** column.
4. Click .
5. Repeat steps 1 through 4 for the **Tree 1** model.

See Also

[“Map Model Variables to Project Variables” on page 163](#)

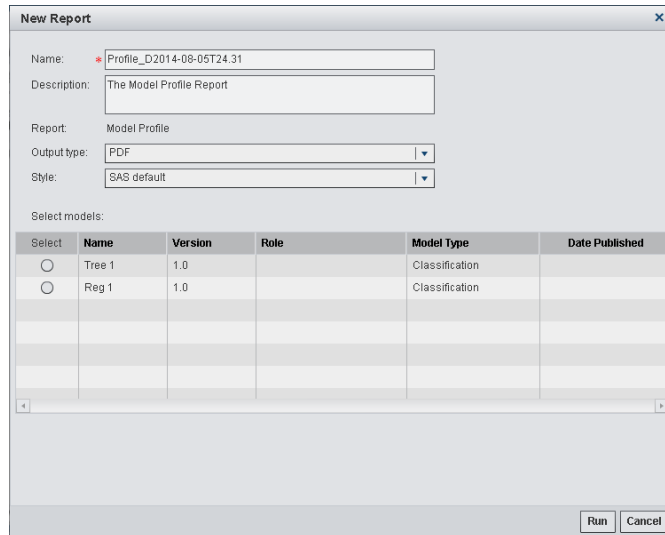
Create Model Comparison Reports

Create a Model Profile Report

The Model Profile report creates three tables to display the profile data that is associated with the model input variables, output variables, and target variables.

To create a Model Profile report:

1. Select the **Reports** page.
2. Click  and select **Model Profile**. The New Report window appears.



| Select | Name | Version | Role | Model Type | Date Published |
|-----------------------|--------|---------|------|----------------|----------------|
| <input type="radio"/> | Tree 1 | 1.0 | | Classification | |
| <input type="radio"/> | Reg 1 | 1.0 | | Classification | |

3. Enter **profile_tree1** for the name of the report.
4. Select **PDF** for the output type.
5. Select **Seaside** for the style of the report. When the SAS default option is selected, the default style and themes are used in generating the report. For example, the SAS default style for the HTML output type is HTMLBLUE.
6. Select the model **Tree 1** from the list.
7. Click **Run**. The report is generated and appears in the default viewer based on the selected output type.

Create a Dynamic Lift Report

The Dynamic Lift report provides visual summaries of the performance of one or more models for predicting a binary outcome variable.

To create a Dynamic Lift report:

1. Click  and select **Dynamic Lift**. The New Report window appears.

New Report

Name:

Description:

Report:

Output type:

Style:

Select models:

| <input type="checkbox"/> All | Name | Version | Role | Model Type | Date Published |
|------------------------------|--------|---------|------|----------------|----------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Tree 1 | 1.0 | | Classification | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Reg 1 | 1.0 | | Classification | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | |

Control group response rate: % ⓘ

Prior probability: % ⓘ

Input table: [Browse](#)

2. Enter **lift_reg1tree1** for the report name.
3. Select **HTML** for the output type.
4. Select **Seaside** for the style of the report.
5. Select the models **Reg 1** and **Tree 1** from the list.
6. (Optional) Specify the **Control group response rate**.
7. (Optional) Specify the **Prior probability**.
8. Accept the default input table of **QSTutorial.HMEQ_TEST**.
9. Click **Run**. The report is generated and appears in the default viewer based on the selected output type.

See Also

[“Overview of Model Comparison, Validation, and Summary Reports” on page 178](#)

Create a Scoring Test

To create a scoring test:

1. Select the **Scoring** page.
2. Click **+**. The Add a New Scoring Test window appears.

Add a New Scoring Test Step 1 of 4

Specify Name and Model

Name: *


Description:

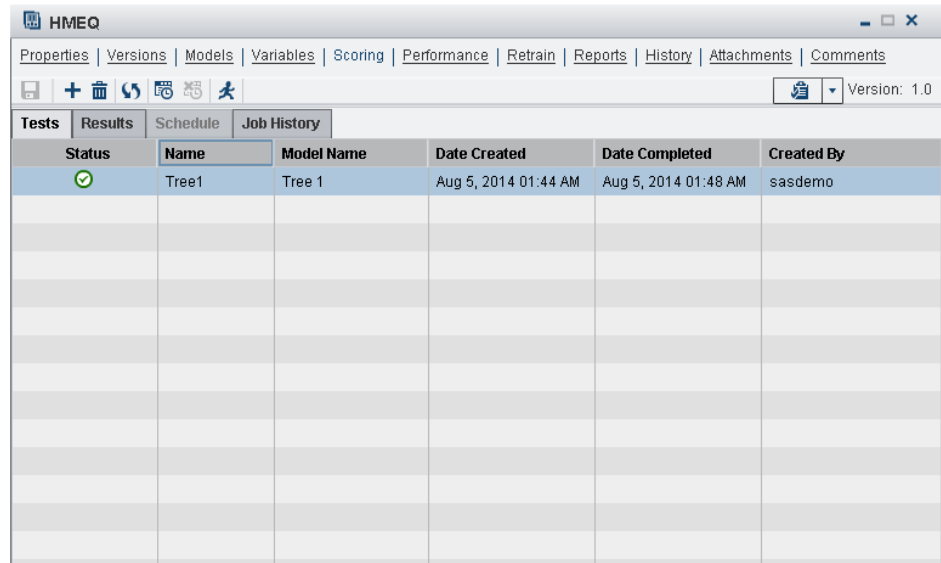
Select model:

| Select | Name | Version | Type | Role |
|-----------------------|--------|---------|----------------|------|
| <input type="radio"/> | Tree 1 | 1.0 | Classification | |
| <input type="radio"/> | Reg 1 | 1.0 | Classification | |

Type: ☒ Test
 Number of observations:
☐ Production

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3. Enter **Tree1** for the name.
4. (Optional) Enter **test1** for the description.
5. Select the **Tree 1** model from the list.
6. Select **Test** for the type of scoring test. Accept the default number of observations (1000 rows) to be read from the scoring input table.
Note: A best practice is to select **Test** before beginning all scoring tests. Later, when you are satisfied with the results of running the scoring test and you are ready to put the test into production, you can change the type to **Production**.
7. Click **Next**.
8. Verify that the value you previously specified for the **Default score input table** project property appears in the **Input table** box. To select a table, click **Browse** and select the table **QSTutorial.HMEQ_SCORE_INPUT**. Click **OK**.
9. Verify that the value you previously specified for the **Default score output table** project property appears in the **Output table** box. To select a table, click **Browse** and select the table **QSTutorial.HMEQ_SCORE_OUTPUT**. Click **OK**.
10. Click **Next**.
11. Verify that all of the scoring output table variables are mapped to the available variables.
12. Click **Next**.
13. Select the configured SAS Application Server (for example, **SASApp**).
14. Click **Save**.
15. Select the **Tree1** scoring test from the list and click .



| Status | Name | Model Name | Date Created | Date Completed | Created By |
|--------|-------|------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------|
| ✓ | Tree1 | Tree 1 | Aug 5, 2014 01:44 AM | Aug 5, 2014 01:48 AM | sasdmo |
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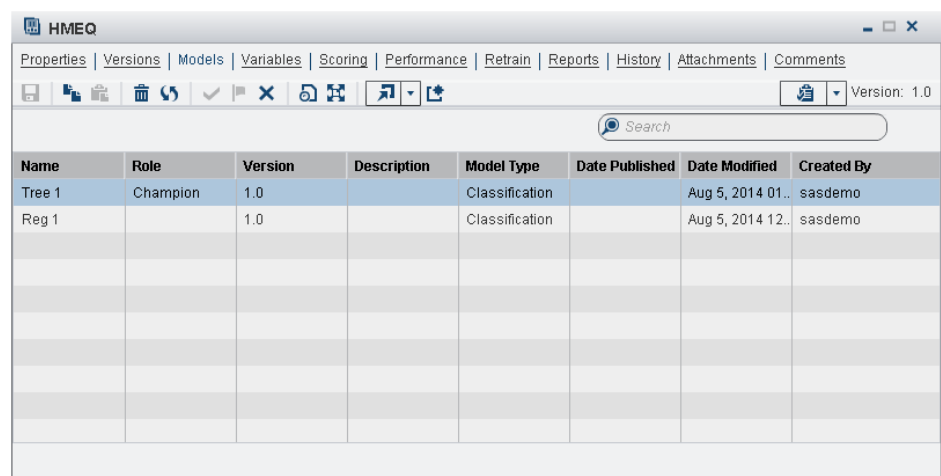
16. Click the **Results** tab or double-click the scoring test to view the scoring test results. When the job has completed without errors, a ✓ appears in the **Status** column.

Note: You can check the status of a job by clicking ↺ in the **Job History** tab. A new record appears after the job has completed.

Set the Champion Model

To set the champion model:

1. Select the **Models** page of the project.
2. Select the **Tree 1** model and click ✓. The value in the **Role** column changes to **Champion**.



| Name | Role | Version | Description | Model Type | Date Published | Date Modified | Created By |
|--------|----------|---------|-------------|----------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------|
| Tree 1 | Champion | 1.0 | | Classification | Aug 5, 2014 01:44 AM | Aug 5, 2014 01:48 AM | sasdmo |
| Reg 1 | | 1.0 | | Classification | Aug 5, 2014 12:00 AM | Aug 5, 2014 12:00 AM | sasdmo |
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See Also

“Overview of Scoring Tests” on page 169

Monitor the Performance of a Champion Model

In this tutorial you run the Edit Performance Definition wizard to generate SAS code. You then execute the generated code.

To edit the performance definition:

1. Select the **Performance** page.
2. Click **Edit Definition** and select the champion model **Tree 1**. Click **Next**.

Edit Performance Definition

Select Model Step 1 of 4

Select Model
 Select Server and Variables
 Set Processing and Performance Options
 Set Alerts and Notifications

Select a model:

| Select | Name | Version | Type | Role |
|----------------------------------|--------|---------|----------------|----------|
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | Tree 1 | 1.0 | Classification | Champion |
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3. Select a SAS Application Server (for example, the default is SASApp).
4. Click **All** to select all output variables for stability analysis.
5. Click **All** to select all input variables for characteristic analysis.

Edit Performance Definition

Select Server and Variables Step 2 of 4

Select Model

Select Server and Variables

Select a SAS Application Server: SASApp

Select the output variables for stability analysis:

| All | Variables | Description |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | score | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | |

Select the input variables for characteristic analysis:

| All | Variables | Description |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | YOU | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | MORTDUE | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | REASON | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | DEROG | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | VALUE | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | CLNO | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | LOAN | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | CLAGE | |

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Click **Next**.

6. Select **Standard configuration** as the data processing method and select **Run model score code** to run the score code in the performance monitor job.
7. Specify the data source information.
 - a. Select **Static data sources**.
 - b. Click **+**.

Note: The data table whose collection date is the earliest is the baseline performance data table.

- c. Click the empty cell in the **Data Source** column.
- d. Click **Browse** and select the **QSTutorial.HMEQ_Q1** performance data source. Click **OK**.
- e. Click the empty cell in the **Collection Date** column and click . Select the date of **March 31, 2013**. The date can be any date in the time period when the performance data was collected.
- f. Enter the label **Q1** in the **Report Label** column. The report label represents the time point of the performance data source. Because the report label appears in the performance charts, use a label that has not been used for another time period, is short, and is understandable.

Note: if you duplicate report labels, result in previous performance results are overwritten.

- g. (Optional) Select a data source and click to verify that the selected input variables and target variable are included in the performance data source.
- h. (Optional) Repeat the above steps to add the following performance data sources to the performance definition.

| Data Source | Collection Date | Report Label |
|--------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| QSTutorial.HMEQ_Q2 | June 30, 2013 | Q2 |
| QSTutorial.HMEQ_Q3 | September 30, 2013 | Q3 |
| QSTutorial.HMEQ_Q4 | December 31, 2013 | Q4 |

Edit Performance Definition (Step 3 of 4)

Select the data processing method:

- ☒ Standard configuration ☒ Run model score code
- ☐ High-performance configuration

Specify the data source information.

☒ Static data sources

Baseline collection date: None

| Data Source | Collection Date | Report Label |
|--------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| QSTutorial.HMEQ_Q1 | March 31, 2013 | Q1 |
| QSTutorial.HMEQ_Q2 | June 30, 2013 | Q2 |
| QSTutorial.HMEQ_Q3 | September 30, 2013 | Q3 |
| QSTutorial.HMEQ_Q4 | December 31, 2013 | Q4 |

☐ Dynamic data sources

The data source names are used to generate the report labels.

Data source library:

Remove this prefix:



☐ Generate dashboard reports after the performance monitoring has completed

Buttons: Previous, Next, Save, Cancel

- i. (Optional) To delete a data source from the performance definition, select the data source and click **X**.
8. Click **Next**.
9. (Optional) Either specify values for the alert and warning conditions or accept the defaults. Click **Next**.
10. (Optional) To send the results by e-mail, click **+**. A new row is added to the table.
 - a. Enter an e-mail address.
 - b. Select either **Yes** or **No** if you want an alert or warning to be sent by e-mail when alert or warning thresholds have been exceeded.
 - c. Select either **Yes** or **No** if you want a completion notice with the job status to be sent by e-mail every time the report runs.

| Condition | Value |
|--------------------------|--|
| Characteristic - Alert | p1>5 or p25>0 |
| Stability - Alert | outputDeviation > 0.03 |
| Model - Alert | (lift5Decay>0.15 and lift10Decay>0.12) or giniD... |
| Characteristic - Warning | p1>2 |
| Stability - Warning | outputDeviation > 0.01 |
| Model - Warning | lift5Decay>0.05 |

| E-mail Address | Send Alert or Warning | Send Job Status |
|-------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| sasdemo@email.com | Yes | Yes |
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11. Click **Save**.
 12. Click .
 13. After the performance monitoring has been completed, a confirmation message appears. Click **Close**.
 14. Click the **Results** tab to view the performance results.
- Note:* You can check the status of a job by clicking  in the **Job History** tab. A new record appears after the job has completed.


See Also

[“Edit and Execute a Performance Definition” on page 233](#)

Publish a Champion Model to the SAS Metadata Repository

To publish a model to the SAS Metadata Repository:

1. Select the **Models** page.
2. Select the champion model **Tree 1** and click .

Note: Alternatively, you can select a project from the Projects category view and click .

3. Specify a publish name.

Note: The default format of the publish name is configured by the SAS administrator. You cannot modify the publish name for a champion model when publishing from the Projects category view.

4. Select the location to publish the model to. You must have Write permission to this location.

| Select | Model Name | Role | Version | Model Type | Publish Name | Date Published |
|-------------------------------------|------------|----------|---------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Tree 1 | Champion | 1.0 | Classification | Tree 1 | |
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SAS Metadata Repository Settings

Location: [Browse](#)

Publish **Cancel**

5. Click **Publish**.
6. (Optional) Select **History** ⇒ **Published** to view a list of the models that have been published.

See Also




[“Publishing Models to the SAS Metadata Repository” on page 263](#)

Create a Decision Flow

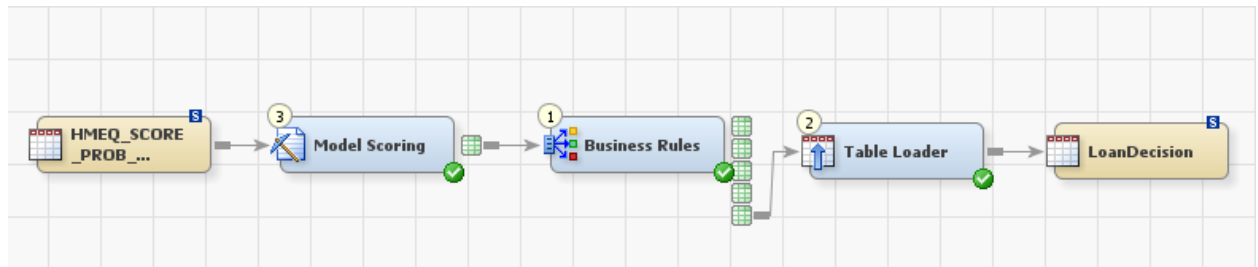
After you have published models and rule flows, they are available for use by other applications such as SAS Data Integration Studio. With SAS Data Integration Studio, you can combine models and rule flows into decision flows. In addition to models and rule flows, a decision flow specifies input sources. SAS Data Integration Studio maps the objects in the decision flow to objects in the input data source.

To create and run a decision flow in SAS Data Integration Studio:

1. Right-click on the folder where you want to create the new job, and select **New** ⇒ **Job**. This tutorial creates the new job in **My Folder**.
2. Enter a name for the new job, and click **OK**. This tutorial uses **ScoreLoanDecision** for the job name.
3. If you are prompted to select a default application server, select **SASApp**, and click **OK**.
4. Add the data source for the decision flow.

- a. On the **Folders** tab, expand **Shared Data** ⇒ **Model Manager** ⇒ **QSTutorial**.
 - b. Drag the **HMEQ_SCORE_PROB_OUTPUT** data source to the Job Editor window.
5. Add the data model.
 - a. On the **Transformations** tab, expand **Data**.
 - b. Drag the **Model Scoring** transformation to the Job Editor window.
 - c. Right-click the **Model Scoring** transformation, and select **Properties**.
 - d. Select the **Models** tab.
 - e. Expand the **Mining Results** list, and select the **Tree1** model.
 - f. Click **OK**.
6. Drag the cursor from the output port of the source table to the input port of the transformation. This action connects the source to the transformation.
7. Add the rule flow.
 - a. On the **Folders** tab, expand **My Folders**.
 - b. Drag the **Score_Loan** rule flow to Job Editor window.
8. Drag the cursor from the output port of the model to the input port of the rule flow. This action connects the model to the rule flow.
9. Map the data source columns to the rule flow input terms.
 - a. Right-click on the rule flow and select **Properties**.
 - b. On the **Inputs and Outputs** tab, click  to map the REASON column.
 - c. Map the source column LANDLINE to the term HAS_LANDLINE. To map a column to a term, drag the column onto the term.
 - d. Map the source column MODELSCORE to the term LOAN_SCORE.
 - e. Click **OK**. When the column mappings are correct, the node status icon for the rule flow displays as a green check .
10. Add a table loader.
 - a. Select the **Transformations** tab.
 - b. Expand **Access**, and drag the **Table Loader** to the Job Editor window.
11. Create a new output table.
 - a. On the **Folders** tab, right-click on **My Folder**, and select **New** ⇒ **Table**. The New Table wizard opens.
 - b. Enter **LoanDecision** for the table name, and click **Next**. The Table Storage window appears.
 - c. Select **QSTutorial** for the **Library**, and click **Next**. (Use the default values for the remaining fields.) The Select Columns window appears.
 - d. Select the **Inventory** tab.
 - e. Expand **Library**, expand **QSTutorial**, select **HMEQ_SCORE_PROB_OUTPUT**, and click .
 - f. Click **Next**. The Change Columns/Indexes window appears.
 - g. Click **Next**, and then click **Finish**.

12. Drag the new table to the Job Editor window.
13. Drag the cursor from the OUTPUTS table of the rule flow to the input port of the table loader.
14. Drag the cursor from the table loader to the input port of the output table.
15. Click **Run**.



Chapter 4

Managing Data Tables

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About Managing Data Tables

The Data category enables you to manage your list of data tables from within SAS Decision Manager. You can create new Base SAS libraries, add and remove tables, view table data and metadata, create and delete table summaries, and associate attachments and comments with tables.

You can view the list of tables by selecting **Data** ⇒ **Tables**. There are three ways to add tables to the list.

- You can use SAS Visual Data Builder to create new tables and add them to the list. See [“Adding Tables Using SAS Visual Data Builder” on page 50](#) for more information.
- If the table is already registered in the SAS Metadata Repository, you can add the table to the list as described in [“Add a Table That Is Registered in Metadata” on page 50](#).
- If the table is not already registered in the SAS Metadata Repository, you can add a new table as described in [“Register and Add New Tables” on page 50](#).

Note: Tables added to the Data category view must be created with the BASE engine.

Note: If you do not have the appropriate permissions to access a folder, then the tables and libraries are not listed in the Data category view.



Adding Tables Using SAS Visual Data Builder

SAS Visual Data Builder enables analysts and data administrators to perform data preparation for analytics. You can design queries to perform joins, add calculated columns, and subset and sort data. Several productivity features speed the creation of columns based on common aggregation functions.

Once you design your queries, you can reuse them as subqueries for more sophisticated queries, export them as jobs for scheduling, or schedule them directly from the user interface.


The application has data import features that enable you to access data from spreadsheets, delimited files, and SAS data sets. Once you import the data, you can prepare it for analysis or join it with existing data.

The application provides a series of features that you can use to extract and transform data from multiple sources and create new data tables.

To access SAS Visual Data Builder, select **Data** ⇒ **Tables**. Click  to start SAS Visual Data Builder. For more information about SAS Visual Data Builder, click  to access *SAS Visual Analytics: User's Guide* and videos about using SAS Visual Data Builder.

Add a Table That Is Registered in Metadata

If a data table has already been registered in the SAS Metadata Repository, you can add it to the list of data sources if the table was created with the BASE engine. To add a table:

1. Select **Data** ⇒ **Tables**.
2. Click  and select **Add Registered Table**. The Choose an Item window appears.
3. Select the table that you want to add, and click **OK**.

Register and Add New Tables


You can create new Base SAS libraries and register tables by using SAS Decision Manager. You can register only tables that were created with the BASE engine. To register new tables in the SAS Metadata Repository and add them to the list of data sources:

1. Select **Data** ⇒ **Tables**.
2. Click  and select **Register Tables**. The Register Tables window appears.

Note: You cannot use the **Register Tables** option to add a table that is already registered. You must select **Add Registered Table** instead. See “[Add a Table That Is Registered in Metadata](#)” on page 50.

3. Select an existing library, or create a new Base SAS library.



To use an existing library:

- a. Select **Use an existing library**.
- b. Click  and select the library.
- c. Click **Next**.

To create a new Base SAS library:

- a. Select **Create a new library**.
- b. Specify a name for the new library. The name cannot exceed 60 characters.
- c. (Optional) Specify a description for the library.
- d. Specify a libref. A *libref* is a name that SAS uses to refer to the library. Enter a unique name of eight characters or less.
- e. Specify the location for the new library. This location is the folder in the SAS Metadata Repository where the library is stored.
- f. Select the server and the directory where the data tables reside.
- g. Click **Next**.

Note: If you click **Cancel** at this point, a folder for the library is created in the SAS Metadata Repository, but the folder does not appear in the list of data tables.

4. Select the tables that you want to add to the library, and click  to add the tables to the **Selected tables** list. Click  to add all of the tables to the **Selected tables** list.
5. Click **Finish**.

Edit Table Properties and View Table Metadata

The **Properties** page displays table metadata. On this page, you can edit the data source name and description, and change the table associated with the data source name.

1. Select **Data** ⇌ **Tables**.
2. Double-click on the table whose properties you want to edit. The **Properties** page appears.

The **Properties** page displays table metadata such as the number of columns, the table location, and information about each column in the table.

HMEQ_Q4

Properties | Table View | Summary | Attachments | Comments

Data source name: HMEQ_Q4 Table name: HMEQ_Q4

Description: Description Type: Table



Library: hmeqref Date created: Jul 9, 2014 01:15 AM

Engine: BASE Columns: 13

Location: /Shared Data/Model Manager/Hmeq/HMEQ_Q4

Column Information

| Name | Type | Format | Length | Description |
|---------|------|--------|--------|-------------|
| BAD | NUM | | 8 | |
| LOAN | NUM | | 8 | |
| MORTDUE | NUM | | 8 | |
| VALUE | NUM | | 8 | |
| REASON | CHAR | | 7 | |
| JOB | CHAR | | 7 | |
| YOJ | NUM | | 8 | |
| DEROG | NUM | | 8 | |
| DELINQ | NUM | | 8 | |
| CLAGE | NUM | | 8 | |
| NINQ | NUM | | 8 | |
| CLNO | NUM | | 8 | |
| DEBTINC | NUM | | 8 | |

3. Edit the data source name and description, or click  to select a different table as the data source.
4. Click  to save the changes.

View Table Data

To view table data:

1. Select **Data** ⇒ **Tables**.
2. Double-click on the table that you want to view.
3. Select the **Table View** page.

On the **Table View** page, you can control the display by selecting specific columns in the **Columns** section. The **Column Information** section displays information about the currently selected column.

Columns

- ☒ BAD
- ☒ LOAN
- ☒ MORTDUE
- ☒ VALUE
- ☒ REASON
- ☒ JOB
- ☒ YOJ
- ☒ DEROG
- ☒ DELINQ

Column Information

| Attribute | Value |
|-----------|-------|
| Name | BAD |
| Label | |
| Length | 8 |
| Type | num |
| Format | |
| Informat | |
| Varnum | 1 |

Table View


Filter: None

| BAD | LOAN | MORTDUE | VALUE | REASON | JOB |
|-----|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 1100 | 4613.1563229 | 39025 | Homelmp | Other |
| 1 | 162.06479066 | 54374.03044 | 66177.01607 | Homelmp | Other |
| 1 | 1292.0169063 | 11615.734546 | 16700 | Homelmp | Other |
| 1 | 783.12678066 | . | . | | |
| 1 | 1700 | 52740.807781 | 59160.815393 | Homelmp | Office |
| 1 | 988.83395106 | 30548 | 5882.7308813 | Homelmp | Other |
| 1 | 1800 | 48649 | 38634.362586 | Homelmp | Other |
| 1 | 1800 | 28502 | 43034 | Homelmp | Other |
| 1 | 2000 | 32700 | 3372.1455416 | Homelmp | Other |
| 1 | 2000 | . | 42737.002789 | Homelmp | Sales |
| 1 | 1254.7035819 | 22608 | . | | |
| 1 | 211.53889327 | 20616.502098 | 7125.6648938 | Homelmp | Office |
| 1 | 684.99610605 | 45000 | 41420.135382 | Homelmp | Other |
| 0 | 577.27318563 | 53488.824759 | 87400 | | Mgr |
| 1 | 2100 | 71000 | 83850 | Homelmp | Other |
| 1 | 2200 | 20355.871352 | 287.75473736 | Homelmp | Other |
| 1 | 1386.5660014 | 7535.3038323 | 13209.702579 | Homelmp | Mgr |
| 1 | 2200 | 23030 | . | | |
| 1 | 2200 | 23030 | . | | |

To sort the table based on the values in a particular column, click on the column heading. If the column is sorted in ascending order, a ▲ appears beside the column heading. When the column is sorted in descending order, a ▼ appears.

Filter Data in the Table View

You can filter the rows that are shown on the **Table View** page in either of the following ways:

- Click  above the table. The Filter window appears. Enter a valid SQL expression, and click **Apply**.
- Right-click on a value in the table. SAS Decision Manager displays several predefined filter options. You can select any of these options. Depending on which option you select, you might be prompted to enter data values for the query.

| 123 PREDICT | 123 LOWER | 123 UPPER |
|--------------|--------------|-------------|
| 182.21998084 | 164.32439108 | 200.3155708 |
| 170.816178 | | |
| 153.0347508 | | |
| 152.4914248 | | |
| 197.3223767 | | |
| 155.953961 | | |
| 136.7234558 | | |
| 114.9761584 | | |
| 153.8052322 | | |

The expression that you enter is displayed above the data table, and the table is filtered accordingly.


| Filter: PREDICT between 150 and 175 AND _NAME_ contains "CA" | | | | |
|--|------------------|------------|--------------|--------------|
| 123 _NAME_ | 123 survey_da... | 123 ACTUAL | 123 PREDICT | 123 LOWER |
| CA_San_Diego | 01NOV2013 | . | 170.8161786 | 157.34128385 |
| CA_San_Franci.. | 01NOV2013 | . | 153.03475082 | 138.71581023 |

To clear the filter and display the entire table, click .

For more information about SQL expressions, see *SAS FedSQL Language Reference*.

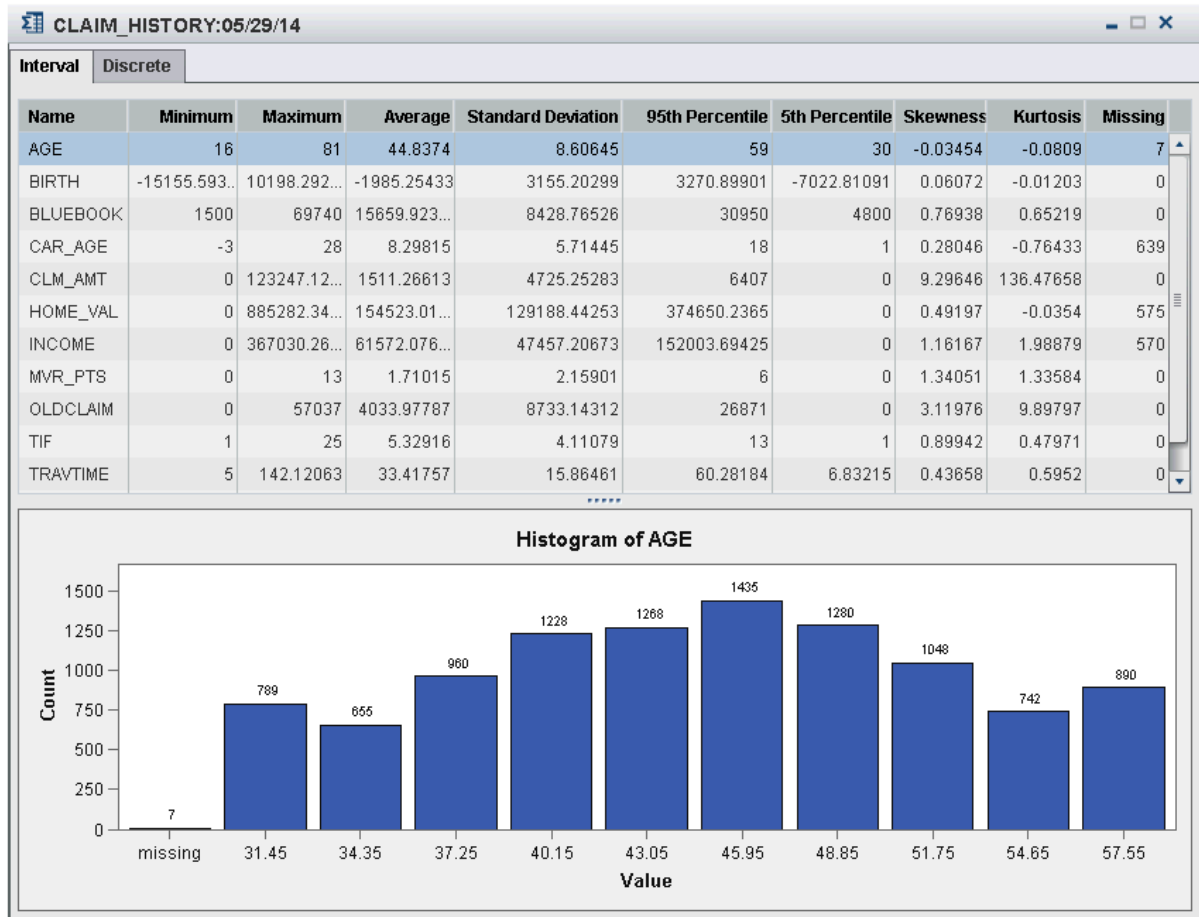
Create a New Table Summary

To create a new table summary:

1. Select **Data** ⇒ **Tables**.
2. Double-click on the table for which you want to add a summary.
3. Select the **Summary** page.
4. Click .
5. In the New Summary window, select the **Collection period** and the specific date or time values for the collection period that is represented by the data in the table.
Note: The **Collection period** is not used to filter the data.
6. (Optional) Specify a summary description.
7. Click **Run**. SAS Decision Manager runs a process to summarize the data and adds the new summary to the **Summary** page.

Double-click on the summary to open it.

The following display shows the **Summary** page for the Claim_History table. The collection period represented by the data in the table is 05/29/14.



Add Attachments to a Table

To add an attachment such as a document file or an image file:

1. Select the **Attachments** page.
2. Click **+**, and select the attachment file.
3. Click **Save**.

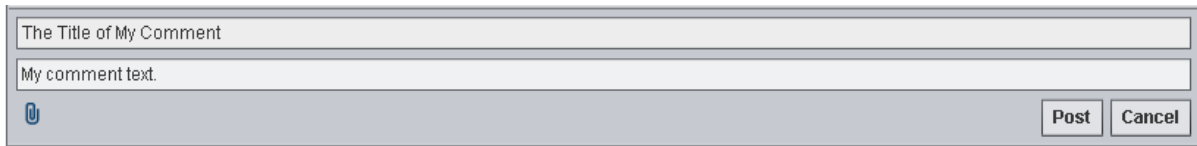
Note: You can delete an attachment by selecting the attachment and clicking **Delete**.


Add Comments to a Table

You can add new comments or reply to existing comments. To add a new comment:


1. Select the **Comments** page.

2. Enter a topic title and enter the comment. The topic title is required, and the field for comments does not appear until you enter the topic title.



3. (Optional) Click  to add an attachment such as an image or a document.
4. Click **Post**.


To reply to an existing comment, enter your reply in the field immediately below the topic title for the existing comment, and click **Post**.

Click  to see comments that have been posted by others.

To search for text in the comments, enter text in the search field at the top of the **Comments** page.


Delete a Table Summary

To delete a table summary:

1. Select **Data** ⇌ **Tables**.
2. Double-click on the table whose summary you want to delete.
3. Select the **Summary** page.
4. Select the summary that you want to delete.
5. Click .

Remove a Table

Removing a table from the list of data sources does not delete the table from file system. To remove a table from the list of data sources:

1. Select **Data** ⇌ **Tables**.
2. Select the table that you want to remove from the list.
3. Click .

Part 3

Working with Business Rules

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Managing Business Rule Folders


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About Business Rules Folders

Before you create any vocabularies, lookup tables, rule sets, or rule flows, you need to create business rules folders. Content that is related to business rules is stored in business rules folders.

Create New Top-Level Folders


To create a new top-level folder:

1. Click , and select **New Top-level Folder**.
2. In the New Folder window, enter the name of the new folder. Folder names are limited to 100 characters.
3. (Optional) Enter a description for the new folder. Descriptions are limited to 256 characters.
4. Click **OK**.

Create New Folders

To create a new folder within another folder:

1. Select the parent folder in which you want to create a new subfolder.

2. Click , and select **New Folder**.
3. In the New Folder window, enter the name of the new folder. Folder names are limited to 100 characters.
4. (Optional) Enter a description for the new folder. Descriptions are limited to 256 characters.
5. Click **OK**.

Rename a Folder

To rename a folder, right-click on the folder, and select **Rename**. Enter the new name, and click **OK**. Folder names are limited to 100 characters.

Move a Folder

To move a folder, right-click on the folder, and select **Move Folder**. Select a new location for the folder, and click **Move**.

Note: You cannot move a folder up to the level of a top-level folder. A folder cannot be moved into one of its own folders.

Delete a Folder

A folder must be empty before you can delete it. To delete a folder, right-click on the folder, and select **Delete**.

Chapter 6

Managing Vocabularies

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Introduction to Vocabularies, Entities, and Terms

Vocabularies, entities, and terms are the basic building blocks of a business rules database. Vocabularies contain entities, and entities contain terms.

| Object | Description |
|------------|---|
| Vocabulary | Vocabularies contain one or more business entities. Vocabularies enable you to categorize and structure the entities and terms needed to create a rules database. |
| Entity | An <i>entity</i> is an object in a business domain. For example, an entity could be Customer, Transaction, or Account. Entities contain terms. They group terms into logical units. Entities are not mapped to tables or to table columns when rules flows are published. |


| Object | Description |
|--------|---|
| Term | <p>A term is an attribute of an entity. For example, a customer entity might have terms such as name, address, and income. A transaction entity might contain terms for date, time, transaction amount, and account number. Terms are the objects with which you build business rules.</p> <p>A business rule can have <i>condition terms</i> and <i>action terms</i>. Suppose your rule is if balance>1000 then account="premium". The term balance is a condition term, and account is an action term.</p> <p>Terms are mapped to table columns by the applications that use published rule flows that are within metadata.</p> |

Tips for Creating Entities and Terms

- Before you define vocabulary entities and terms, review the structure of the tables that input values will come from. Vocabularies should be structured similarly to these tables to ensure that terms are mapped correctly to input columns. Coordinate your work with the groups that will be using the vocabulary. Coordination helps ensure that the vocabulary structure meets their requirements.
- Boolean data can be represented with terms that are defined either as Boolean data types or as Character data types. In some cases, Boolean values might be better represented by using terms defined as Character. For example, if your data already uses **yes** and **no** for Boolean data, then you probably want to use a Character term to process these values rather than try to translate those values to **true** and **false**.


Create a Vocabulary


To create a new vocabulary:

1. Select **Business Rules** ⇒ **Vocabularies**.
2. Right-click on the folder where you want to create the new vocabulary, and select **New Vocabulary**. Alternatively, you can select the folder, click , and then select **New Vocabulary**. The New Vocabulary window appears.
3. Enter the name of the new vocabulary. Vocabulary names can contain up to 32 characters and must be unique within an entire rules database. Vocabulary names are case insensitive. For example, SAS Decision Manager considers **name** to be equal to **NAME**.
4. (Optional) Enter a description for the new vocabulary. Descriptions are limited to 256 characters.
5. Click **OK**.

Create New Entities

To create a new entity from the Vocabulary category view:


1. Right-click on the vocabulary where you want to create the new entity, and select **New Entity**. Alternatively, you can select the vocabulary, click , and then select **New Entity**. The New Entity window appears.

Note: If you open a vocabulary, you can click  to create a new entity.

2. Enter the name of the new entity. Entity names can contain up to 32 characters and must be unique within a vocabulary. Entity names are case insensitive. For example, SAS Decision Manager considers **name** to be equal to **NAME**.
3. (Optional) Enter a description for the new entity. Descriptions are limited to 256 characters.
4. Click **OK**.

Create New Terms

To create a new term:

1. Right-click on the entity where you want to create the new term, and select **New Term**. Alternatively, you can select the entity, click , and then select **New Term**. The New Term window appears.

2. Enter the name of the new term. Term names can contain up to 32 characters and must be unique within a vocabulary. Term names are case insensitive. For example, SAS Decision Manager considers **name** to be equal to **NAME**.

Note: Do not use any of these operators or keywords as term names: AND, OR, IN, NOT, LIKE, TRUE, or FALSE. Do not use **_N_** or any DS2 reserved word as a term name. See “Reserved Words in the DS2 Language” in Chapter 20 of *SAS DS2 Language Reference* at <http://support.sas.com/documentation/onlinedoc/base/index.html>.


3. (Optional) Enter a description for the new term. Descriptions are limited to 256 characters.
4. Select the data type for the new term.
5. Select the domain type for the new term.
6. (Optional) Specify the domain values for the new term. Domain values are the set of expected values for a term. See “Specify Domain Values” on page 65 for more information.
7. (Optional) Select **Exclude from input** if you do not want the term to be mapped to a column in an input data set. (The application expects all terms to be mapped to columns in an input data set.)
8. (Optional) Select **Exclude from output** to exclude a term from the output data sets that are generated by rule flows.

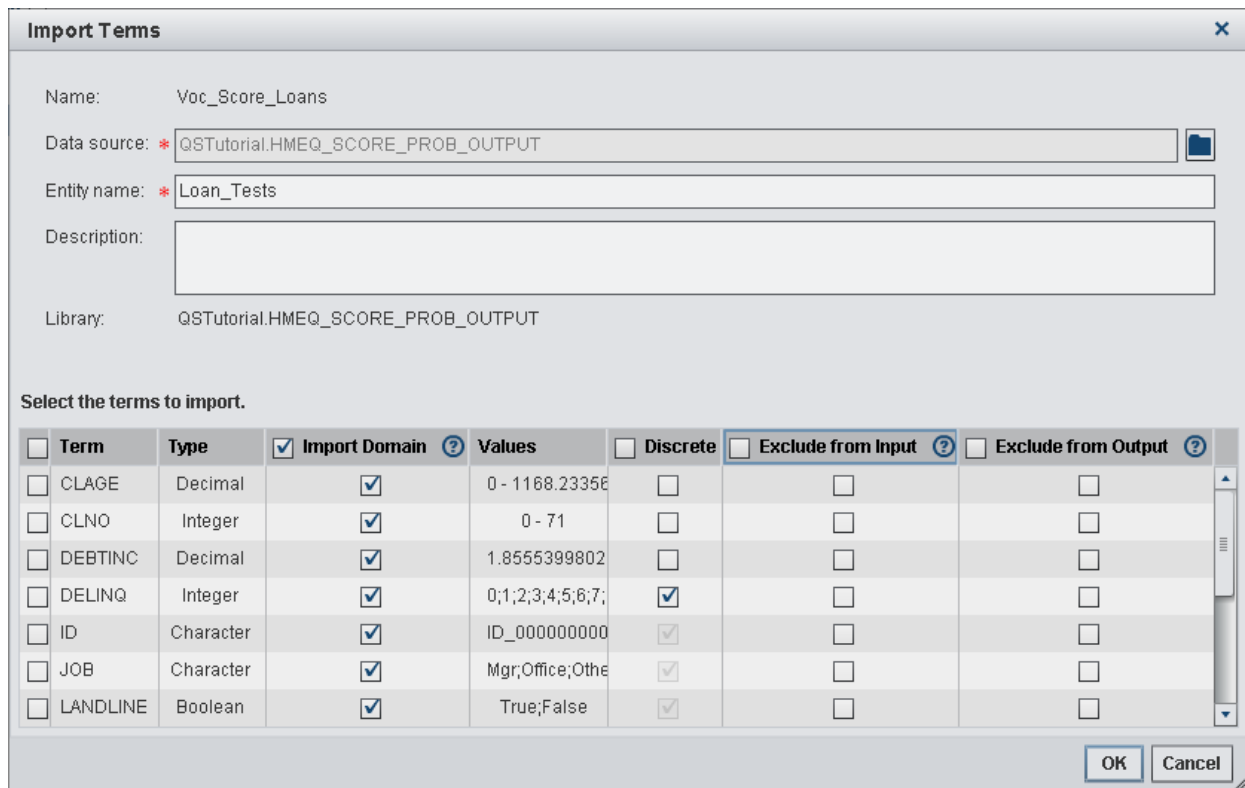
TIP To create a temporary term for use only while a rule flow is executing, select both **Exclude from input** and **Exclude from output**.

9. Click **OK**.

Import Terms from a Data Source

To import terms from a data source:

1. Create a new vocabulary or open an existing vocabulary. For information, see [“Create a Vocabulary” on page 62](#).
2. Click . The Import Terms window appears.
3. Select the data source from which you want to import terms. SAS Decision Manager displays the terms, their type, and domain information.



Import Terms

Name: Voc_Score_Loans

Data source: * QSTutorial.HMEQ_SCORE_PROB_OUTPUT

Entity name: * Loan_Tests

Description:

Library: QSTutorial.HMEQ_SCORE_PROB_OUTPUT

Select the terms to import.

| <input type="checkbox"/> Term | Type | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Import Domain ? | Values | <input type="checkbox"/> Discrete | <input type="checkbox"/> Exclude from Input ? | <input type="checkbox"/> Exclude from Output ? |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|---|------------------|-------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> CLAGE | Decimal | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 0 - 1168.23356 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> CLNO | Integer | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 0 - 71 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> DEBTINC | Decimal | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 1.8555399802 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> DELINQ | Integer | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 0;1;2;3;4;5;6;7; | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ID | Character | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | ID_000000000 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> JOB | Character | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Mgr;Office;Othe | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> LANDLINE | Boolean | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | True;False | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

OK Cancel

4. Enter the entity name where you want to add the terms.
5. (Optional) Enter a description for the entity.
6. Select the terms and domain values that you want to import.

TIP To select all of the items in a column, select the box beside the column heading.

7. Select the **Discrete** box for terms that have a discrete set of values. For more information, see [“Specify Domain Values” on page 65](#).
8. All of the imported terms are included in both the input and the output unless you exclude them. Select any terms that you want to exclude. See [Step 7](#) and [Step 8](#) of [“Create New Terms” on page 63](#) for more information.

9. Click **OK**.

Specify Domain Values

Domain values are the set of expected values for a term. Domain values are not used to validate rules. They are used to enable faster and easier rule authoring. They are displayed in the Expression Editor, which enables you to add a value to an expression by double-clicking on the value.

Domain values can include term or variable names. For continuous values, you can use the greater than (>), less than (<), and equal (=) signs to set limits for ranges. You cannot include a semi-colon (;) within a domain value. You do not need to enclose Character values in quotation marks unless the value itself contains an apostrophe (').

Separate individual domain values with a semi-colon (;).

Note: To enter continuous Date and Datetime values, enclose the values in single quotation marks, followed by a **d** or **dt** as shown in the following table.


The following table shows examples of domain values.

Table 6.1 Examples of Domain Values

| Data Type | Domain Type | Examples |
|-----------|---|---|
| Character | Discrete | high risk;low risk "d'oscail";"d'fhill" |
| | Continuous | >100;<=myterm |
| Decimal | Discrete | 3.14;12.98 |
| | Continuous | >1.25;<=N1 |
| Date | Discrete | 01jul2012;31jul2012 |
| | Continuous | >='01jan2013'd;<='31dec2013'd |
| Datetime | Discrete | 01jul2012:10:52:00;31jul2012:23:00:00 |
| | Continuous | <='01jul2012:00:00:00'dt;>'31jul2012:23:00:00'dt |
| Boolean | By default, Boolean values are set to True and False and cannot be changed. | |

Edit Existing Vocabularies, Entities, or Terms


To edit an existing object:

1. Right-click on the object that you want to edit, and select **Open**. Alternatively, you can select the object, and then click **Open** in the toolbar.
2. Edit the object's properties as needed.
3. Click .

Delete Vocabularies, Entities, or Terms


Note: You cannot delete a vocabulary, entity, or term if it is used in a rule set.



You can delete an object in one of two ways:

- Right-click on the object, and select **Delete**.
- Select the object, and click .

Search for Rule Sets by Term

To find all of the rule sets that use a specific term:

1. Select **Business Rules** ⇒ **Vocabularies**.
2. Select the term that you want to search for and click . The Search for Rule Sets window appears.

TIP You do not have to select a term before you click . You can click , and manually enter the term that you want to search for.

3. Select the usage that you want SAS Decision Manager to search for.

Anywhere

finds terms that are used as condition terms, action terms, or in expressions

As a condition term

finds terms that are used only as condition terms (terms that have been added to the column or row headings of the decision table)


As an action term

finds terms that are used only as action terms (terms that have been added to the column or row headings of the decision table)

In an expression

finds terms only when they are used in rule expressions

4. Click **Search**. If the search returns results, SAS Decision Manager displays all of the rule sets and versions in which it found the term.

To open one of the rule sets, select the rule set in the search results list, and click .

Search for Rule Sets

Term:

Income_Level

Display this term when used:

☒ Anywhere

☐ As a condition term

☐ As an action term

☐ In an expression

Search

Search Results

| Term Name | Rule Set Name | Version | Vocabulary | Location |
|--------------|-------------------|---------|------------------|------------------|
| Income_Level | Set_Income_Level | 1.1 | Voc_Retail_Loans | Retail_Loans/... |
| Income_Level | Set_Risk_Category | 1.1 | Voc_Retail_Loans | Retail_Loans/... |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |

Close

Note: If a term is referenced implicitly in an expression, then selecting **In an expression** and searching for that term does not find it. For example, if you enter the expression **+10** into the rule set editor for the term **myterm**, then the resulting expression for **myterm** is **=myterm+10**. Because the expression that you entered into the rule set editor did not explicitly reference **myterm**, the search was not successful.

Chapter 7

Using Lookup Tables And Functions

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About Lookup Tables and Functions

SAS Decision Manager provides the ability to import lookup tables and reference them from rules. Lookup tables are tables of key-value pairs. For example, you can use a lookup table to retrieve a part name based on the part code number or to retrieve the full name for a country based on its abbreviation.

You can import lookup data from comma-separated-values (CSV) files such as those created by Microsoft Excel into lookup tables in SAS Decision Manager. You can re-import updated CSV files as needed to refresh the lookup tables.

Figure 7.1 CSV File Imported Into SAS Decision Manager

| countryCodes.csv | |
|------------------|---------------|
| | A B |
| 1 | AU Australia |
| 2 | BR Brazil |
| 3 | CA Canada |
| 4 | CR Costa Rica |
| 5 | DK Denmark |
| 6 | EE Estonia |
| 7 | ES Spain |
| 8 | FR France |
| 9 | GL Greenland |
| 10 | HK Hong Kong |
| 11 | IN India |
| 12 | JP Japan |
| 13 | KE Kenya |

| Values | |
|--------|------------|
| Key | Value |
| AU | Australia |
| BR | Brazil |
| CA | Canada |
| CR | Costa Rica |
| DK | Denmark |
| EE | Estonia |
| ES | Spain |
| FR | France |
| GL | Greenland |
| HK | Hong Kong |

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In a lookup table, each *lookup key* is associated with a *lookup value*. Lookup keys must be unique within each lookup table. Lookup values are limited to 512 characters.

SAS Decision Manager provides two functions, `Lookup` and `LookupValue`, that enable you to determine whether a lookup key exists in a lookup table and to retrieve a lookup value from a lookup table.

Create a New Lookup Table


You create a new lookup table by importing a CSV file.

To create a new lookup table:

1. Select the **Lookups** category.
2. Right-click on the folder where you want to create the new lookup table, and select **New Lookup Table**. The New Lookup Table window appears.
3. Enter a name for the new lookup table. Names are limited to 32 characters and can contain only alphanumeric characters and underscores. Lookup table names must be unique within the business rules database. Lookup table names are case insensitive. For example, SAS Decision Manager considers **NAME** to be equal to **name**.
4. (Optional) Enter a description for the new lookup table. Descriptions are limited to 256 characters.
5. Click , and select the CSV file that contains the lookup data.
6. Click **OK**.

Refresh a Lookup Table


To refresh a lookup table:

1. Right-click on the lookup table that you want to refresh, and select **Refresh Lookup Table**. The Refresh Lookup Table window appears.
2. Click , and select the CSV file that contains the lookup data.
3. Click **OK**.

Delete a Lookup Table

Note: You cannot delete a lookup table if it is referenced in a rule.

To delete a lookup table:

1. Select the **Lookups** category.
2. Select the lookup table and click .

Copy a Lookup Table

To copy a lookup table:

1. Right-click on the lookup table, and select **Copy Lookup Table**. The Copy Lookup Table window appears.
2. Enter a name for the new lookup table. Names are limited to 32 characters and can contain only alphanumeric characters and underscores. Lookup table names must be unique within the business rules database. Lookup table names are case insensitive. For example, SAS Decision Manager considers **NAME** to be equal to **name**.
3. (Optional) Enter a description for the new lookup table. Descriptions are limited to 256 characters.
4. Click **OK**.

Move a Lookup Table

You cannot move a lookup table if it is open. To move a lookup table:

1. Right-click on the lookup table, and select **Move Lookup Table**. The Choose a Location window appears.
2. Select the folder where you want to move the lookup table, and click **Move**.

Verify Lookup Keys (Lookup Function)

You can use the Lookup function to verify that a key value exists in a lookup table. You can specify the Lookup function in condition expressions only. Specify the Lookup function as the expression for the term whose value is the lookup key that you want to search for. The syntax of the Lookup function is as follows:

Lookup ("lookup_table_name")

For *lookup_table_name*, specify the name of the lookup table that you want to search.

For example, if you want to verify that the value of the term Ctry_Key exists as a key value in the table Country_Codes, enter the Lookup function as the expression for the Ctry_Key term as shown in the following display.

| Condition Term | |
|----------------|--|
| # |  Ctry_Key |
| 1 | Lookup("Country_Codes") |

The Lookup function returns a value of **True** or **False**, depending on whether the key value exists in the lookup table. For example, suppose the Ctry_Key column in the current input record contains the value "CA". If the Country_Codes lookup table contains the lookup key "CA", then the expression shown in the display above evaluates to True.

Note: If an expression contains the Lookup function, then the expression cannot contain anything else.

Get Lookup Values (LookupValue Function)

You can use the LookupValue function to retrieve a lookup value from a lookup table. You can specify the LookupValue function in action expressions only. The syntax of the LookupValue function is as follows:

LookupValue ("lookup_table_name", term_or_string)

lookup_table_name


the name of the lookup table that you want to search.

term_or_string

a term or character string that specifies the lookup key for the value that you want to retrieve. Enclose character strings in quotation marks.

For example, suppose the term Ctry_Key contains a lookup key. To retrieve the lookup value that is associated with that key from the table Country_Codes, enter the following expression for the Ctry_Key term:

LookupValue('Country_Codes', Ctry_Key)

| Action Term | |
|--|--|
|  Country_Name | |
| | LookupValue("Country_Codes", Ctry_Key) |

The first few entries in the Country_Codes lookup table are shown below.

| Values | |
|--------|------------|
| Key | Value |
| AU | Australia |
| BR | Brazil |
| CA | Canada |
| CR | Costa Rica |

For example, suppose the Ctry_Key column in the current input record contains the value “CA”. The Country_Codes lookup table contains the lookup key “CA”, and the lookup value that corresponds to that key is “Canada”. The expression shown in the display above assigns the value “Canada” to the term Country_Name.

Note: If an expression contains the LookupValue function, then the expression cannot contain anything else.

Chapter 8

Managing Rules and Rule Sets

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About Rules, Rule Sets, and Expressions

A rule specifies conditions to be evaluated and actions to be taken if those conditions are satisfied. Rules are grouped together into rule sets. Rule sets are logical collections of rules that are grouped together because of interactions or dependencies between the rules or because they are processed together when they are published.

Most rules correspond to this form:



if condition_expressions then action_expressions

For example, suppose you have the following rule:





if customer_debt > customer_assets then app_status = "Decline"

In this case, **customer_debt** is a condition term, and **customer_debt > customer_assets** is a condition expression. The term **app_status** is an action term, and **app_status = "Decline"** is an action expression. To enter this rule into the decision table, you first need to add the terms **customer_debt** and **app_status** to the decision table, and then enter the expressions under the terms to which the expressions apply.

The following figure shows the rule set editor with this rule added to it:

| Condition Term | | | Action Term |
|----------------|----|--|---|
| # | |  customer_debt |  app_status |
| 1 | If | > customer_assets | = 'Decline' |

A single rule can have multiple terms, conditions, and actions. Multiple condition expressions within the same rule are joined together with the AND operand. For example, suppose you define the following rule in SAS Decision Manager:

| Condition Term | | | | Action Term | |
|----------------|----|--|---|---|--|
| # | |  HomeOwner |  Credit_Score |  Approved |  Loan_Rate |
| 1 | If | = True | > 700 | = True | = 4.5 |

SAS Decision Manager generates the following rule condition:

(HomeOwner = True) AND (Credit_Score > 700)

Action expressions are always assignment statements.

How Rules Are Evaluated and Rule-Fired Records

By default, the condition expressions for all rules in a rule set are evaluated sequentially regardless of the results of previous rules. However, you can use the ELSE and OR operators to control whether the condition expression for a rule is evaluated. See [“Controlling Which Conditions Are Evaluated” on page 80](#) for more information.

If a rule’s condition expression evaluates to True, SAS Decision Manager executes the rule’s action expression.

If a rule’s condition evaluates to True, the rule is said to have *fired*.

By default, every time a rule fires, it generates a rule-fired record. However, you can control when rule-fired records are generated by using the **Record rule-fired data** check box. See [Step 7 of “Add a New Rule” on page 77](#).

Note: A rule that does not have a condition expression does not generate a rule-fired record.

Create a New Rule Set

To create a new rule set:

1. Select **Business Rules** ⇒ **Rule Sets**.
2. Right-click on the folder where you want to create the new rule set, and select **New Rule Set**. The New Rule Set window appears.
3. Enter a name for the new rule set. Rule set names are limited to 100 characters and must be unique within a folder.
4. (Optional) Enter a description for the new rule set. Descriptions are limited to 256 characters.
5. Select the vocabulary that is associated with the new rule set.
6. Click **Create**. SAS Decision Manager opens the new rule set and displays the **Properties** page.


Defining New Rules in the Rule Set

Add a New Rule


1. Open the rule set where you want to add the new rule.
2. Select the **Rules** page.

The default view of a rule set is the horizontal view. In the horizontal view, the terms used by the rules are displayed across the top of the rule set editor, and the editor has one row for each rule in the rule set. To switch to the vertical view, select **Vertical** from the menu in the toolbar above the editor. In the vertical view, the terms used by

the rules are displayed in the left column, and the editor has one column for each rule in the rule set.

3. Click .
4. Add any additional terms that the new rule requires, and add expressions for the new rule in the table cells in the rule editor. See [“Define Expressions for a Rule” on page 78](#) for more information.
5. (Optional) Change the order of the new rule. The rule order, in addition to the IF, ELSE, or OR keyword (see [“Controlling Which Conditions Are Evaluated” on page 80](#)), controls how rules are evaluated within the rule set.

TIP You can also change the order of the rules later by right-clicking on a rule and selecting either **Reorder** or **Swap**. See [“Change the Order of Rules in a Rule Set” on page 90](#) for more information.

6. (Optional) Modify the name of the new rule on the **Rule Details** tab. Rule names are limited to 100 characters and must be unique within a rule set.
7. (Optional) Clear the **Record rule-fired data** check box on the **Rule Details** tab if you do not want a rule-fired record to be written each time this rule fires.
8. (Optional) Enter a description for the new rule on the **Rule Details** tab.
9. Click .

Define Expressions for a Rule

To define the expressions for a rule:


1. Add any additional terms to the rule set editor that the rule requires. You can add a single term in one of two ways:
 - Right-click on the term in the Vocabulary pane, and select either **Use as condition term** or **Use as action term**.
 - Drag the term from the Vocabulary pane onto a column in the rule set editor.

You can also add multiple terms at the same time.

- If the terms that you want to add to the table all belong to the same entity, you can add the entire entity to the table in the same way that you add a single term. Note that an entity can contain dozens of terms, and you cannot undo this operation after you have added the terms. You must delete terms one at a time.
- If the terms do not all belong to the same entity, select the terms and drag them onto the table, or use the pop-up menu as you would for a single term. To select a consecutive set of terms, click on the first term, hold down the Shift key, and click on the last term. To select nonconsecutive terms, hold down the Ctrl key, and click on each term that you want to select.

For example, if your rule is **If balance < 100 then risk = "high"**, the condition term is **balance** and the action term is **risk**.

TIP By default, terms are listed in the table in alphabetical order. You can reorder the terms by dragging the terms in the column or row headings.

TIP You can add new entities and terms by clicking  in the Vocabularies pane. You can also edit existing entities and terms by right-clicking on the entity or term and selecting the appropriate option. See [“Create New Entities” on page 63](#) and [“Create New Terms” on page 63](#) for more information.


2. (Optional) Select the operator for the rule. The default operator is IF. See [“Controlling Which Conditions Are Evaluated” on page 80](#) for more information.
3. For each term that is used in the new rule, specify the expression that applies to that term in the row or column for the new rule. For example, if the rule is **if balance < 100 then risk = "high"**, the expression for **balance** is **< 100**, and the expression for **risk** is **= "high"**.

Expressions can be up to 1024 characters long. They can contain numeric constants, character strings, vocabulary terms, operators, and SAS DS2 functions.




Condition expressions can contain the LOOKUP function, and action expressions can contain the LOOKUPVALUE function. However, if the expression contains the LOOKUP or LOOKUPVALUE function, then the expression cannot contain anything else.

TIP A rule that does not have a condition expression always executes.

TIP If a rule has been assigned the IF operator and a condition expression but it does not have an action expression, the condition expression is evaluated, but no action is taken. (See [“Controlling Which Conditions Are Evaluated” on page 80](#) for information about the IF operator.)

You can enter expressions directly into the decision table, or you can use the Expression Editor to create and edit expressions. To open the Expression Editor, click in the table cell, and select .

As you enter expressions into each cell, SAS Decision Manager displays the rule conditions and actions, including the operators and term names that are added by SAS Decision Manager, on the **Rule Details** tab. (See [“Terms and Operators Added by SAS Decision Manager” on page 87](#).) For example, suppose you enter the following rule in the editor:


| Condition Term | | Action Term |
|---|---|--|
|  Credit_Score |  Down_Payment |  Risk_Category |
| >= 720 AND <750 | >= 20 | = 'Medium' |

SAS Decision Manager displays the following expressions on the **Rule Details** tab.

Condition: (Down_Payment < 20) AND (Credit_Score >= 720 and Credit_Score < 750)
 Action: Risk_Category = 'Medium'

For more information about entering expressions, see the following topics:



- [“Using the Expression Editor” on page 81](#)
- [“Punctuation for Data Values” on page 84](#)
- [“Operators for Use in Expressions” on page 85](#)
- [“Using the LIKE Operator” on page 86](#)
- [“Verify Lookup Keys \(Lookup Function\)” on page 72](#)
- [“Get Lookup Values \(LookupValue Function\)” on page 72](#)
- [“Using Functions in Expressions” on page 87](#)
- [“Working with Missing Values” on page 87](#)
- [“Terms and Operators Added by SAS Decision Manager” on page 87](#)
- [“Examples of Expressions” on page 88](#)

- Click  to save the rule set. SAS Decision Manager validates the syntax of the expressions. If it does not detect any problems, it saves the rule set. See [“Validate the Expressions in a Rule Set” on page 90](#) for more information.

Controlling Which Conditions Are Evaluated


You add conditional processing within a rule set by using the IF, ELSE, and OR operators. By default, rules are assigned the keyword IF, which means that the rule’s condition is evaluated regardless of the results of previous rules. You can change this outcome by changing the operator for a rule to ELSE or OR.

If you set a rule’s operator to ELSE, then the rule’s condition is evaluated only if the previous rule’s condition evaluated to false. For example, given the rule set shown the following display, if Order_Quantity is 12, the condition for rule 1 evaluates to false, the condition for rule 2 evaluates to true. Therefore, the action for rule 2 is executed. The conditions for rules 3 and 4 are not evaluated.


| | | Condition Term | Action Term |
|---|------|--|---|
| # | |  Order_Quantity |  Offer_Percent |
| 1 | If | <= 5 | = 5 |
| 2 | Else | >= 10 AND <= 15 | = 10 |
| 3 | Else | >= 20 AND <= 25 | = 15 |
| 4 | Else | >= 30 | = 20 |

Use the OR operator to break up very long condition expressions into multiple condition expressions and to execute the same action expression for each of the conditions. If you assign the OR operator to a rule, then you cannot enter an action expression for the rule. If any of the conditions evaluate to true, SAS Decision Manager executes the action of the last rule that was assigned the IF or ELSE operator. When you have several consecutive rules that are all assigned the OR operator, only the action for the first rule whose condition evaluates to true is executed. The conditions for the remaining consecutive OR rules are not evaluated.

For example, suppose you have a very long condition expression such as the one shown in the following display.

| | | Condition Term |
|---|----|--|
| # | |  Order_Quantity |
| 1 | If | <=5 OR (Order_Quantity >=10 AND Order_Quantity <=15) OR (Order_Quantity >=20 AND Order_Quantity <=25) OR (Order_Quantity >=30) |

As shown in the next display, you can break this expression into four different rules and use the OR operator, which makes the rule much easier to read and edit.

| | | Condition Term |
|---|----|--|
| # | |  Order_Quantity |
| 1 | If | <= 5 |
| 2 | Or | >= 10 AND <= 15 |
| 3 | Or | >= 20 AND <= 25 |
| 4 | Or | >= 30 |

For example, in the following rule set, rules 1 through 4 use the action expression that is defined for rule 1. Rules 5 through 7 use the action expression that is defined for rule 5.

Display 8.1 Rule Set That Defines Seven Rules in Two IF Blocks


| | | Condition Term | Action Term | |
|---|----|------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| # | | ⑩ Order_Quantity | ⑪ Direct_Mail... | ⑫ Offer_Percent |
| 1 | If | <=5 | = False | =5 |
| 2 | Or | >= 10 AND <= 15 | | |
| 3 | Or | >= 20 AND <= 25 | | |
| 4 | Or | >= 30 | | |
| 5 | If | >= 6 AND <= 9 | = True | = 10 |
| 6 | Or | >= 16 AND <= 19 | | |
| 7 | Or | >= 26 AND <= 29 | | |

An IF block is a series of rules that begins with an IF operator and extends up to but does not include the next IF operator. In the rule set shown in [Display 8.1 on page 81](#), rules 1 to 4 are an IF block and rules 5 to 7 are a second IF block.

Note: A rule that does not have a condition expression must be the last rule in an IF block.

Using the Expression Editor

Open the Expression Editor

To open the Expression Editor, click in a cell in the rule set editor, and click .

The **Lookup** tab is available only for condition terms, and the **Lookup Value** tab is available only for action terms. Buttons for some of the operators might be disabled depending on the data type of the term, and because action expressions can be assignment expressions only.

Display 8.2 Expression Tab for an Action Term

Rule 4 : Risk_Level

Expression | **Lookup Value**

=High'

+ - * / = ^= < > AND OR () LIKE LIKE ("","") IN NOT IN

Vocabulary

- Voc_Retail_Loans
 - Customer
 - Adjusted_Income
 - Equity_Balance
 - Income_Level
 - Months_At_Current_Job
 - Name
 - Revolving_CC_Balance
 - Spousal_Income
 - Total_Income
 - Yearly_Income

Domain values

High
Medium
Low

Validate OK Cancel

Build an Expression in the Expression Editor

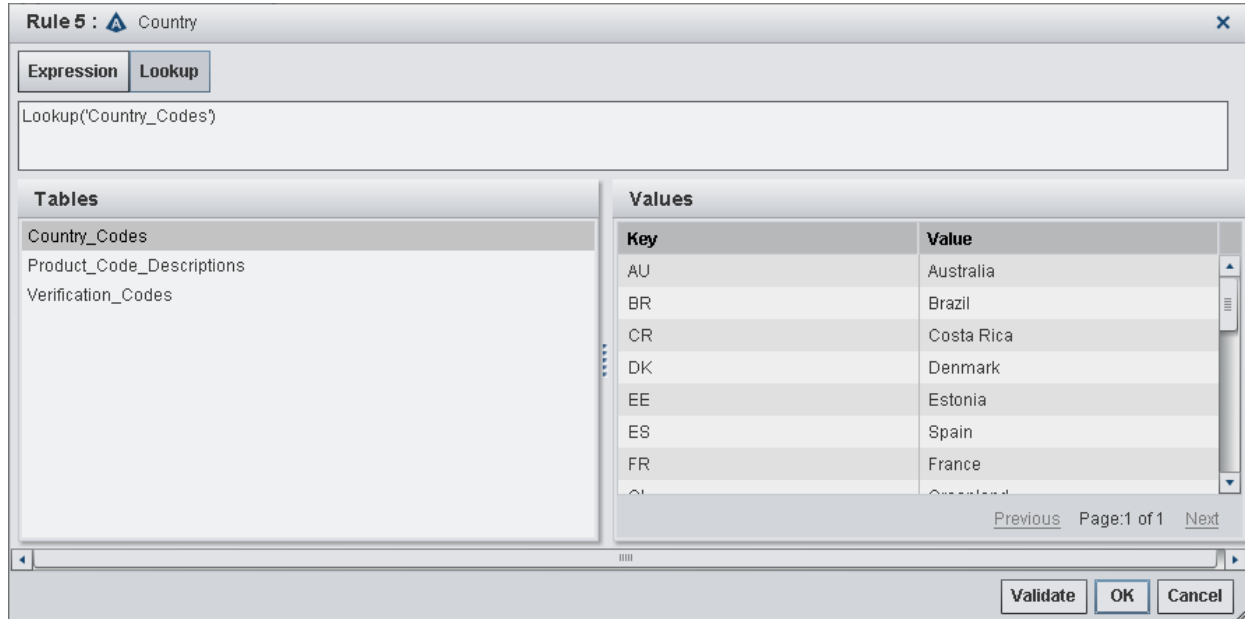
To define expressions that do not use the LOOKUP or LOOKUPVALUE functions, enter the expression on the **Expression** tab. Click on the operators, vocabulary terms, and domain values as needed to add them to the expression. The Expression Editor builds the expression in the top field. To add date constants to the expression, click . To add numeric constants, character strings, or functions to the expression, enter them directly into the top field. (Remember to use the correct punctuation. See [“Punctuation for Data Values” on page 84.](#)) When you are finished, click **OK**. The Expression Editor validates the syntax of the expression. If the editor does not find any problems, it adds the expression to the cell in the table where you opened the editor. You can click **Validate** at any time to check the syntax of the expression that you are building.

To build an expression that uses the LOOKUP or LOOKUPVALUE functions, switch to the **Lookup** or **LookupValue** tabs. You can enter the LOOKUP function in condition expressions only, and you can enter the LOOKUPVALUE function in action expressions only. See [“Specify the LOOKUP Function in the Expression Editor” on page 83](#) and [“Specify the LOOKUPVALUE Function in the Expression Editor” on page 83](#) for more information.

Specify the LOOKUP Function in the Expression Editor

To use the Expression Editor to enter the LOOKUP function, click the **Lookup** tab. Double-click on the lookup table name that you want to specify in the function call and click **OK**.

Display 8.3 Lookup Tab in the Expression Editor



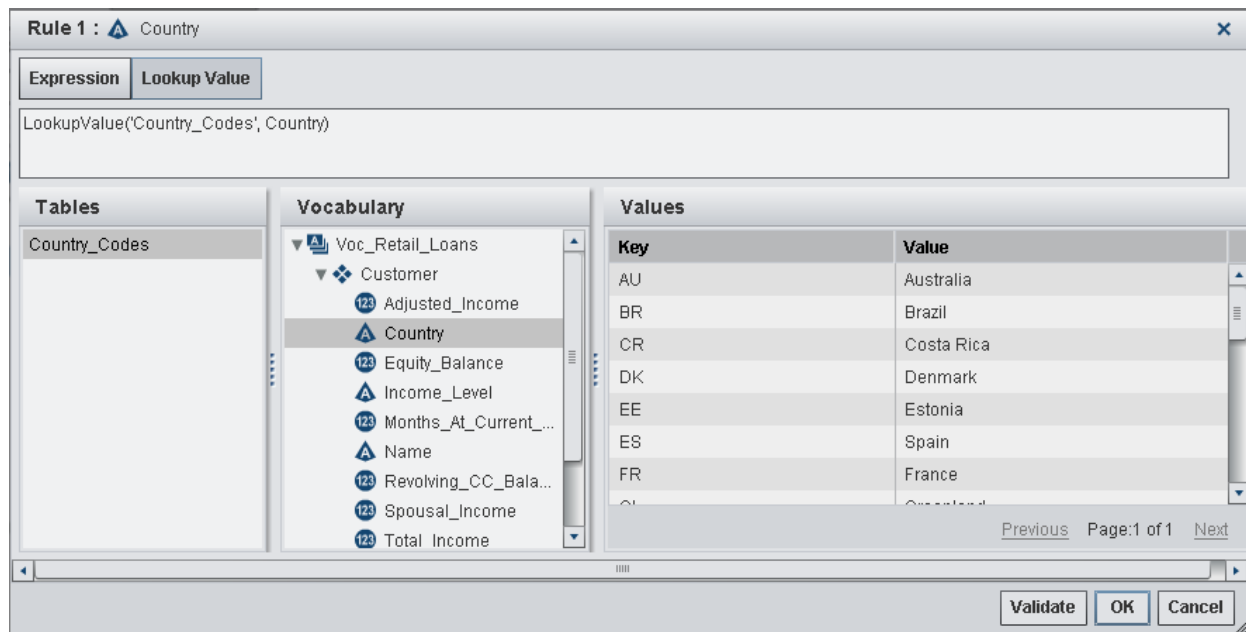
For more information, see [“Verify Lookup Keys \(Lookup Function\)”](#) on page 72.

Specify the LOOKUPVALUE Function in the Expression Editor

To use the Expression Editor to enter the LOOKUPVALUE function:

1. Click the **LookupValue** tab.
2. Double-click on the lookup table name.
3. Specify the term name or the character string that contains the lookup key value. To specify a term, double-click on the term in the **Vocabulary** column. To specify a character string as the lookup key value, enter the character string in the field at the top of the **LookupValue** tab. Enclose the string in quotation marks.
4. (Optional) Click **Validate** to check the syntax of the expression.
5. Click **OK**.

For more information, see [“Get Lookup Values \(LookupValue Function\)”](#) on page 72.

Display 8.4 LookupValue Tab in the Expression Editor

Punctuation for Data Values

Values for some data types might need to be enclosed in quotation marks, as shown in the following table. Date and Datetime values must be followed with **d** and **dt**, respectively.

Table 8.1 Punctuation Needed for Data Values

| Data Type | Punctuation Needed | Example |
|-----------|--|---|
| Character | Enclose character strings in either single or double quotation marks. | <code>= 'Gold Account'</code> <code>= "Ineligible"</code> <code>= "d'oscail"</code> |
| Date | Enter Date values by using the format DDMMYYYY. Enclose each value in quotation marks followed by d . | <code>= '01SEP2012'd</code> <code>>= '31SEP2012'd</code> |
| Datetime | Enter Datetime values by using the format DDMMYYYY:HH:MM:SS. Use 24-hour clock notation. Enclose each value in quotation marks followed by dt . | <code>= '01SEP2012:15:00:00'dt</code> <code><= '31SEP2012:15:00:00'dt</code> |
| Boolean | Boolean values do not need to be enclosed in quotation marks. Enter only True or False . | <code>= True</code> <code>= False</code> |

Operators for Use in Expressions

The following table lists the operators that you can use in an expression. Do not enter a space between the elements of the operators `<=`, `>=`, or `^=`. See “SAS Operators in Expressions” in Chapter 6 of *SAS Language Reference: Concepts* for more information about the operators shown in the table.

Table 8.2 Operators

| Operator | Definition | Example |
|--|--|--|
| <code>*</code> | Multiply | <code>0.085 * sales</code> |
| <code>/</code> | Divide | <code>amount / 5</code> |
| <code>+</code> | Add | <code>num + 3</code> |
| <code>-</code> | Subtract | <code>sale - discount</code> |
| <code>=</code> | Equal to | <code>= maxTriesAllowed</code> |
| <code>+value</code> | Leading plus* | <code>+60</code> |
| <code>-value</code> | Leading minus* | <code>-15</code> |
| <code>^=</code> | Not equal to | <code>insufficientFunds ^= True</code> |
| <code>></code> | Greater than | <code>daysLate > 5</code> |
| <code><</code> | Less than | <code>num < 8</code> |
| <code>>=</code> | Greater than or equal to | <code>balance >= 1000</code> |
| <code><=</code> | Less than or equal to | <code>balance <= 250</code> |
| <code>IN (value-list)</code> | Equal to an item in <i>value-list</i> | <code>in ('high','medium','low')</code> |
| <code>NOT IN (value-list)</code> | Not equal to an item in <i>value-list</i> | <code>not in (10,20,30)</code> |
| <code>LIKE 'pattern-matching-expression'</code> <code>LIKE ('pattern-matching-expression','pattern-matching-expression')</code> | If the term's value matches <i>pattern-matching-expression</i> , the result is true. | <code>like 'HS%PP'</code> <code>like ('_976%','_223%')</code> |
| <code>expression AND expression</code> | If both expressions are true, the result is true. | <code>dateExpired >= '01AUG2012'd AND dateExpired <= '31AUG2012'd</code> |
| <code>expression OR expression</code> | If either expression is true, the result is true. | <code>dateEnrolled >= '01JAN2012' OR member = True</code> |

* The application supports leading plus (+) and minus (-) operators in action expressions only.

Using the LIKE Operator

The LIKE operator determines whether the value of a term matches a pattern-matching expression. The syntax of an expression that uses the LIKE operator is as follows:

LIKE 'pattern-matching-expression'

LIKE ('pattern-matching-expression'<,'pattern-matching-expression'>)

If a term's value matches the pattern that is specified by *pattern-matching-expression*, the expression evaluates to true (1). Otherwise, the expression evaluates to false (0).



There are three classes of pattern-matching characters.

Table 8.3 Pattern-Matching Characters

| Character | Description |
|---------------------|--|
| underscore (_) | Matches any single character |
| percent sign (%) | Matches any sequence of zero or more characters <i>Note:</i> Be aware of the effect of trailing blanks. To match values, you might have to use the TRIM function to remove trailing blanks. |
| any other character | Matches that character |

The LIKE expression is case sensitive. To search for mixed-case strings, use the UPCASE function to create an upper case version of the term that you want to search. You can use a temporary term to store the results of the UPCASE function. (See [Step 8](#) of “Create New Terms” on page 63.) Use the LIKE operator to search the upper case version of the term.

For example, you can search the term part_Number for mixed-case strings that begin with HS and end with PP by using the two rules shown in the following display.

| | | Condition Term | Action Term |
|---|----|--|--|
| # | |  tempTerm |  tempTerm |
| 1 | If | | =upcase(part_Number) |
| 2 | If | like('HS%PP') | |

The following table shows examples of the matches that result if you search a term that could have these values: Smith, Smooth, Smothers, Smart, Smuggle.

Table 8.4 Examples of LIKE Expressions

| LIKE Expression Example | Matching Results |
|-------------------------|---|
| like 'Sm%' | Smith, Smooth, Smothers, Smart, Smuggle |

| LIKE Expression Example | Matching Results |
|-------------------------|------------------|
| like '%th' | Smith, Smooth |
| like 'S__gg%' | Smuggle |
| like 'S_o' | (no matches) |
| like 'S_o%' | Smooth, Smothers |
| like 'S%th' | Smith, Smooth |

Using Functions in Expressions

SAS Decision Manager supports the following functions in rule expressions:

- LOOKUP and LOOKUPVALUE functions. See “Verify Lookup Keys (Lookup Function)” on page 72 and “Get Lookup Values (LookupValue Function)” on page 72 for more information.
- SAS DS2 functions. For information about these functions, see *SAS DS2 Language Reference* at <http://support.sas.com/documentation/onlinedoc/brm/index.html>.

Working with Missing Values

You can enter a missing value for a character string as a null string (=""), and you can use a period (=.) to designate missing numeric values.

Missing values have a value of **false** when you use them with logical operators such as AND or OR. For more information, see Chapter 5, “Missing Values,” in *SAS Language Reference: Concepts*.

You can also use the MISSING function to check for missing values. This function returns a 0 (false) or 1 (true). For more information, see *SAS Functions and CALL Routines: Reference*.

Terms and Operators Added by SAS Decision Manager

As you enter expressions into each cell, SAS Decision Manager displays the rule conditions and actions on the **Rule Details** tab. The operators and term names that are added by SAS Decision Manager are also displayed. Remember these rules when you are entering expressions:

- If you do not specify an operator at the beginning of an expression, SAS Decision Manager adds an equal sign to the beginning of the expression. For example, if you enter **5+x** for an expression, the expression resolves to **=5+x**.
- When an AND or OR operator is followed immediately by another operator in a condition expression, SAS Decision Manager inserts the condition term between the AND or OR operator and the operator that follows it. For example, if you enter **>5 and <10 for myterm**, the expression resolves to **myterm>5 and myterm<10**. SAS Decision Manager inserts the term for top-level AND or OR operators in condition expressions only. It does not insert the term with nested AND or OR operators or in action expressions.

Examples of Expressions

The following table shows examples of expressions that you can specify.

Table 8.5 Examples of Expressions

| Expression As Entered Into the Decision Table For Term X | Resulting Expression | Valid as a Condition Expression | Valid as an Action Expression |
|--|---|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 5 | <code>x=5</code> | Yes | Yes |
| <code>=5</code> | <code>x=5</code> | Yes | Yes |
| <code>+10</code> | <code>x=x+10</code> | No See Note 7 . | Yes |
| <code>"mystring"</code> | <code>x="mystring"</code> | Yes | Yes |
| <code>=term1</code> | <code>x=term1</code> | Yes | Yes |
| <code>5 or >100</code> | <code>x=5 or x>100</code> | Yes | No See Note 1 . |
| <code>^=5 and x<10</code> | <code>x^=5 and x<10</code> | Yes | No See Note 1 . |
| <code>^=5 or >=(100/4)</code> | <code>x^=5 or x>=(100/4)</code> | Yes | No See Note 1 . |
| <code>in (10,20,30)</code> | <code>x IN (10,20,30)</code> | Yes | No See Note 1 . |
| <code>not in ('med','high')</code> | <code>x NOT IN ('MED','HIGH')</code> | Yes | No See Note 1 . |
| <code>rate in ('med','high')</code> | <code>x = rate in ('med','high')</code> | Yes | Yes See Note 8 . |
| <code>like ('M77__LL%','MA89_LL%')</code> | <code>x LIKE ('M77__LL%','MA89_LL%')</code> | Yes | No See Note 1 . |
| <code><'10JUN2012'd</code> | <code>x<'10JUN2012'd</code> | Yes | No See Note 1 . |
| <code>>'10JUN2012:17:00:00'dt</code> | <code>x>'10JUN2012:17:00:00'dt</code> | Yes | No See Note 1 . |
| <code>=ABS (-10)</code> | <code>x=ABS (-10)</code> | Yes | Yes |


| Expression As Entered Into the Decision Table For Term X | Resulting Expression | Valid as a Condition Expression | Valid as an Action Expression |
|--|--|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <code>=True</code> | <code>x=True</code> | Yes | Yes |
| <code>False</code> | <code>x=False</code> | Yes | Yes |
| <code>&myMacroVar</code> | <code>x=&myMacroVar</code> | Yes See Note 2 . | Yes See Note 2 . |
| <code>%EVAL (&myMacroVar)</code> | <code>x=%EVAL (&myMacroVar)</code> | Yes See Note 2 . | Yes See Note 2 . |
| <code>term1=5</code> | <code>x=term1=5</code> | Yes See Note 3 . | Yes See Note 4 . |
| <code>term1=3 or term2=5</code> | <code>x=term1=3 or term2=5</code> | Yes See Note 5 . | Yes See Note 6 . |
| <code>5 or (x>10 and <20)</code> | This expression is invalid as both a condition expression and as an action expression. SAS Decision Manager does not add column names after nested AND or OR operators. | | |
| <code>>"mystring"</code> | This expression is invalid as both a condition expression and as an action expression. SAS Decision Manager checks whether literal types are compatible with the specified operators. Character strings are not compatible with numeric operators. | | |

Notes:

1. Action expressions must be assignment expressions only.
2. SAS Decision Manager validates macro functions and variables based only on whether the syntax is correct. It does not check to determine whether a macro function or variable will be accessible when the rule set is executed. Macro support in expressions is controlled by a configuration property in SAS Management Console. See "Support macros in rule expressions" in Chapter 3 of *SAS Decision Manager: Administrator's Guide* for more information.
3. This expression is valid. However, it should be avoided. As a condition statement, this expression checks to determine whether both **x** and **term1** are equal to 5. The recommended way to enter this expression is `=5 and term1=5`.
4. As an action expression, this expression becomes a Boolean assignment statement. This expression determines whether **term1** is equal to 5, and if so, assigns a value of 1 (true) to **x**. If not, it assigns a value of 0 (false) to **x**.
5. This expression is valid. However, it should be avoided. As a condition statement, this expression checks to determine whether both **x** and **term1** are equal to 3 or whether **term2** is equal to 5. The recommended way to enter this expression is `(=5 or term1=3) or term2=5`.
6. As an action expression, this expression becomes a Boolean assignment statement. This expression determines whether either **term1** is equal to 3 or **term2** is equal to 5, and if so, assigns a value of 1 (true) to **x**. If not, it assigns a value of 0 (false) to **x**.

7. Leading plus (+) and minus (-) operators are valid in action expressions only.
8. As an action expression, this expression becomes a Boolean assignment statement. The expression determines whether **rate** is equal to **high** or **low**, and if so, assigns a value of value of 1 (true) to **x**. If not, it assigns a value of 0 (false) to **x**.

Validate the Expressions in a Rule Set

When you save a rule set, SAS Decision Manager checks whether the syntax in the expressions is valid, and if so, saves the rule set. However, you can click  to check the syntax of rule expressions at any time.

SAS Decision Manager does not check whether the results produced by the expressions are of the correct data type for the terms to which the expressions apply. Also, when domain values are defined for a term, SAS Decision Manager does not check whether the values that are assigned to the term are included in the list of domain values.

Change the Order of Rules in a Rule Set

There are two ways to change the order of the rules in a rule set. You can move a single rule to a new position, and SAS Decision Manager adjusts the position of the remaining rules in the rule set. Alternatively, you can swap the position of two rules, and SAS Decision Manager leaves the remaining rules in their original positions.

Move a Rule to a New Position in a Rule Set

Note: If you move a rule that uses the ELSE or OR operator to position 1, the operator is changed to IF.

There are two ways to move a rule to a new position:

- Drag the rule to the new position.
- Use the **Reorder** menu selection.

To use the **Reorder** menu selection to move a rule:

1. Right-click on the rule that you want to move and select **Reorder**. The Reorder the Rule window appears.
2. Select the new position number for the rule.
3. Click **OK**. SAS Decision Manager moves the rule to the new position and repositions the remaining rules up or down as needed.

Swap Two Rules

Note: If you move a rule that uses the ELSE or OR operator to position 1, the operator is changed to IF.

To swap the position of two rules:

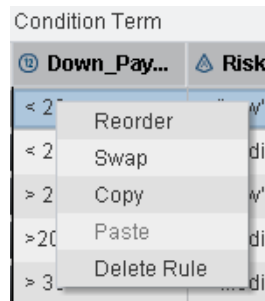
1. Right-click on one of the rules that you want to move and select **Swap**. The Swap the Rule window appears.
2. Select the position number for the second rule that you want to move.
3. Click **OK**. SAS Decision Manager swaps the positions of the two rules and leaves all other rules in their original positions.

Copy Rules and Expressions

Copy an Entire Rule

To copy and paste an entire rule:

1. Right-click on the rule that you want to copy and select **Copy**.

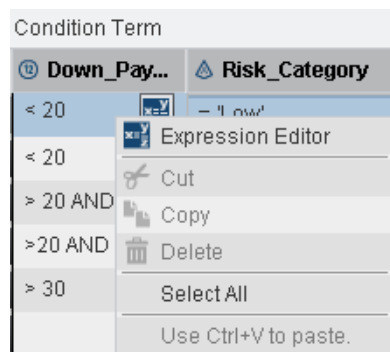


2. Right-click in the table, and select **Paste**. SAS Decision Manager adds the copied rule as the last rule in the rule set. You can then edit or reorder the new rule as needed.

Copy Text within a Rule

To copy and paste an expression or part of an expression:

1. Click in the table cell that contains the text that you want to copy.
2. Select the text that you want to copy. To select all of the text in a cell, right-click and select **Select All**.
3. Right-click on the text and select **Copy**.




4. Click in the cell where you want to paste the text and press Ctrl+V.

Delete Rules and Expressions

Delete a Rule

You can delete a rule in one of two ways:

- Click on the rule that you want to delete and click .
- Right-click on the rule and select **Delete Rule**.

Cut and Paste Text within a Rule

To cut and paste an expression or part of an expression:

1. Select the cell in the decision table containing the text that you want to cut.
2. Select the text that you want to cut. To select all of the text in a cell, right-click and select **Select All**.
3. Right-click in the cell and select **Cut**.
4. To paste the text, click in the cell where you want to paste the text, and press Ctrl+V.


Edit the Properties of a Rule Set

To edit the properties of a rule set, open the rule set and select the **Properties** page. You can edit the name and description. If the rule set is empty, you can change the vocabulary that is associated with the rule set. If any rules have been defined for the rule set, you cannot change the vocabulary.

The **Rule Set Logic** section of the properties page displays all of the rules in the rule set and includes the operators and term names that have been added by SAS Decision Manager.

Edit the Properties of a Rule

To edit the properties of a rule:

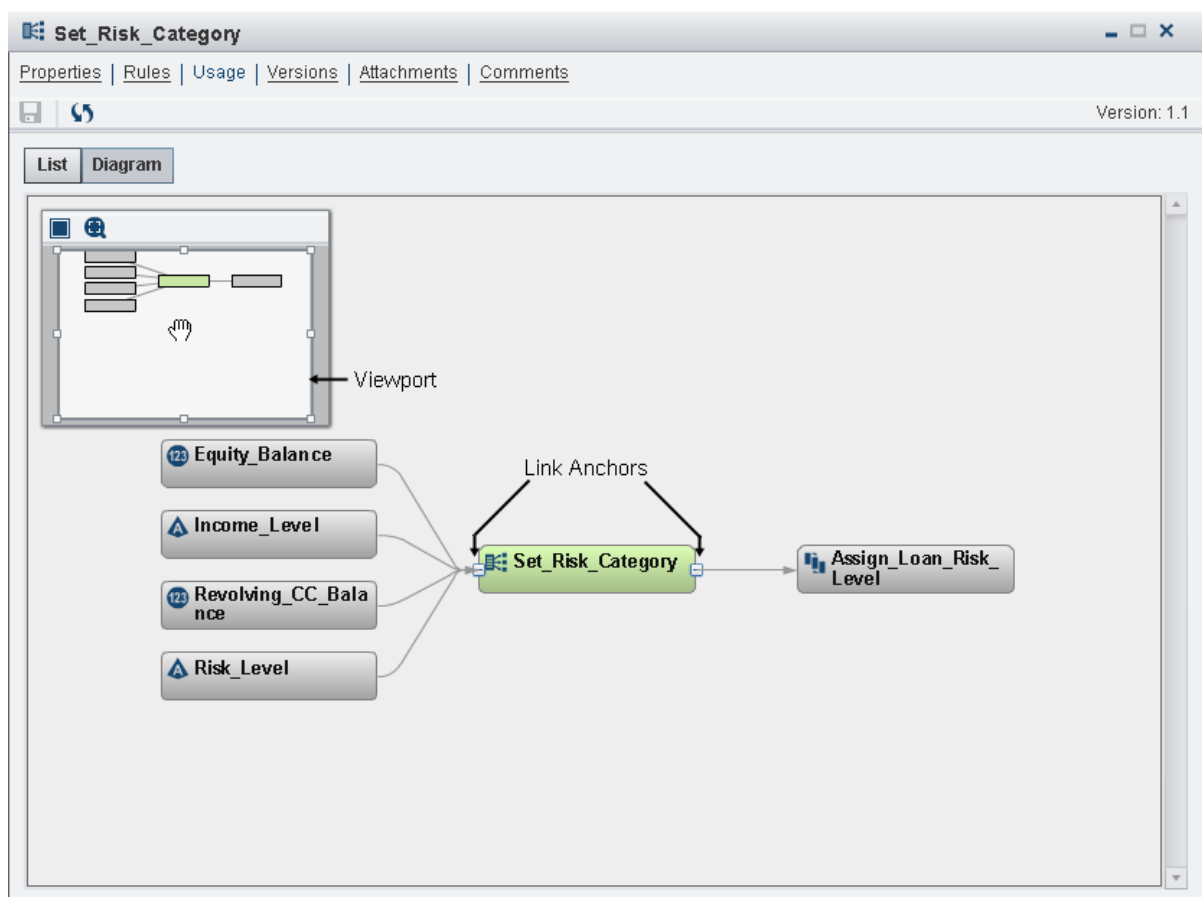
1. Open the rule set that contains the rule, and select the **Rules** page.
2. Select the rule.
3. Edit the properties as needed. You can edit the name, edit the description, or select whether rule-fired data is recorded for the rule.
4. Click .

Display Usage Information for a Rule Set

To display usage information for a rule set, select the **Usage** page. Click **List** to display the terms and lookup tables that are referenced in the rule set and rule flows that use the rule set. Click **Diagram** to display a diagram showing the rules, rule set, and any rule flows that use the rule set.

Note: The diagram displays information from only the current version of a rule flow. If a published version of a rule flow uses a rule set but the current version of the same rule flow does not, then the rule flow does not appear in the diagram.

If the diagram is too large to fit in the window, you can use the Overview window in the upper left to view different parts of the rule set. Click in the Overview window, and drag the viewport (the white box) to the portion of the rule set that you want to view. You can click on the link anchors in the diagram to expand and collapse parts of the diagram.



If the diagram is not large enough to need the Overview window, you can minimize the window by clicking . If the overview diagram does not match the boundaries of the viewport, you can zoom the diagram to fit the viewport by clicking . However, clicking also resizes the main the diagram.

Managing Rule Set Versions

About Rule Set Versions



The *latest* version of a rule set is the rule set that has the highest version number. It is also the last version that you saved. You can edit only the latest version of a rule set.

Only one version of a rule set can be unlocked at a time. If you create a new version of a rule set, SAS Decision Manager locks the existing latest version before it creates a new latest version.

To edit a rule set, it must be unlocked. You cannot unlock a rule set. To make changes to a rule set that has been locked, you must create a new version of the rule set and make changes to the new version.

Before you can publish a rule flow, all of the rule set versions that are referenced in the rule flow must be locked. Also, a rule flow cannot be published if **Use latest** is specified for any of the rule set versions.


Set the Displayed Version

On the **Versions** page,  indicates the displayed version. The displayed version is the rule set whose information is displayed on the other pages, such as the **Properties** and **Rules** pages. To change the displayed version, select the version that you want to view, and click .

Create a New Version of a Rule Set

Note: When you create a new version of a rule set, SAS Decision Manager locks the latest version of the rule set if it is not already locked.

To create a new version of a rule set:


1. Select the **Versions** page.
2. Click . The Create New Version window appears.
3. Select the version type: **Minor** or **Major**. Version numbers follow the format **Major.Minor**. If you select **Major**, the number to the left of the period is incremented. If you select **Minor**, the number to the right of the period is incremented.
4. (Optional) Enter a description.
5. Click **OK**.

Lock a Rule Set Version

Note: You cannot make changes to a rule set after it has been locked. You cannot unlock a rule set version.

To lock a version of a rule set:


1. Select the **Versions** page.

2. Select the version of the rule set that you want to lock.
3. Click .

Note: You can also lock a version by clicking **Lock** in the [Edit Version](#) window.

Edit a Version Description

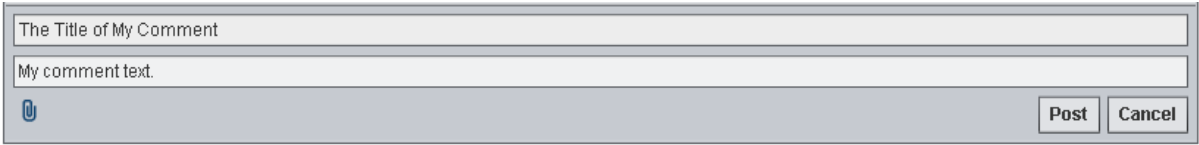
To edit a version description:


1. Select the **Versions** page.
2. Select the version of the rule set that you want to edit.
3. Click . The Edit Version window appears.
4. Edit the version description.
5. Click **OK** or **Lock** (if you also want to lock the version).

Add Comments to a Rule Set

You can add new comments or reply to existing comments. To add a new comment:

1. Select the **Comments** page.
2. Enter a topic title and enter the comment. The topic title is required, and the field for comments does not appear until you enter the topic title.



3. (Optional) Click  to add an attachment such as an image or a document.
4. Click **Post**.



To reply to an existing comment, enter your reply in the field immediately below the topic title for the existing comment, and click **Post**.


Click  to see comments that have been posted by others.

To search for text in the comments, enter text in the search field at the top of the **Comments** page.

Add Attachments to a Rule Set

To add an attachment such as a document file or an image file:

1. Select the **Attachments** page.
2. Click , and select the attachment file.
3. Click .

Note: You can delete an attachment by selecting the attachment and clicking .

Copy a Rule Set

You can create a copy of a rule set within the same folder.

To copy a rule set:

1. Select **Business Rules** ⇒ **Rule Sets**.
2. Right-click on the rule set and select **Copy Rule Set**. The Copy Rule Set window appears.
3. Enter the name for the new copy of the rule set.
4. (Optional) Enter a description for the rule set.
5. Select the version of the rule set that you want to copy.
6. Click **OK**.

Move a Rule Set to a Different Folder


You cannot move a rule set if it is open. Close the rule set before trying to move it. To move a rule set to a different folder:

1. Select **Business Rules** ⇒ **Rule Sets**.
2. Right-click on the rule set, and select **Move Rule Set**. The Choose a Location window appears.
3. Select the folder where you want to move the rule set to.
4. Click **Move**.


Delete a Rule Set

Note: You cannot delete a rule set if it is used in a rule flow.

To delete a rule set:

1. Select **Business Rules** ⇒ **Rule Sets**.
2. Select the rule set and click .

Save a Rule Set

To save changes to a rule set, click . SAS Decision Manager validates the syntax of the expressions and displays an error message if it finds any problems. If SAS Decision Manager does not detect any problems with any of the expressions, it saves the rule set. See [“Validate the Expressions in a Rule Set” on page 90](#) for more information.

Chapter 9

Creating and Publishing Rule Flows

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Introduction to Rule Flows

A business rule flow is a logical collection of multiple rule sets that define multiple conditions and actions. In general, the rule sets in a rule flow are executed in the order in which they are defined in the rule flow. However, with complex rule flows, certain sections of rule sets are usually executed more times than others. See “[Simple Rule Flows, Complex Rule Flows, and BY Groups](#)” on page 100 for more information.

After you publish a rule flow to the SAS Metadata Server, other applications can deploy the published rule flows as SAS programs and services. These programs and services process input data, which contains conditions, in order to create output data, which contains actions. The terms used in the rule flows are mapped to table columns by the applications that use the published rule flows within metadata.

Simple Rule Flows, Complex Rule Flows, and BY Groups

There are two general types of rule flows, simple and complex. A simple rule flow has a single group of rule sets. All of the rule sets are run and output is generated for each input record.

A complex rule flow has at least three sections: Initial, Main, and Final. Rule sets in the Initial section are run only when the first input record is processed. Rule sets in the Main section are run for each input record. Rule sets in the Final section are run after the last input record has been processed by the rule sets in the Main section.


For complex rule flows, you can specify *BY-group terms*. If you specify BY-group terms, then SAS Decision Manager sorts the input data by those terms, and results are calculated for each group of input records that have the same value for all of the terms. Output is generated for each BY group instead of for each input record.

Also, if you specify BY-group terms, SAS Decision Manager adds two new sections to the rule flow, Group Start and Group End. The rule sets in these sections are run with the first and last input record in each BY group.

Note: You are not required to enter rule sets into all of the sections in a rule flow.

Create a Rule Flow Using the Rule Flow Editor


To create a rule flow:

1. Select the **Business Rules** ⇒ **Rule Flows** category.
2. Right-click on the folder where you want to create the new rule flow, and select **New Rule Flow**. Alternatively, select the folder where you want to add the new rule flow, click , and select **New Rule Flow**. The New Rule Flow window appears.
3. Enter a name for the new rule flow. Rule flow names are limited to 32 characters and can contain any character except forward slash (/), backslash (\), left brace ({), right brace (}), colon (:), and question mark (?).




4. (Optional) Enter a description for the new rule flow. Descriptions are limited to 256 characters.
5. (Optional) Select **Create output only for records that fire rules** to limit the output of the rule flow. By default, all output records are written to the output data set. However, for some types of applications, only the output records for which at least one rule has fired are of interest. Limiting output is useful for applications that detect outliers, such as applications that detect fraud.
6. Click **Create**. SAS Decision Manager creates a new rule flow and opens the rule flow editor. By default, the **Properties** page is displayed.
7. Select the **Rule Sets** page.
8. (Optional) Select **Complex Rule Flow** from the menu in the toolbar. SAS Decision Manager adds Initial and Final sections to the rule flow table. The rules in these sections are run at the start and end of the rule flow.
9. Add rule sets to the rule flow. Right-click on a rule set in the **Rule Sets** pane, and select the appropriate **Add To Section** option. The options that are available depend on whether you are creating a simple or complex rule flow.


Note: A rule flow can use only rule sets that are defined for the same vocabulary. After the first rule set is added to the rule flow, the vocabulary for the rule flow is established. Only the rule sets that use the same vocabulary are displayed in the Resources pane.

Note: A rule set can be added to the same rule flow only once.

10. (Optional) If you selected **Complex Rule Flow**, you can specify BY-group terms. With BY-group processing, all of the input records that have the same values for the BY-group terms are processed before output is generated. One output record is written for each group.
 - a. Click  and select the BY-group terms. SAS Decision Manager adds Group Start and Group End sections to the table. The rules in these groups are run at the start and end of each BY group.
 - b. (Optional) Add the rule sets that you want in the Group Start and Group End sections of the table.
11. (Optional) Select the version of each rule set. If the version is **Use latest**, then the most recently saved version of the rule set is always used when it is run. Specifying **Use latest** for the version is useful during rule flow development and testing. However, before you can publish a rule flow, all of the rule set versions that are referenced in the rule flow must be locked. Also, a rule flow cannot be published if **Use latest** is specified for any of the rule set versions.



12. (Optional) Reorder the rule sets. To move a rule set, select the rule set, and click  or  to move it to a different row in the table. To move a rule set to a different section (Initial, Main, and so on), you must remove the rule set, and then add it to the other section. To remove a rule set, select the rule set and click .

13. (Optional) Clear the check boxes in the **Run** column for any rules or sections that you do not want to be run the next time the rule flow is run. Selectively running certain rule sets is useful during rule flow development and testing.
14. Click  to save the rule flow.

Create a Rule Flow by Using Discovery Techniques

About the Discovery Techniques

With the New Discovery wizard, you can use discovery techniques to generate business rule data and import that data into SAS Decision Manager. The discovery techniques that you can select from are:

Decision Tree

Decision Tree analysis produces a tree-like diagram in which each branch of the tree represents a possible decision or event. The tree structure shows how one choice leads to the next. Each branch represents a mutually exclusive option. Decision trees are often used for data segmentation or prediction modeling. You can create decision trees to classify observations based on the values of nominal, binary, or ordinal targets or to predict outcomes for interval targets.

Scorecard

Scorecards provide a quantitative score of the odds that a customer will display a defined behavior such as respond positively to a campaign, make a purchase, default on a loan, and so on. The higher the score, the more likely the defined behavior will occur. The SAS Decision Manager Scorecard uses the Weight of Evidence technique to generate scores.

Recency Frequency Monetary (RFM)

RFM is a technique that is used to identify existing customers who are most likely to respond to a new campaign or product offer. RFM analysis looks at when a customer last placed an order or bought something, how often the customer makes a purchase, and how much money they spend. Customers are assigned scores based on these factors.


Market Baskets

Market Basket analysis is used to predict items that are most likely to be purchased together. Market Basket analysis can be used to predict what items a customer is likely to buy.

Create a Rule Flow by Using the New Discovery Wizard

When you run the New Discovery wizard, it generates a vocabulary, as many rule sets as are needed, and a rule flow using the discovery technique that you select.

To create a rule flow using the New Discovery wizard:

1. Select the **Business Rules** ⇨ **Rule Flows** category.
2. Right-click on the folder where you want to create the new rule flow, and select **New Rule Flow**. Alternatively, select the folder where you want to add the new rule flow, click , and select **New Rule Flow**. The New Rule Flow window appears.


3. Enter a name for the new rule flow. Rule flow names are limited to 32 characters and can contain any character except forward slash (/), backslash (\), left brace ({), right brace (}), colon (:), and question mark (?).

Note: The name that you enter is used for both the vocabulary and the rule flow. Vocabulary names must be unique within the rules database.


4. (Optional) Enter a description for the new rule flow. Descriptions are limited to 256 characters.
5. (Optional) Select **Create output only for records that fire rules** to limit the output of the rule flow. By default, all output records are written to the output data set. However, for some types of applications, only the output records for which at least one rule has fired are of interest. Limiting output is useful for applications that detect outliers, such as applications that detect fraud.
6. Select **Use discovery techniques to generate rules**.
7. Click **Create**. SAS Decision Manager opens the New Discovery window.
8. Select the **Discovery technique**. The techniques that are available depend on the products that are licensed at your site. The Recency Frequency Monetary (RFM) technique is available with Base SAS. The Decision Tree and Scorecard techniques require a SAS/STAT license. The Market Baskets technique requires a SAS Enterprise Miner license.
9. Select the **Data source** that you want to use for the discovery analysis.
10. Select the setup options for the discovery technique, and click **Next**. The setup options depend on the technique. See [Table 9.1 on page 104](#).
11. Select the terms required for the discovery technique. See [Table 9.1](#).
12. Click **Run** to run the analysis. SAS Decision Manager displays the rule sets that were generated by the analysis.
13. Click **Import** to import the data. If the data was imported successfully, SAS Decision Manager displays a confirmation message telling you what data was imported and which folder it was added to.
14. (Optional) Click **Rule_generation_log** and **Rule_import_log** to download the log files to your local machine. The log file name is **RuleFlowName_generation.log**, and the import log file name is **RuleFlowName_import.log**. If rules can not be generated or the import process fails, the log files contain detailed error messages.
15. Click **Close** to close the New Discovery wizard. SAS Decision Manager opens the new rule flow in the rule flow editor and displays the **Rule Sets** page.

After using the New Discovery wizard to generate and import a new rule flow, all of the rule set versions in the rule flow will be unlocked, latest versions. To publish the rule flow, you must lock the rule sets, and then select the locked version in the rule flow editor. See [“Lock a Rule Set Version” on page 94](#) and [Step 11 in “Create a Rule Flow Using the Rule Flow Editor” on page 100](#) for more information.

Table 9.1 Setup Options and Terms For Discovery Techniques

| Discovery Technique | Setup Variables | Terms |
|----------------------------|--|--|
| Decision Tree | Maximum number of rules: Select the maximum number of rules that you want to be generated from the discovery analysis. | Select the terms whose values you want to predict, and click  to move them to the Actions list. |
| Scorecard | <p>Minimum points: The scorecard points are scaled with this option as the minimum value. You can specify any non-negative integer.</p> <p>Maximum points: The scorecard points are scaled with this option as the maximum value. You can specify any positive integer that is greater than the Minimum points value.</p> | <p>Target variable: specifies the variable that you are modeling. The variable must have exactly two discrete values such as 0 and 1 or True and False.</p> <p>Target category: specifies how the values of the target variable are mapped. The scorecard points are scaled to the likelihood of the two target variable values based on the sort order. Select High to indicate that the highest lexical value of the target variable is mapped to the Maximum points value. Select Low to indicate that the lowest lexical value of the target variable is mapped to the Maximum points value.</p> |
| Recency Frequency Monetary | <p>Select the binning method.</p> <p>Independent: Simple ranks are assigned to recency, frequency, and monetary values. The three ranks are assigned independently.</p> <p>Nested: A simple rank is assigned to recency values. Within each recency rank, customers are then assigned a frequency rank. Within each frequency rank, customer are assigned a monetary rank.</p> | <p>Customer ID: specifies a numeric or character term that uniquely identifies a customer.</p> <p>Transaction date: specifies the transaction date.</p> <p>Transaction amount: specifies the transaction amount.</p> |
| Market Baskets | Maximum number of rules: Select the maximum number of rules that you want to be generated from the discovery analysis. | <p>ID: specifies the customer ID.</p> <p>Item: specifies the item that was purchased.</p> |



Open Rule Sets from the Rule Flow Editor


You can open a rule flow and some or all of its rule sets in the same layout. In the rule flow editor, either double-click on the rule sets that you want to open, or select the rule sets and click .

Add Attachments to a Rule Flow

To add an attachment such as a document file or an image file:

1. Select the **Attachments** page.

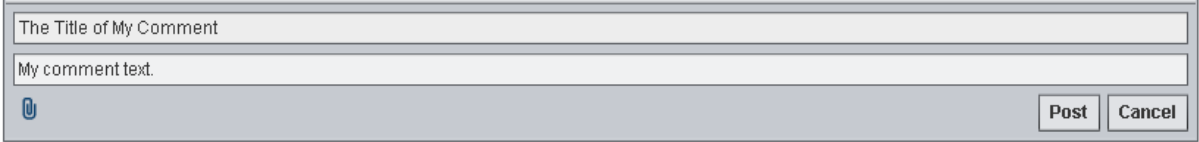
2. Click , and select the attachment file.
3. Click .


Note: You can delete an attachment by selecting the attachment and clicking .

Add Comments to a Rule Flow


You can add new comments or reply to existing comments. To add a new comment:

1. Select the **Comments** page.
2. Enter a topic title and enter the comment. The topic title is required, and the field for comments does not appear until you enter the topic title.





3. (Optional) Click  to add an attachment such as an image or a document.
4. Click **Post**.

To reply to an existing comment, enter your reply in the field immediately below the topic title for the existing comment, and click **Post**.

Click  to see comments that have been posted by others.


To search for text in the comments, enter text in the search field at the top of the **Comments** page.

Change the Order of the Rule Sets

You can change the order of rule sets within the same section only (Initial, Main, Final, and so on). To reorder the rule sets in a rule flow, select the rule set that you want to move, and click  or .

View the Terms Used in a Rule Flow

To view the input or output terms that are used in all of the rule sets in a rule flow, open the rule flow, and select the **Variables** page.

To view all of the terms that are used in single rule set, open the rule flow, select the rule set, and click .

Note: This icon is unavailable if you have made editing changes to the rule flow. You must save the changes to the rule flow before you click on this icon.



Managing Versions of a Rule Flow

About Rule Flow Versions

When you publish the current version of a rule flow, that version is locked and assigned a version number. A new current version is created. You cannot unlock a rule flow.


Before you can publish a rule flow, all of the rule set versions that are referenced in the rule flow must be locked. Also, a rule flow cannot be published if **Use latest** is specified for any of the rule set versions.

Set the Displayed Version

On the **Versions** page,  indicates the displayed version. The displayed version is the rule flow whose information is displayed on the other pages, such as the **Properties** and **Rule Sets** pages. To change the displayed version, select the version that you want to view, and click .

Edit a Version Description

To edit a version description:

1. Select the **Versions** page.
2. Select the version of the rule that you want to lock.
3. Click . The Edit Version window appears.
4. Edit the version description.
5. Click **OK**.

Rename a Rule Flow

To rename a rule flow:

1. Close the rule flow if it is open. You cannot rename a rule flow if it is open.
2. Right-click on the rule flow and select **Rename**.
3. Change the name and click **OK**.

Copy a Rule Flow

You can create a copy of a rule flow within the same folder.

To copy a rule flow:


1. Right-click on the rule flow, and select **Copy Rule Flow**. The Copy Rule Flow window appears.
2. Enter a name for the new copy of the rule flow.
3. (Optional) Enter a description for the rule flow.
4. (Optional) Select **Create output only for records that fire rules** to limit the output of the rule flow. For some types of applications, only the output records for which at least one rule has fired are of interest. Limiting output is useful for applications that detect outliers, such as applications that detect fraud.
5. Click **OK**.

Move a Rule Flow to a Different Folder

To move a rule flow to a different folder:


1. Close the rule flow if it is open. You cannot move a rule flow that is open.
2. Right-click on the rule flow and select **Move Rule Flow**. The Choose a Location window appears.
3. Select the folder where you want to move the rule flow to.
4. Click **Move**.

Remove a Rule Set from a Rule Flow

To remove a rule set from a rule flow, open the rule flow, select the rule set, and click . Alternatively, you can right-click on the rule set and select **Remove**.

Delete a Rule Flow

Note: You cannot delete a rule flow if it has been published.

To delete a rule flow, select the rule flow and click . Alternatively, you can right-click on the rule flow and select **Delete**.

Testing a Rule Flow


You can test a rule flow before you publish it. If necessary, you can specify initialization or setup code that you want to run before the rule flow is run. SAS Decision Manager reports rule flow results and test data such as rule-fired data. SAS Decision Manager saves the test results from the last time a test was run.


Input Data for Rule Flow Tests

SAS Decision Manager expects the input data for the rule flow test to already exist and to be defined as a data table. See [Chapter 4, “Managing Data Tables,” on page 49](#) for information on defining data tables. Your user ID must have permission to access the data.

Create and Run a New Rule Flow Test

To test a rule flow:


1. Open the rule flow that you want to test.
2. Select the **Tests** page.
3. Click  to add a new test. The **Add a New Test** window appears.
4. Enter a name for the new test. Test names are limited to 30 characters.
5. (Optional) Enter a description for the test.
6. Select the data source that contains the input data for the test, and click **Next**.
7. Map the terms in the rule flow to columns in the input data set. If you click **Map terms**, the application automatically maps as many terms as possible. You can also map terms by manually selecting an input column for each rule flow term.
8. Click **Next**.
9. (Optional) Enter any SAS code, such as initialization code or setup code, that you want to run before the rule flow is run. See [“Specify Preprocessing Code” on page 109](#) for more information.
10. Click **Run** to run the test, or click **Save** to save it without running it.

If the test completes successfully, the status on the **Tests** tab changes to . SAS Decision Manager displays the **Results** tab on which you can view the output of the rule flow, analyze the rule-fired data, and view the SAS code that was generated and run by SAS Decision Manager, in addition to other information. See [“View Rule Flow Test Results” on page 109](#) for more information.

Rule flow tests are associated with the rule flow version. After a test completes, the test version is displayed on the **Tests** page.


Run a Rule Flow Test

To run a rule flow test:

1. Open the rule flow that you want to test.
2. Select the **Tests** page.
3. Select the test that you want to run and click .


Copy a Rule Flow Test

To copy a test:

1. Open the rule flow.
2. Select the **Tests** page.
3. Select the test that you want to copy and click .


Edit a Rule Flow Test

To edit a rule flow test:

1. Open the rule flow.
2. Select the **Tests** page.
3. Select the test that you want to edit and click .

Delete a Rule Flow Test

To delete a rule flow test:

1. Open the rule flow.
2. Select the **Tests** page.
3. Select the test that you want to delete and click .

Specify Preprocessing Code

To specify code that you want to run before the rule flow is executed, enter the code on the **Preprocessing** step in the **Add a New Test** window.

You can use the &BRMPPrimaryTransactionDTTM macro variable to specify a value that is recorded in the TRANSACTION_DTTM field in the rule-fired data. Assigning a value to this field helps you determine the exact input record that caused a rule to execute. You can assign a term or a SAS expression to this macro variable. See [“Rule-Fired Table Fields” on page 291](#) for information about fields in the rule-fired data.

The &BRMPPrimaryTransactionDTTM macro variable must resolve to a SAS Datetime value. If you assign a term to this macro variable, the term must be of the type Datetime. Expressions must resolve to a SAS Datetime value. For example, you can use the DATETIME function to assign the current date and time to this macro variable as follows:

```
%let brmPrimaryTransactionDTTM=datetime();
```

View Rule Flow Test Results


When you test a rule flow, SAS Decision Manager displays the output of the rule flow together with other information on the **Results** tab.

There are several sections to the results.

Input Table

the data table that was specified as input for the test.

Output Table

the output table produced by the rule flow and detailed information about the columns in the table. Click  above the output table to filter the rows that are displayed.

Rules Fired Analysis

tables that enable you to determine which rules fired for specific output records. Select a record in the **Output Records** table, and SAS Decision Manager displays the rules that fired for that record in the bottom table.

Plot

a graph that shows the number of times that each rule set was executed.

Code

the SAS code that was generated and run by SAS Decision Manager when the test was submitted.

Log

the SAS log that was generated when the code was run.

Properties

the date the test was last run, and the location information for the output library, output table, and rule-fired table, in addition to other information.

Terms

the terms that are used in the rule flow and the input table columns that they are mapped to.

Preprocessing



the preprocessing code that was specified when the test was set up.

Publish a Rule Flow


Publishing is the process of writing a business rule flow to the content server. After you publish a rule flow to the content server, other applications can use it.

When you publish the current version of a rule flow, that version of the rule flow is locked and cannot be unlocked. For more information, see [“Managing Versions of a Rule Flow” on page 106](#).

Note: Before you can publish a rule flow, all of the rule set versions that are referenced in the rule flow must be locked. Also, a rule flow cannot be published if **Use latest** is specified for any of the rule set versions.

1. Open the rule flow.
2. If the rule flow contains changes that have not been saved, click . You cannot publish a rule flow if it contains changes that have not been saved.
3. Click . The Choose a Location window appears.
4. Select the location where you want to publish the rule flow.

Note: This window lists all of the objects that are defined in the SAS metadata folders. To limit the list to folders only, select the **Show folders only** check box.

Note: In the Choose a Location window, to create a new subfolder, click .

5. Click **OK**.

Display Publish Information for Rule Flows

Publish information for a specific version of a rule flow is available on the **Versions** page. The information available includes the published rule flow name, the folder path to which the rule flow was published, the date on which the version was published, and the display name or user ID of the user that published the rule flow. To display publish information for a rule flow:

1. Open the rule flow.
2. Select the **Versions** page.
3. Click **Details** for the version that you are interested in.



Deploy a Rule Flow as a Stored Process

A stored process is a SAS program that is stored on a server and defined in metadata, and which can be executed as requested by client applications. When you deploy a rule flow as a stored process, the rule flow is made available as a stored process on the SAS Stored Process Server.

Before you can deploy a rule flow, all of the rule set versions that are referenced in the rule flow must be locked. Also, a rule flow cannot be deployed if **Use latest** is specified for any of the rule set versions.

Note: Only simple rule flows can be deployed as stored processes.

To deploy a rule flow as a stored process:

1. Open the rule flow.
2. If the rule flow contains changes that have not been saved, click . You cannot deploy a rule flow if it contains changes that have not been saved.
3. Click . The Choose a Location window appears.
4. Select the location where you want to deploy the rule flow.

TIP This window lists all of the objects that are defined in the SAS metadata folders. To limit the list to only folders, select the **Show folders only** check box.

Note: To create a new subfolder in the Choose a Location window, click .

5. Click **OK**.

For more information about stored processes, see *SAS Stored Processes: Developer's Guide*.

Part 4

Working with Model Projects and Portfolios

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Chapter 10

Managing Folders For Model Projects and Portfolios

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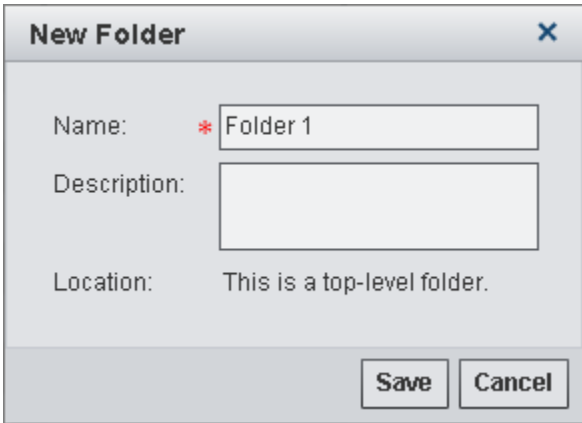
Overview of Managing Folders

In the Projects and Portfolios category views you can add, delete, and archive or restore folders. You must create a folder before you can create a project or portfolio. You can create subfolders within a top-level folder to organize your projects and portfolios.

Create a New Folder

Before you add new projects or portfolios to manage models, you must add folders to store them in.

- 1. Click  and select **New Folder** or **New Top-Level Folder**. The New Folder window appears.

A screenshot of a 'New Folder' dialog box. The title bar says 'New Folder' with a close button (X) on the right. Inside the dialog, there are three fields: 'Name:' with a red asterisk icon and a text box containing 'Folder 1'; 'Description:' with an empty text box; and 'Location:' with the text 'This is a top-level folder.' At the bottom right, there are two buttons: 'Save' and 'Cancel'.

- 2. Enter a name for the folder.

3. (Optional) Enter a description for the folder.
4. Click **Save**.

Note: Alternatively, you can right-click an item and select the menu option for the action that you want to perform.


Rename a Folder

To rename a folder, right-click on the folder, and select **Rename**. Enter the new name, and click **OK**. Folder names are case sensitive. SAS Decision Manager considers **myfolder** and **MYFOLDER** to be two unique folders.

Alternatively, click on the folder and select **Rename** from the **Actions** menu.

Delete a Folder

To delete a folder, right-click on the folder, and select **Delete**. Click **OK** in the warning message.

Alternatively, click on the folder and then click .

Archive and Restore Folders

In the Projects and Portfolios category views a folder and its contents can be archived and restored to a different system.

Using the archive and restore facilities, a SAS Decision Manager administrator can back up a folder in one repository and restore it to another repository. The folder is archived as a compressed ZIP file.

Before you restore a folder, you should first create a folder to restore it to, since the restored projects reside at the same level that you specified. A best practice is to give the restored folder the same name as the archived ZIP file. The contents of the archived folder are restored to the new folder.

Note: All tables that are referenced within the projects and portfolios that are restored must be registered in the SAS Metadata Repository and made available to the **Data** ⇒ **Tables** category view. For more information, see [Chapter 4, “Managing Data Tables,” on page 49](#).

Folders cannot be restored in these situations:

- The name of the organizational folder to be restored is the same as a project name in the archived folder.
- The same archived ZIP file has already been restored in a folder on the same WebDAV server.

To archive a folder:

1. Select a folder.

2. Select **Actions** ⇒ **Archive**.
3. Select a folder where the contents are to be saved.
4. Enter a name.
5. Click **Save**.

To restore a folder:

TIP Create a folder first into which to place the restored project.

1. Select a folder.
2. Select **Actions** ⇒ **Restore**.
3. Navigate to the folder where the contents are saved.
4. Select the file.
5. Click **OK**.

Chapter 11

Working with Projects

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Overview of Projects

A model project consists of the models, variables, reports, performance results, and other resources that you use to determine a champion model. For example, a banking project might include models, data, and reports that are used to determine the champion model for a home equity scoring application. The home equity scoring application predicts whether a bank customer is an acceptable risk for granting a home equity loan.

use prototype tables to define the project input and output variables, the tables must be registered in the SAS Metadata Repository. For more information, see [“Defining Project Input and Output Variables” on page 126](#).

- How do you want to track the progress of a version? The Workflows view enables you to track the progress of tasks from the version level. An authorized user can create a workflow and associate it with a version. For more information, see [“Overview of Using Workflows” on page 277](#).
- You might have project documents that you would like to access. You can attach documents at the project or model level on the **Attachments** page. For more information, see [“Add Attachments to a Project” on page 128](#).
- You might have comments that you would like others to see. You can add comments at the project or model level on the **Comments** page. For more information, see [“Add Comments to a Project” on page 129](#).
- Several reports are available to help you assess candidate models. You can review the types of reports that are available and plan for which reports you want to use. Your plans might also include a custom report that you can run. For more information, see [“Overview of Model Comparison, Validation, and Summary Reports” on page 178](#).
- After your champion model is in a production environment, you can monitor the performance of the model using your organization's performance data. For more information, see [“Overview of Performance Monitoring” on page 217](#).
- When you define performance monitoring reports, you can set up performance index alert and warning conditions to notify users when conditions exceed the indexes. For more information, see [“Performance Index Warnings and Alerts” on page 226](#).

Prerequisites for Creating Projects

Projects can be created only by administrators and advanced users. Ensure that users who create projects are assigned to the group **Model Manager Administrator Users** or **Model Manager Advanced Users** in SAS Management Console.

All modeling projects require that you know the model function type before you create a project. The following model function types are available:

- Classification
- Prediction
- Segmentation
- Analytical

To determine the model function type for your project, see [Table 11.1 on page 123](#).


If you use prototype tables to define the project input and output variables, you must create the project input and output tables and register them in the SAS Metadata Repository using the Data category view or SAS Management Console. If you use SAS Management Console you must then register the tables in a library using the Data category view to make the files available to the application.

For more information, see the following documentation:

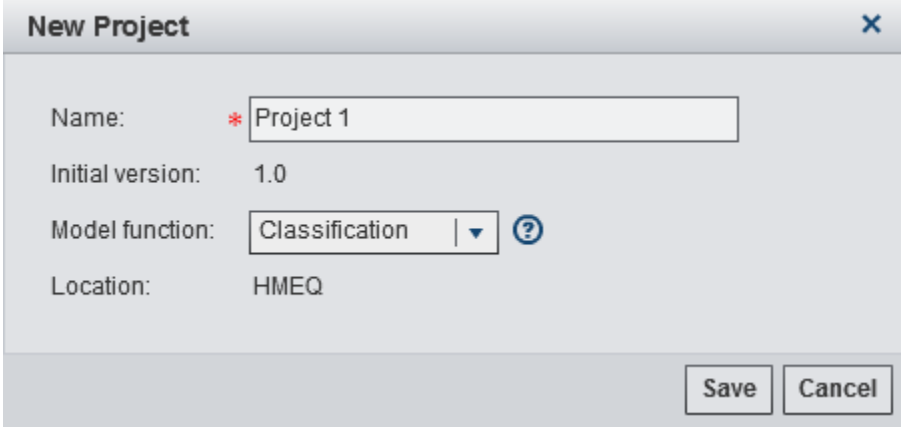
- [“Defining Project Input and Output Variables” on page 126](#)
- [Chapter 4, “Managing Data Tables,” on page 49](#)

Create a Project

To create a project:

1. Select a folder or create a new folder in which to store the new project.
2. Click  and select **New Project**. The New Project window appears.


Note: Alternatively, you can right-click a folder and select **New Project**.



The 'New Project' dialog box is shown with the following fields and controls:

- Name:** A text input field containing 'Project 1' with a red asterisk icon to its left.
- Initial version:** A text input field containing '1.0'.
- Model function:** A dropdown menu showing 'Classification' with a blue question mark icon to its right.
- Location:** A text input field containing 'HMEQ'.
- Buttons:** 'Save' and 'Cancel' buttons at the bottom right.

3. Enter a name for the project.
The initial version is displayed and reflects the level for sequential versions.
4. Select a model function (Classification, Prediction, Segmentation, or Analytical) to indicate the type of models that can be imported into the project. The location of the project is displayed.
5. Click **Save**.

To delete a project, select a project and then click .

Alternatively, you can right-click an item and select the menu option (**Publish**, **Rename**, or **Delete**) for the action that you want to perform.

Project Properties

About Project Properties

Project properties contain the project metadata. Project metadata includes information such as the name of the project, the project owner, the project identifier, the name and path of the repository, and of the tables and variables that are used by project processes.

Project properties are organized into the following types:

- General Properties
- Specific Properties
- System Properties

- User-Defined Properties

General Properties

General Properties are system-defined properties that you cannot modify, with the following exceptions: folder description, operation status, and lock status.

| Property Name | Description |
|-------------------------------|--|
| Model function | Specifies the type of output that your predictive model project generates. The Model function property that you specify affects the model templates that are provided when you are ready to import models into one of your project's version folders. After it has been declared, the Model function property for a project cannot be changed. Ensure that the types of models that you are going to use in the project fit within the selected model function type. For more information about the types of model functions, see Table 11.1 on page 123 . |
| Operation status | Specifies the current state of the project: Under Development indicates that the project has started but a champion model is not yet in production. Active indicates that a champion model for this project is in production. Inactive indicates that the champion model is temporarily suspended from production. Retired indicates that the champion model for this project is no longer in production. To set the status, select the Operation status . |
| Lock project variables | Specifies that the project metadata is locked and the project definition cannot be modified. For more information, see “Lock or Unlock Project Variables” on page 129 . |

Table 11.1 Types of Model Functions

| Model Function | Description | Example |
|-------------------|---|---------|
| Analytical | Function for any model that is not Prediction, Classification, or Segmentation. | None |

| Model Function | Description | Example |
|-----------------------|---|--|
| Classification | Function for models that have target variables that contain binary, categorical, or ordinal values. | DEFAULT_RISK = {Low, Med, High} |
| Prediction | Function for models that have interval targets with continuous values. | The score output of a prediction model could estimate the weight of a person. The output of a model would be P_Weight. |
| Segmentation | Function for segmentation or clustering models. | Clustering models |

Specific Properties

Specific Properties contain information about tables that are used by the project as well as various input and output variables and values that are used in scoring the models in test and production environments. This data can be added or modified after you add variables. For more information, see [“Defining Project Input and Output Variables” on page 126](#).

| Property Name | Description |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| Default test table | Specifies a default SAS data set that can be used to create the New Dynamic Lift and Interval Target Variable reports. |
| Default scoring input table | Specifies a default SAS data set that is used as the input data table for all scoring tests within the project. If you specify a value for the Default scoring input table property, the value is used as the default input table in the Add a New Scoring Test window. |
| Default scoring output table | Specifies a default SAS data set that defines the variables to keep in the scoring results table and the scoring test output table. If you specify a value of the Default scoring output table property, the value is used as the default output table in the Add a New Scoring Test window. |
| Default performance table | Specifies the default performance table for all model performance monitoring tests within a project. |

| Property Name | Description |
|--|---|
| Default train table | The train table is optional and is used only as information. However, when a value is specified for a model's Default train table property, the default train table is used to validate scoring functions or scoring model files when a user publishes the associated project champion model or challenger models to a database. |
| Champion version | Specifies the version that contains the champion model in a production environment. |
| Model function | Specifies the type of output that your predictive model project generates. The Model function property that you specify affects the model templates that are provided when you are ready to import models into one of your project's version folders. After it has been declared, the Model function property for a project cannot be changed. Ensure that the types of models that you use in the project fit within the selected model function type. |
| Training target variable | Specifies the name of the target variable that was used to train the model. |
| Target event value | Specifies the target variable value that defines the desired target variable event. |
| Class target values | For class, nominal, ordinal, or interval targets, the set of possible outcome classes, separated by commas. For example, binary class target values might be 1, 0 or Yes, No . Nominal class target values might be Low, Medium, High . These values are for information only. |
| Class target level | Specifies the class target level of binary, nominal, ordinal, or interval. |
| Output event probability variable | The output event probability variable name, when the Model function property is set to Classification or Analytical . |
| Output prediction variable | The output prediction variable name, when the Model function property is set to Prediction or Analytical . |
| Output segmentation variable | The output segmentation variable name, when the Model function property is set to Classification, Segmentation or Analytical . |


System Properties

System Properties are system-defined properties (UUID, Location, and URL) that you cannot modify.


User-Defined Properties

You can add your own project properties under **User-Defined Properties**. The property-value pair is metadata for the project.

To create a user-defined property:

1. On the **Properties** page, select **User-Defined**.
2. Click . The New User-Defined Property window appears.
3. Enter a name and value for the property. Do not include spaces or double-byte character sets.
4. Click **OK**.

To delete a user-defined property:

1. On the **Properties** page, select **User-Defined**.
2. Select a property.
3. Click . A confirmation window appears.
4. Click **OK** to delete the property.

Defining Project Input and Output Variables

About Defining Project Input and Output Variables

Project input and output variables are the variables that are used by the champion model and challenger models. Project input and output variables must be defined before a champion model can be published to a production environment. You can define the project input and output variables when you create a project or during the champion model selection process.

You define the project input and output variables by creating input and output prototype tables and then importing the variables using these tables, or by copying the input and output variables from another project. If you declare a champion model and the project variables have not been defined, you are prompted to add model input variables to the project and to map model output variables to project output variables.

From the **Variables** page of a project, you can add, delete, edit, copy, and import project variables.

Add a New Variable

To add a new variable:

1. Click . The Add a New Variable window appears.

Add a New Variable [X]

Name: *


Description:

Type: * ▼

Measurement:


Length: *

OK Cancel

2. Enter a name.
3. (Optional) Enter a description.
4. Select a type:
 - **Numeric**
 - **Character**
5. (Optional) Enter a measurement.
6. Enter a length.
7. Click **OK**.
8. Click  to make the changes effective for other pages.



Delete a Variable

To delete a variable:

1. Select a variable.
2. Click . A confirmation window appears.
3. Click **OK** to delete the variable.



Edit a Variable

To edit a variable:

1. Select a variable.
2. Click .
3. Edit the necessary fields and click **OK**.
4. Click  to make the changes effective for other pages.



Copy Variables

To copy variables from a project:

1. Click .
2. Select a project.
3. Click **OK**.
4. Click  to make the changes effective for other pages.

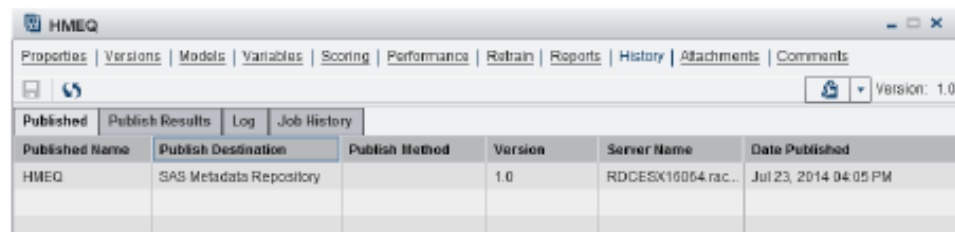
Import Variables

To import variables from a table:

1. Click .
2. Select a data source.
3. Click **OK**.
4. Click  to make the changes effective for other pages.

View Project History

On the **History** page, you can view the history log for changes to the project, the history of models that were published at the project and model level, and the history of scoring, performance, and retrain jobs that were executed.





| Published Name | Publish Destination | Publish Method | Version | Server Name | Date Published |
|----------------|-------------------------|----------------|---------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| HMEQ | SAS Metadata Repository | | 1.0 | RDCESX10054 rac.. | Jul 23, 2014 04:05 PM |

Add Attachments to a Project

On the **Attachments** page, you can view and add attachments such as images or documents. All new attachments are associated with the project. Values in the version and location columns appear only for attachments that were migrated from a previous release of SAS Decision Manager. The version and location columns also appear for performance and training summary data sets that are associated with the selected version. The value for location is the directory path where the attachment is stored in the model repository. Attachments for versions within a project that were migrated now appear at the project level.

To add an attachment:


1. Click .
2. Select a file to attach and click **Open**.

Note: Click  to remove an attachment.

Add Comments to a Project

On the **Comments** page, you can add new topics or respond to an existing topic. You can also search the comments.

To add a comment:

1. Enter a topic name and a comment.
2. (Optional) Click  to attach a file to the new topic. Repeat this step to attach multiple files.

Note: You can also click **Remove** to remove an attachment.

3. Click **Post**.

Lock or Unlock Project Variables

You cannot modify project variables that are locked for a project. Also, you cannot set a new champion or challenger model for the project.

To lock or unlock a project:


1. In the Projects category view, select a project.
2. Select **Actions** ⇒ **Lock Project Variables**. Note that the **Lock project variables** check box is selected on the Properties page of the project.
3. To unlock the project, select **Actions** ⇒ **Lock Project Variables**. Note that the **Lock project variables** check box is deselected on the Properties page of the project.

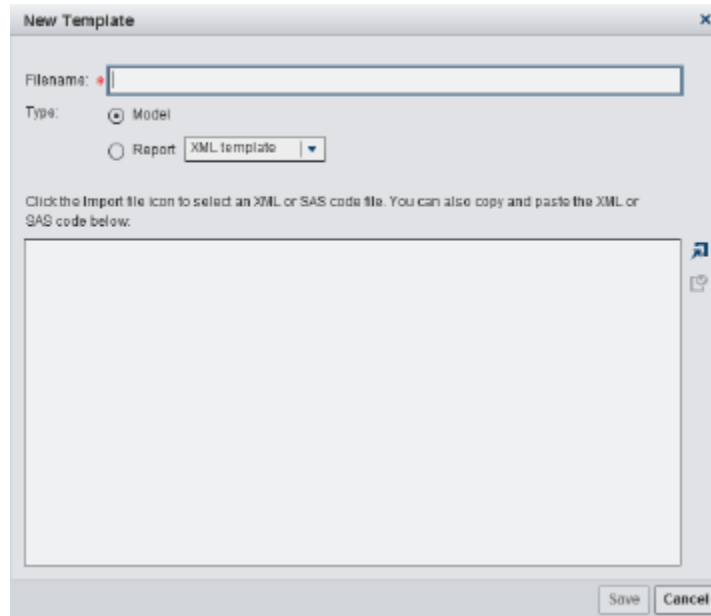
Note: You can also select or deselect the **Lock project variables** check box on the [Properties](#) page of a project.


Manage Templates


Models are associated with a specific model template. A model template has properties and component files that define a type of model. In the Projects category view, you can add a new template or manage existing templates.

To add a new template:




1. Click  and select **New Template**.



2. Enter a filename.
3. Select a type:
 - **Model**
 - **Report** (XML template or SAS code)
4. Click  to select an XML or SAS code file. You can also copy and paste the XML or SAS code in the text box.

Note: Ensure that the selected template type matches the XML content type before importing the file.
5. Click  to validate the XML.
6. Click **Save**.

To manage templates:


1. Click  and select **Manage Templates**.
2. Select an XML template or SAS code file to edit or delete. The Reserved column must be marked as No in order for the template to be editable. Life cycle templates cannot be edited but can be viewed as Read-only.
 - To edit a file, click . Make the appropriate changes and click **Save**.
 - To delete a file, click . Click **Yes**.
3. Click **Close**.

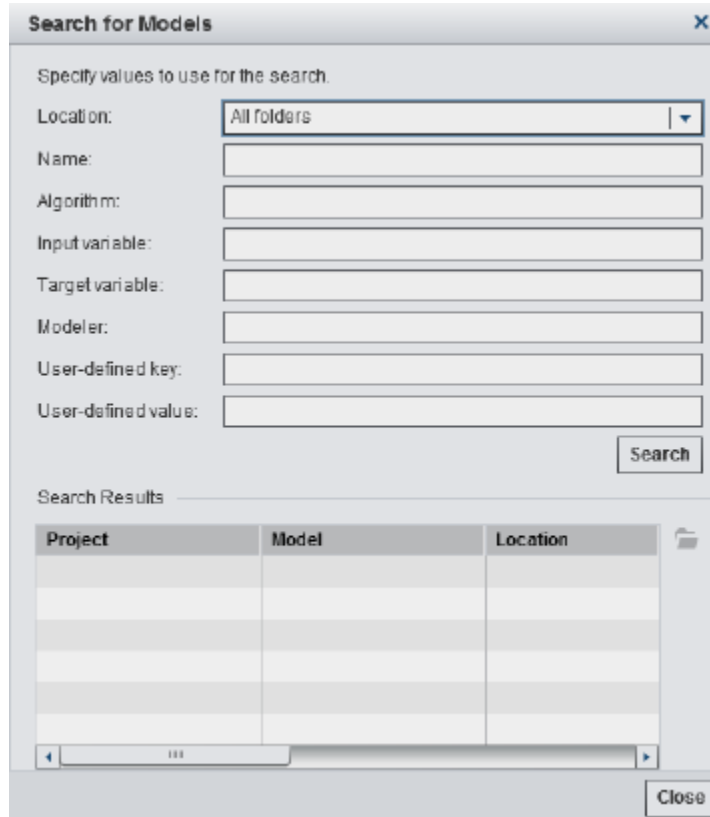
For more information about templates, see “[Model Templates](#)” on page 395.

Searching for Models

You can search for models based on certain criteria in the Projects and Portfolios category views. The results appear below the search criteria.

To search for models:

1. Select an object (folder, project, or portfolio) to search for models within that object. Otherwise, the default is to search **All folders**.
2. Click .



Search for Models

Specify values to use for the search.

Location: All folders

Name:

Algorithm:

Input variable:

Target variable:

Modeler:

User-defined key:


User-defined value:

Search

Search Results

| Project | Model | Location |
|---------|-------|----------|
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Close

3. Select a location:
 - **All folders**
 - **Current**
4. Enter a name for the model.
5. Enter an algorithm.
6. Enter an input variable. The field is case sensitive.
7. Enter a target variable. The field is case sensitive.
8. Enter a modeler.
9. Enter a user-defined key or value. The user-defined key field is case sensitive.
10. Click **Search**.
11. Select a model from **Search Results** and click  or double-click to open the model. You can view or edit the model. Click **OK**.
12. Click **Close**.

The search results display the following information:

| Column | Description |
|-----------|---|
| Project | Specifies the name of the project. |
| Model | Specifies the name of the model. |
| Location | Specifies the location of the model. |
| Algorithm | Specifies the name of the algorithm, such as regression or logistic, that is used by the model. |
| Type | Specifies one of the model function types: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Analytical• Classification• Prediction• Cluster |

Chapter 12

Managing Project Versions


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Overview of Project Versions

After a project is created, you can view information about the project on the **Versions** page. An initial version is created automatically and functions as a time-phased container for your projects. The time interval for a project cycle is specified when you create the version, and it might represent a calendar year, a retail season, or a fiscal quarter. A project can contain multiple versions. A version contains all of the candidate model resources that you need to determine a champion model as well as all champion model resources. For example, you might develop models for a scoring program that determines whether a customer is eligible for a home equity loan. The version contains all of the models, scoring tests, and reports that are used to determine the champion model. Expand **Details** to view more information about the project version.

Create a New Version of a Project



To create a new version:

1. Select the **Versions** page.
2. Click . The Add a New Version window appears.

3. The next sequential number appears as the new version number for the project.
4. (Optional) Enter a description for the version.
5. Click **OK**.

Set the Displayed Version


To set the displayed version:

1. Select the **Versions** page.
2. Select a version and click , or double-click a version.
3. The  icon indicates the version that is being displayed.

Lock and Unlock a Project Version

You can enable or disable modifications of some version models properties and files. Locking a version restricts the activities that you can do with the project. You normally lock a version after you declare a champion model in preparation for deploying the champion model to a production environment.


To lock or unlock a version:

1. Select the **Versions** page.
2. Select a version and click  to lock or unlock the version. The label **Locked** after the version name indicates the version that is being locked.

Attach a Portable Formats File

To attach a portable format file:

1. Select the **Versions** page.

2. Select a version and click .
3. Navigate to the appropriate folder and select the portable formats file to attach to the selected version.
4. Click **OK**.

View Life Cycle Status

Note: Only life cycle content for migrated versions can be viewed.

To view the life cycle status:

1. On the **Versions** page of a project, select a version and expand **Details**.
2. Click **View Life Cycle Status**.
3. View the information and click **OK**.

Chapter 13

Working with Portfolios

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Overview of Portfolios

SAS Decision Manager enables you to create a portfolio in the model repository. From a portfolio level, you can create multiple projects from a control table, and then add new versions or new input variables to all projects within the portfolio. After you set the champion model for each project, you can monitor the performance of the champion models for all projects, and publish the champion models to the SAS Metadata Repository.

information, see [“Import Models from Local Files” on page 159](#) and [“Import a PMML Model” on page 159](#).

- What model function do you want to use in each project of the portfolio?

SAS Decision Manager has several model function types:

- Classification
- Prediction
- Segmentation
- Analytical

After the model function is specified for the portfolio, the **Model function** property for a project cannot be changed. Ensure that the types of models that you are going to use in each project of the portfolio fit within the selected model function type. For more information, see [Table 11.1 on page 123](#).

- How do you want to define your project input and output variables? When you create a portfolio, you can import the variables using input and output prototype tables. The project variables are set for each project within the portfolio. The prototype tables must be registered in the SAS Metadata Repository. Tables that were registered using the SAS Management Console must also be made available in the Data category view before you create the portfolio. For more information, see [“Defining Project Input and Output Variables” on page 126](#).
- What method do you want to use to track the progress of a version? The Workflows and My Tasks category views enable you to track the progress of tasks from the version level for each individual project within a portfolio. An authorized user can create a workflow and associate it with a version. For more information, see [“Overview of Using Workflows” on page 277](#).
- When you publish project champion models from a portfolio to the SAS Metadata Repository, you must specify a location in which to store the models. You might need to create a folder in the SAS Metadata Repository, if one does not already exist. For more information, see [“Publishing Models from a Portfolio” on page 145](#).
- After your project champion models are in a production environment, you can monitor the performance of the project champion models within a portfolio in SAS Decision Manager using your organization's operational data. If you use SAS Decision Manager to monitor performance of projects within a portfolio, you must first prepare performance tables using the operational data and then register the tables in the SAS Metadata Repository using the Data category view. Tables that are registered to the SAS Metadata Repository using SAS Management Console must also be made available to the Data category view. For more information, see [“Creating a Performance Table” on page 414](#).
- When you run performance monitoring reports, you can set up performance index alert and warning conditions to notify users if conditions exceed the indexes. For more information, see [“Performance Index Warnings and Alerts” on page 226](#).

Prerequisites for Creating Portfolios

After you have planned the projects and models that you want to have in your portfolio, you must create a project control table that contains the segment identifiers, projects, and models. The project control table can then be used by to create a hierarchy of your portfolio.

Portfolios can be created only by authorized users who have the capability to access the Portfolios category. Ensure that users who create portfolios are assigned to the group **Model Manager Administrator Users** or **Model Manager Advanced Users** in SAS Management Console.

The project control table must contain the project names (project_name variable) to create the projects within the portfolio. At least one segment identifier variable (for example, segid) is required, and that segment identifier variable must also be in the performance data set. When you want to monitor the performance of project champion models, you must also associate the model name (model variable) with each project (project_name) and segment identifier (segid, or another name for the segments) in the table.

You must know the model function type before you create a portfolio. SAS Decision Manager has several model function types:

- Classification
- Prediction
- Segmentation
- Analytical

To determine the model function type for your project, compare your model to the descriptions in [Table 11.1 on page 123](#).

If you use prototype tables to define the project input and output variables, you must do one of the following two things before you can create a portfolio. Create the project input and output tables and register them in the SAS Metadata Repository using the **Data** category view. Tables that are registered to the SAS Metadata Repository using the SAS Management Console must then be made available to the **Data** category view of SAS Decision Manager. See the following documents for details:

- For instructions about creating project input and output tables, see [“Creating Project Input and Output Tables” on page 411](#).
- For instructions about registering tables using the Data category view, see [Chapter 4, “Managing Data Tables,” on page 49](#).

Creating a Project Control Table

After you have planned the projects and models that you want to have in your portfolio, you must create a project control table that contains the segment identifiers, projects, and models. The project control table is then used to create the hierarchy of your portfolio when you create a new portfolio. The variable names that are required in the project control table are at least one segment identifier (for example, segid), project_name, and model. All variables other than project_name and model are treated as segment identifier variables. The segment identifier variables do not have a required naming convention.

Here is an example of the code to create a project control table.


```
data control_Table;
  length segid project_name model $20;
  infile datalines dsd dlm=' ' missover;
  input segid project_name model;
  datalines;
  seg01,US,reg1.spk
  seg02,Canada,tree1.spk
```



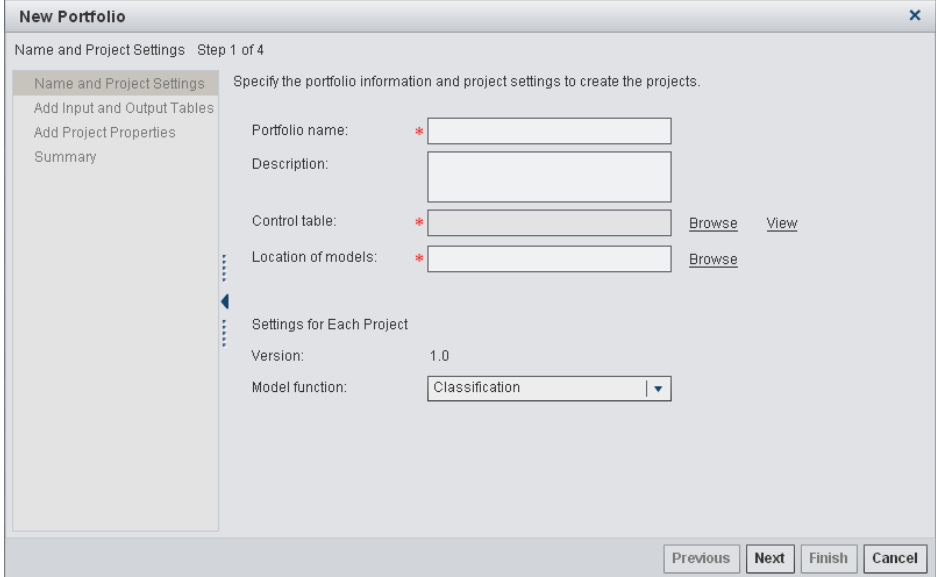
```
seg03,Germany,hpf_class.spk
;
run;
```

Create a New Portfolio

To create a new portfolio:

1. Verify that the project control table contains the required variables. For more information, see [“Prerequisites for Creating Portfolios” on page 139](#).
2. Select a folder or create a new folder in which to store the new portfolio.
3. Click  and select **New Portfolio**. The New Portfolio window appears.

Note: Alternatively, you can right-click a folder and select **New Portfolio**.



New Portfolio

Name and Project Settings Step 1 of 4

Name and Project Settings Specify the portfolio information and project settings to create the projects.

Add Input and Output Tables

Add Project Properties

Summary

Portfolio name: *

Description:

Control table: * Browse View

Location of models: * Browse

Settings for Each Project

Version: 1.0

Model function: Classification

Previous Next Finish Cancel

Note: The value for the initial version is auto-populated and is the version name that is created within each project for the new portfolio.

4. Enter a name for the portfolio.
5. (Optional) Enter a description for the portfolio.
6. Click **Browse** to select the control table. Click **OK**.
7. Click **Browse** to select the location of the model SPK files that are specified in the control table. Click **OK**.
8. Select a model function to indicate the type of models that should be imported into each project within the portfolio.

New Portfolio Step 1 of 4

Name and Project Settings Specify the portfolio information and project settings to create the projects.

Portfolio name: * Portfolio1

Description:

Control table: * MMLib.CONTROL_TABLE2 [Browse](#) [View](#)

Location of models: * C:\SMM131Tutorials\Models\segmodi [Browse](#)

Settings for Each Project

Version: 1.0

Model function: Classification

Previous Next Finish Cancel

9. Click **Next**.

10. Click **Browse** to select the input and output tables. The input and output variables in the tables are applied to all of the projects.

New Portfolio Step 2 of 4

Add Input and Output Tables Specify the input and output variables to apply to all of the projects in the portfolio.

Input table: * MMLib.HMEQ_PROJECT_INPUT [Browse](#)

Output table: * MMLib.HMEQ_PROJECT_OUTPUT [Browse](#)

Previous Next Finish Cancel

Click **Next**.

11. Specify the project properties to apply to all projects within the portfolio. The properties are used to perform tasks and generate reports.

New Portfolio

Add Project Properties Step 3 of 4

Name and Project Settings
Add Input and Output Tables
Add Project Properties
Summary

Specify the project properties to generate the performance monitoring reports.

Default test table: MMLib.HMEQ_TEST [Browse](#)

Training target variable: BAD

Class target level: Binary

Target event value: 1

Output event probability variable: score

Previous Next Finish Cancel

12. Click **Next** to view the summary of information that has been specified.

New Portfolio

Summary Step 4 of 4

Name and Project Settings
Add Input and Output Tables
Add Project Properties
Summary

| Name | Version |
|------------|---------|
| Portfolio1 | |

Input Variables

| Variables | Description |
|-----------|-------------|
| CLNO | |
| DELINQ | |
| JOB | |
| DEROG | |
| LOAN | |

Output Variables

| Variables | Description |
|-----------|-------------|
| score | |

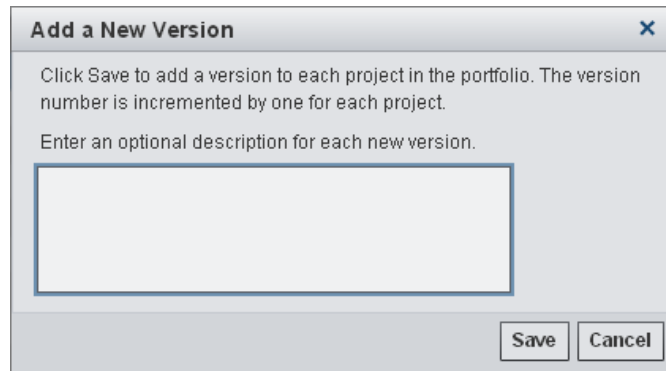
Previous Next Finish Cancel

13. Click **Finish**. The new portfolio appears in the list.

Add a New Version

You can add a new version to all projects within a portfolio.

1. Open a portfolio, select the **Projects** page, and click **+**. The Add a New Version window appears.

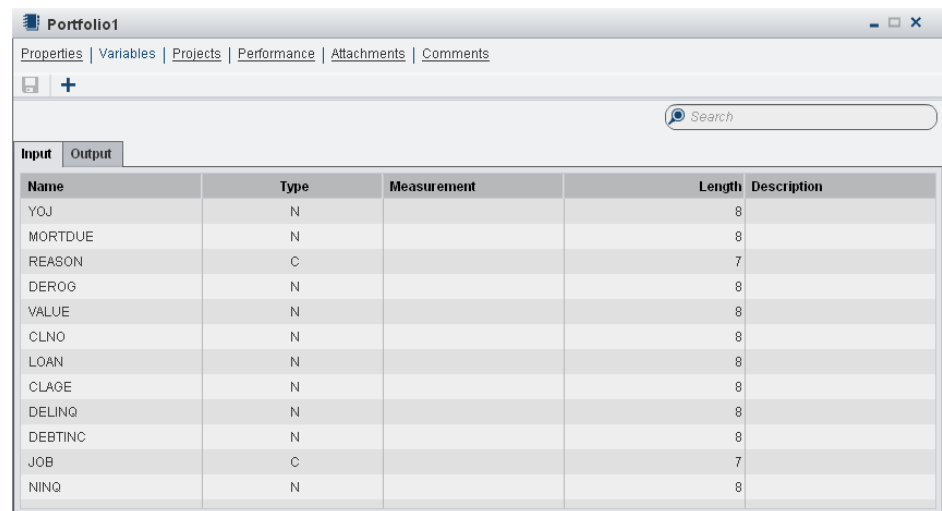


2. (Optional) Enter a description for each new version.
3. Click **Save**. The version number is incremented by one for each project within the portfolio.
4. Click **OK** for the confirmation message.

Add an Input Variable

You can add input variables to each project within a portfolio.

1. Open a portfolio.
2. Select the **Variables** page and click the **Input** tab.



3. Click **+**.

4. Enter a name.
5. (Optional) Enter a description.
6. Select a type.
7. (Optional) Enter a measurement.
8. Enter a length.
9. Click **OK**. The input variable is added to the portfolio and to all projects within the portfolio.

Publishing Models from a Portfolio

About Publishing Models

To publish the champion models and challenger models for projects within a portfolio, you must have already set the models that you want to publish as project champion models or challengers. SAS Decision Manager examines the projects and always publishes the champion models. When the champion model for a project changes and you publish the model again to the same location, the scoring application automatically uses the latest score code. In the Portfolios category view, when you select a portfolio, you only can publish the project champion models to the SAS Metadata Repository. When you open a portfolio, on the **Projects** page you have the option to publish a project champion model and its challengers to the SAS Metadata Repository, a SAS Channel, or to a configured database.

Note: SAS Decision Manager cannot publish R models.

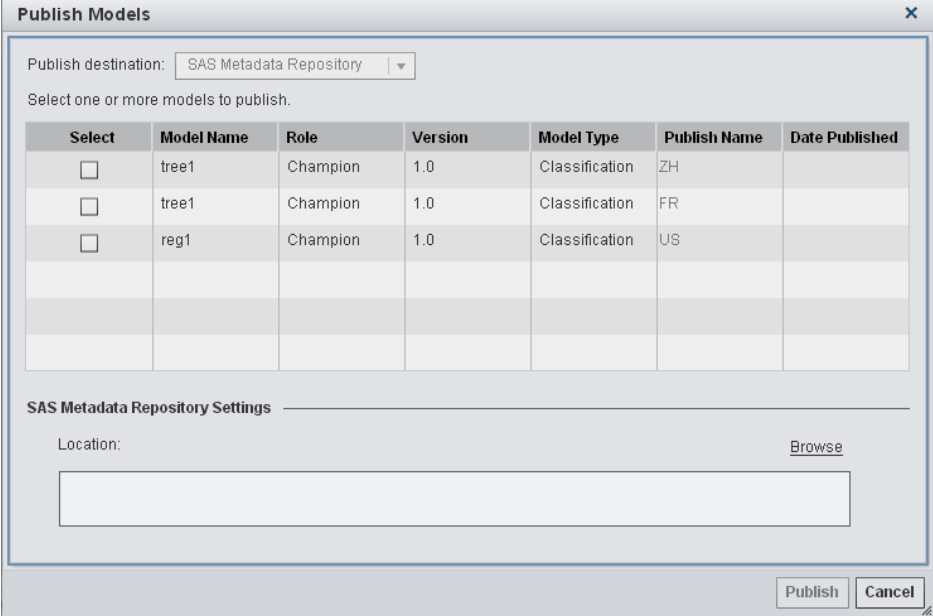
To verify that a champion model has been assigned to all of the projects within a portfolio that you want to publish. Open a project and select **Properties** ⇒ **Specific**. The **Champion version** property contains the name of the champion version. For more information, see [“Champion Models” on page 256](#).

Publishing Project Champion Models

In the Portfolios category view, you can publish the champion models for projects within a portfolio to the SAS Metadata Repository.

To publish champion models for projects in a portfolio:

1. Select a portfolio and click .



Publish Models

Publish destination: SAS Metadata Repository

Select one or more models to publish.

| Select | Model Name | Role | Version | Model Type | Publish Name | Date Published |
|--------------------------|------------|----------|---------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | tree1 | Champion | 1.0 | Classification | ZH | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | tree1 | Champion | 1.0 | Classification | FR | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | reg1 | Champion | 1.0 | Classification | US | |
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SAS Metadata Repository Settings

Location: Browse

Publish Cancel

2. Select one or more champion models that you want to publish from the models list.
3. Click **Browse** and select the location to publish the model to.
4. Click **Publish**.
5. Click **Close** in the confirmation message.


Note: Alternatively, you can right-click a portfolio and select **Publish**.

See Also

[“Publishing Models to the SAS Metadata Repository” on page 263](#)

Publish Champion and Challenger Models

Publish to the SAS Metadata Repository

1. Open a portfolio and select the **Projects** page.
2. Select a project and click .
3. Select **SAS Metadata Repository** from the publish destination list.

Publish Models

Publish destination: SAS Metadata Repository

Select one or more models to publish, and specify a publish name for each model.


| Select | Model Name | Role | Version | Model Type | Publish Name | Date Published |
|--------------------------|------------|------------|---------|----------------|--------------|--------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | tree1 | Champion | 1.0 | Classification | FR | Aug 5, 2014 07:... |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | reg1 | Challenger | 1.0 | Classification | reg1 | |
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SAS Metadata Repository Settings

Location: [Browse](#)

- Specify a **Publish Name** for the challenger models. The publish name for a champion model cannot be modified.
- Click **Browse** and select the location to publish the model to.
- Click **Publish**.

Publish to a SAS Channel

- Open a portfolio and select the **Projects** page.
- Select a project and click .
- Select **SAS Channel** from the publish destination list.

Publish Models

Publish destination: SAS Channel

Select a model to publish.

| Select | Model Name | Approved | Role | Version | Model Type | Date Published |
|-----------------------|------------|----------|------------|---------|----------------|----------------------|
| <input type="radio"/> | tree1 | | Champion | 1.0 | Classification | Aug 5, 2014 07:07 PM |
| <input type="radio"/> | reg1 | | Challenger | 1.0 | Classification | |
| | | | | | | |

SAS Channel Settings

Channel: MMChannel

Description: The Model Manager channel

Subject: Model Manager


Subscribers:

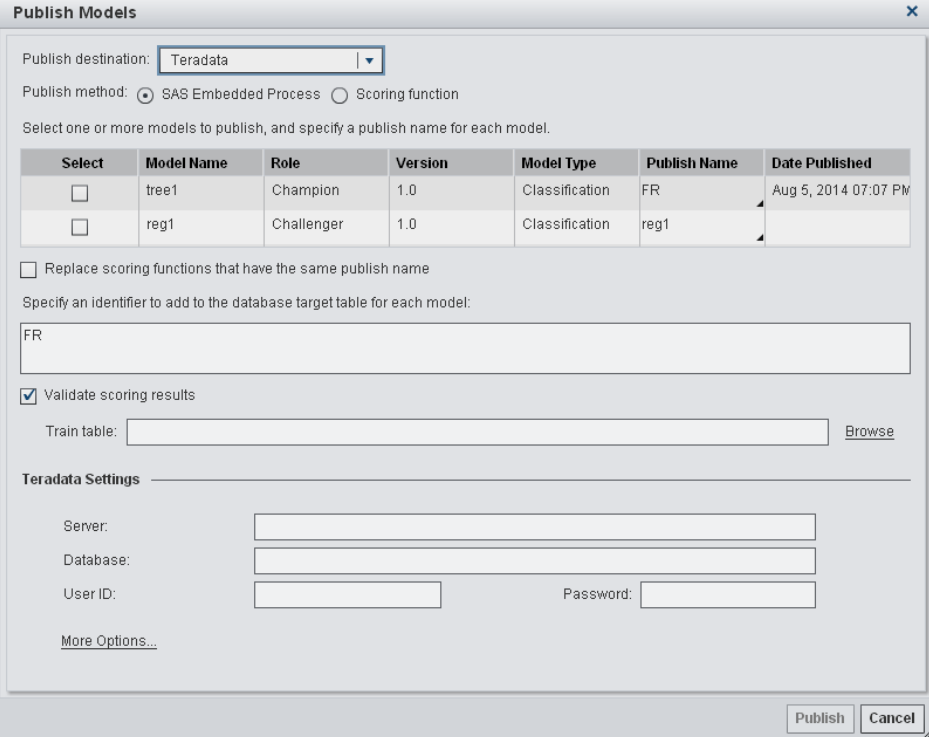
[More Options...](#)

- Select the model that you want to publish from the models list.
- Select a publication channel from the channel drop-down list.

6. (Optional) Click **More Options** to specify a message subject, notes, and user-defined properties. Click **Save**.
7. Click **Publish**.

Publish to a Database

1. Open a portfolio and select the **Projects** page.
2. Select a project and click .
3. Select a database from the publish destination list.



Publish Models

Publish destination: Teradata

Publish method: ☒ SAS Embedded Process ☐ Scoring function

Select one or more models to publish, and specify a publish name for each model.

| Select | Model Name | Role | Version | Model Type | Publish Name | Date Published |
|--------------------------|------------|------------|---------|----------------|--------------|----------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | tree1 | Champion | 1.0 | Classification | FR | Aug 5, 2014 07:07 PM |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | reg1 | Challenger | 1.0 | Classification | reg1 | |

☐ Replace scoring functions that have the same publish name

Specify an identifier to add to the database target table for each model:

FR

☒ Validate scoring results

Train table: [Browse](#)

Teradata Settings

Server:

Database:

User ID: Password:

[More Options...](#)

Publish **Cancel**


4. Select a publish method.
5. Select the model that you want to publish from the models list.
6. Specify a **Publish Name** for each model.

Note: The default format of the publish name is configured by the SAS administrator.
7. (Optional) Select whether to **Replace scoring files that have the same publish name**.
8. Specify an identifier to add to the database target table for each model.
9. (Optional) Select whether to **Validate scoring results**. If selected, click **Browse** to navigate to the appropriate train table.
10. Specify the database settings.
11. Click **More Options** to specify other options for the database.
12. Click **Publish**.

Remove Published Models from a Database

The SAS Embedded Process publish method enables you to replace the model scoring files, but the scoring function publish method publishes the model as a separate entry in the database each time. If you modify the previously published models or change the champion model or challenger models, the Remove Models from a Database feature enables you to remove the previously published models, so that you can clean up the test or production database.

To remove models from a database:

1. Open a portfolio and select the **Projects** page.
2. Select a project, and click .
3. Specify the database settings and click **Log On**.
4. Select the models that you want to remove from the database.
5. Click **Remove Models**. A warning message appears.
6. Click **Yes**.

Monitor Performance of Project Champion Models

To create performance monitoring reports for all projects within a portfolio, you create and execute a performance definition for all projects within a portfolio. Execution of the generated code creates the SAS data sets that are used to display the performance monitoring reports on the **Performance** page of each project.

To monitor the performance of the champion models for all projects:

1. On the **Performance** page of a portfolio, click **Edit Definition**.
2. Select one or more output variables for stability analysis. To select all output variables, click **All**.
3. Select one or more input variables for characteristic analysis. To select all input variables, click **All**.

Performance Definition

Select Variables Step 1 of 3

Select Variables

Select Performance Options

Select Alerts and Notifications

Select the output variables for stability analysis:

| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All | Variables | Description |
|---|-----------|-------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | score | |
| | | |
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| | | |

Select the input variables for characteristic analysis:

| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All | Variables | Description |
|---|-----------|-------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | YQJ | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | MORTDUE | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | REASON | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | DEROG | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | VALUE | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | |

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Click **Next**.

4. Specify the performance data options.

- Click **Browse** to select the performance data source.

Note: The performance data source must contain the same segment identifier variables as the control table.

- To run the score code in the performance monitor job, select the **Run model score code** check box. If the check box is not selected, all of the output variables for stability analysis must be in the performance data source.
- Click and select a date. The date can be any date in the time period when the performance data was collected.
- Enter a report label to associate with the performance data. The report label represents the time point of the performance data source. Because the report label appears in the performance charts, use a label that has not been used for another time period, is short, and is understandable (for example, Q1).

Note: If you duplicate report labels, previous performance results are overwritten.

5. Specify the properties that are used to generate the performance monitoring reports. The properties default to the values that were set when you created a portfolio.

Performance Definition

Set Performance Options Step 2 of 3

Select Variables
Set Performance Options
Set Alerts and Notifications

Specify the performance data options.

Performance data source: MMLib.HMEQ_Q1 [Browse](#)

☒ Run model score code

Collection date: 03/31/2013

Report label: Q1

Specify the following properties to generate the performance monitoring reports.

Class target level: Binary

Training target variable: BAD

Target event value: 1

Output event probability variable: score

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Click **Next**.

6. (Optional) Specify values for the alert and warning conditions or accept the defaults.
7. (Optional) To send the results by e-mail, click . A new row is added to the table.
 - a. Enter an e-mail address.
 - b. Select **Yes** if you want an alert or warning to be sent by e-mail when alert or warning thresholds have been exceeded.
 - c. Select **Yes** if you want a completion notice with the job status to be sent by e-mail every time the report runs.

Performance Definition

Set Alerts and Notifications Step 3 of 3

Select Variables
Set Performance Options
Set Alerts and Notifications

Specify values for the alert and warning conditions.

| Condition | Value |
|--------------------------|---|
| Characteristic - Alert | $p1 > 5$ or $p25 > 0$ |
| Stability - Alert | $\text{outputDeviation} > 0.03$ |
| Model - Alert | $(\text{lift5Decay} > 0.15 \text{ and } \text{lift10Decay} > 0.12) \text{ or } \text{giniDecay} > 0.05$ |
| Characteristic - Warning | $p1 > 2$ |
| Stability - Warning | $\text{outputDeviation} > 0.01$ |
| Model - Warning | $\text{lift5Decay} > 0.05$ |

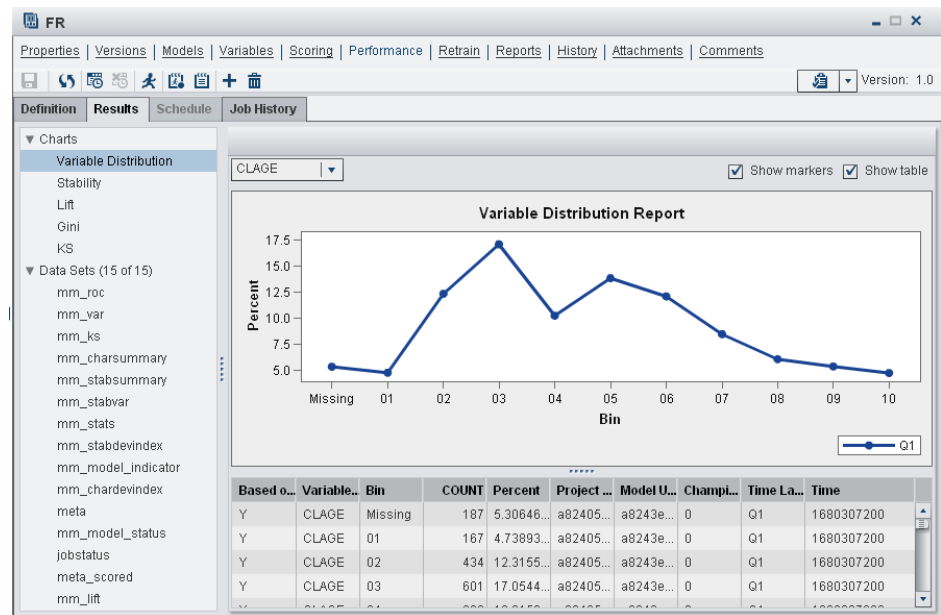
Specify who should receive notifications and when.

| E-mail Address | Send Alert or Warning | Send Job Status |
|----------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
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8. Click **Save**.
9. Click .
10. After the performance monitoring is complete, a confirmation message appears. Click **Close**.

11. To view the performance results, select the **Projects** page, and open a project. Select the **Performance** page to view results.



See Also

[“Prerequisites for Editing a Performance Definition” on page 231](#)

Add Attachments

You can view and add attachments such as images or documents. Attachments can be added at the object-level for portfolios, projects, and models.

To add an attachment:

1. Select the **Attachments** page.
2. Click **+**.
3. Select a file to attach and click **Open**.

Note: Click **X** to remove an attachment.


See Also

[“Add Attachments to a Project” on page 128](#)

Add Comments

You can add new topics or respond to an existing topic. You can also search the comments. Comments can be added at the object-level for portfolios, projects, and models.

To add a comment:

1. Select the **Comments** page
2. Enter a topic name and a comment.
3. (Optional) Click  to attach a file to the new topic. Repeat this step to attach multiple files.

Note: You can also click **Remove** to remove an attachment.

4. Click **Post**.

See Also

[“Add Comments to a Project” on page 129](#)

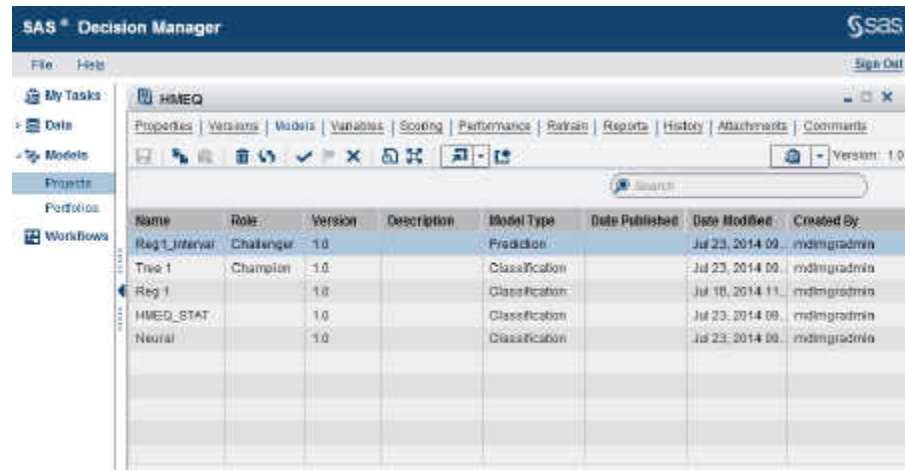
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Importing Models

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Overview of Importing Models

After you create a project, you import models. The **Models** page contains all of the models under a project. After model evaluation, one of the candidate models becomes the champion model. However, the first step is to import the candidate models onto your project's **Models** page.



The screenshot shows the SAS Decision Manager web interface. On the left is a navigation pane with links for My Tasks, Data, Models, Projects, Portfolios, and Workflows. The main area displays a table of models with the following data:

| Name | Role | Version | Description | Model Type | Date Published | Date Modified | Created By |
|----------------|------------|---------|-------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|------------|
| Reg_1_interval | Challenger | 1.0 | | Prediction | | Jul 23, 2014 09 | mdimgadmin |
| Tree 1 | Champion | 1.0 | | Classification | | Jul 23, 2014 09 | mdimgadmin |
| Reg 1 | | 1.0 | | Classification | | Jul 10, 2014 11 | mdimgadmin |
| HMEQ_STAT | | 1.0 | | Classification | | Jul 23, 2014 09 | mdimgadmin |
| Neural | | 1.0 | | Classification | | Jul 23, 2014 09 | mdimgadmin |

There are many methods of importing your SAS models into your project version:

- [Import a Model from the SAS Metadata Repository on page 157](#)
- [Import a SAS Model Package File on page 157](#)
- [Import a Model from Local Files on page 159](#)
- [Import a PMML Model on page 159](#)
- [Add Model Files to an Existing Model on page 162](#)

SAS macros are also provided so that you can use SAS code to import or register SAS models into your project. For more information, see [“Overview of Access Macros” on page 293](#) and [“Using Macros to Register Models Not Created by SAS Enterprise Miner” on page 341](#).

Keep the following details in mind:

- Scorecard models can be imported using the SAS Code Models local files method and the SAS Model Package File import method.
- HPFOREST procedure models can be imported using the SAS Metadata Repository import and the SAS Model Package File import. You cannot import PROC HPFOREST models using local files.
- High-Performance analytics models that are not created with SAS Enterprise Miner can be registered to the SAS Metadata Repository using the %AA_Model_Register. These models can then be imported to SAS Decision Manager by importing the models from the SAS Metadata Repository from a SAS model package file.
- Before you can import COUNTREG procedure and SEVERITY procedure models, you must create the model score code using the %MM_Countreg_Create_Scorecode macro and the %MM_Severity_Create_Scorecode macro. After the score code is generated, you can use the %MM_Model_Register macro or the local files method to import these models. For more information about the types of model component tables, see [“Generating Score Code for COUNTREG Procedure Models” on page 365](#).
- SAS Decision Manager cannot publish models to a database whose **Score Code Type** model property is set to **SAS Program** or **PMML**.
- Model component table variable names must start with a letter or underscore, and can contain letters, the underscore (_), the hyphen (-), and the period (.). Variables with special characters can be used only when the administrator has set the **Valid Variable Name** option to **Yes** in the SAS Management Console or set the

variable from start-up code. For more information, see the *SAS Decision Manager: Administrator's Guide*.


CAUTION:

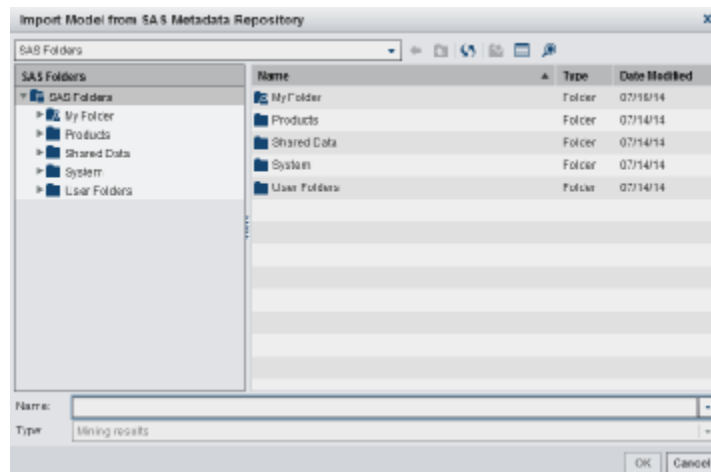
Unexpected results might occur if you import a model that was previously exported using SAS Decision Manager. A best practice is to import models that were not previously exported by SAS Decision Manager.

Import a Model from the SAS Metadata Repository

If your SAS Enterprise Miner 5.1 (or later) model files or your models that were created by the %AA_Model_Register macro are registered in your SAS Metadata Repository, you can import them into SAS Decision Manager from the repository.

To import a model from the SAS Metadata Repository:

1. Click  and select **from the SAS Metadata Repository**.




2. Navigate to the location of the file and select the model file to import.
3. Enter a name for the model and click **OK**.

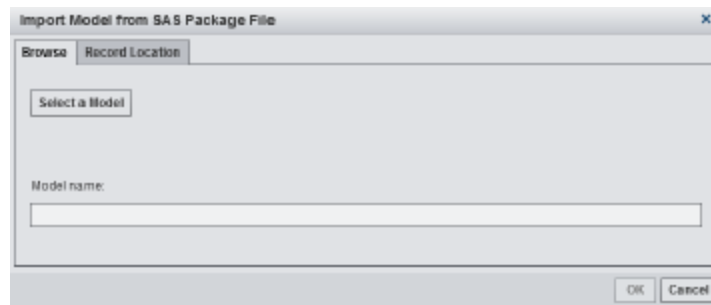
Import a Model from a SAS Package File

Import a SAS Package File

A SAS model package (SPK) file is a SAS Enterprise Miner SPK file or an SPK file that was created by using the %AA_Model_Register macro. SPK files contain complete model information. They enable you to import a complete model that is not registered in a SAS Metadata Repository.

To import a model from a SAS Package File:

1. Click  and select **from a SAS package file**.



2. On the **Browse** tab, click **Select a Model** and navigate to the location of the file. Select the file to import and click **Open**.
3. Enter a name for the model.
4. (Optional) On the **Record Location** tab, enter the location of the SAS package file in order to record it in the model's history log.
5. Click **OK**.

Create SAS Package Files in SAS Enterprise Miner

To create SAS Package Files in SAS Enterprise Miner:

1. Open the SAS Enterprise Miner diagram that contains the model, and then run the model.
2. After the model run is complete, right-click the node in the SAS Enterprise Miner Diagram Workspace, and select **Create Model Package**. The new SPK filename appears under the Model Packages folder in your SAS Enterprise Miner Project Navigator.
3. Right-click the filename and select **Save As** to copy the SPK file from the SAS Enterprise Miner server to your computer.
4. Specify a destination folder on your computer, such as, **C:\MMDData**, and save the file to your workstation folder.

Create SAS Package Files Using the %AA_Model_Register Macro

These models can be created by SAS procedures and are supported by SAS Decision Manager:

- SAS/STAT item store models
- High-performance models
- SAS/ETS COUNTREG procedure models
- SAS/ETS SEVERITY procedure models


You can use the %AA_Model_Register macro to create an SPK file to contain these models. For more information, see [“Overview of Access Macros” on page 293](#).

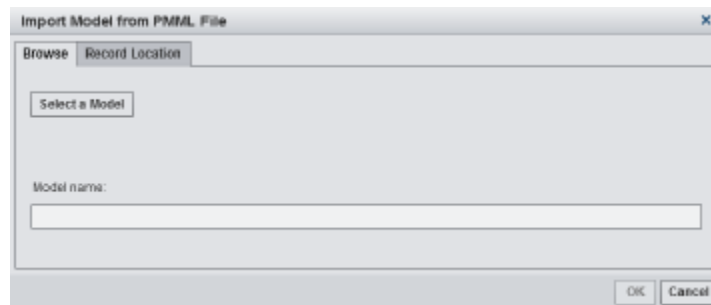
Import a PMML Model

Predictive Modeling Markup Language (PMML) is an XML-based standard for representing data mining results. PMML is designed to enable the sharing and deployment of data mining results between vendor applications and across data management systems. You can import PMML models that are produced by using other applications. PMML 4.0 (or later) is supported. Models that are created using PMML 4.0 support DATA step score code. If you have licensed SAS Enterprise Miner, see the topic “SAS Enterprise Miner PMML Support” in the product Help.

Note: SAS Decision Manager does not support the importing of a PMML file that contains multiple models.

To import a PMML model:

1. Click  and select **from a PMML file**.



2. On the **Browse** tab, click **Select a Model** and navigate to the location of the file. Select the file to import and click **Open**.
3. Enter a name for the model.
4. (Optional) On the **Record Location** tab, enter the location of the PMML file in order to record it in the model's history log.
5. Click **OK**.

Import Models from Local Files

You can import R models, and you can also import models that you created using SAS code, but that were not created in or exported from SAS Enterprise Miner. An example of a model might be a SAS LOGISTIC procedure model, a SEVERITY model, or an R logistic model. You can also add files later that were not available when the model was originally imported.

When you import models using the local file method, keep the following in mind:

- The table names that you specify as model components must start with a letter or underscore.
- Table names can contain a period.
- Table names cannot be more than 32 characters long.

- Spaces or special characters (for example, ~!@#\$\$%^&*()+={}[]\|.;'<>?/") are not valid in a table name.

For more information, see [Model Template Component Files on page 395](#).

Note: HPFOREST models cannot be imported using local files.


To use the Local Files method, you must prepare model component files. Model component files provide the metadata that is used to process a model in SAS Decision Manager. The model component files that you prepare are dependent upon the project's model function. You can find the model function in the project property **Model function**. The model functions for SAS code models are analytical, classification, prediction, or segmentation. The model functions for R models are analytical, classification, or prediction. For a list of component files by model function, see [“Model Templates” on page 395](#). If you do not have all of the component files when you import the model, you can create them and add them later. For more information, see [“Add Model Files to an Existing Model” on page 162](#).

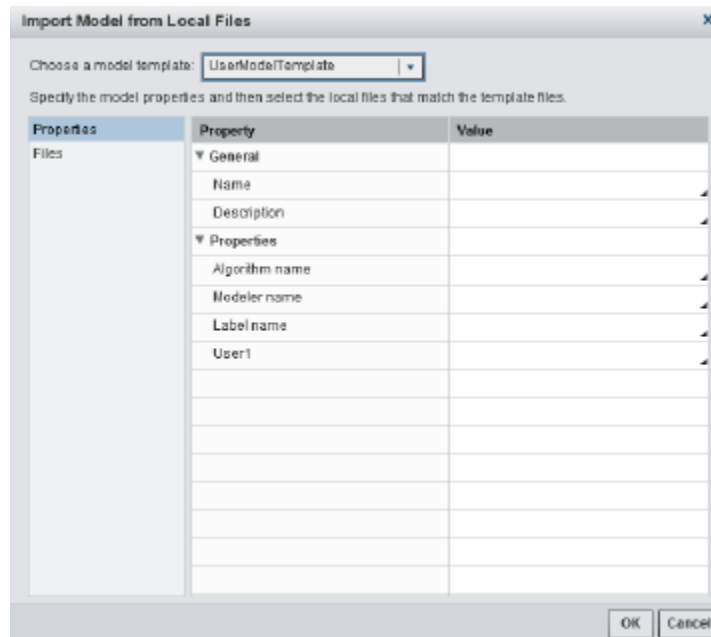
SAS code models, at a minimum, require a score code component file (score.sas) and other component files to define the model input and output variables in SAS tables. Prediction and classification models also require a component file to define target variables.

R models, at a minimum, require SAS and R score code component files, a file for the output parameter estimate, and the other component files to define the model input and output variables using either SAS data sets or XML files. Prediction and classification models also require a component file to define target variables. For more information, see [“Overview of Using R Models with SAS Decision Manager” on page 447](#).

The score code component file (score.sas) is DATA step score code and is used as input by the SAS Scoring Accelerator when publishing a model to a database. In the scoring function publish method, some SAS language elements and syntax are not supported when you create or modify your score code. Only the SAS language elements and syntax that are required to run critical data transformations and model scoring functions are available. If you use a statement or function that is not supported, your model is not published to the database. For more information, see [“Considerations When Creating or Modifying DATA Step Score Code”](#) in Chapter 2 of *SAS In-Database Products: User's Guide*.

To import models from local files:

1. Click  and select **from local files**.



2. Select a model template from the drop-down list.
3. Click **Properties** and specify the model properties.
4. Click **Files** and select the local files from the SAS Workspace Server that match the template files. You cannot delete a file once you have added it. To replace the file, select another file or cancel the import and start over.
5. Click **OK**.

Set Model Properties

After you import a model, you can specify additional property values for your imported model. On the **Model Properties** page, you can perform the following tasks:

- View the input and output variables, and create a scoring output table
- Map model output variables to project output variables
- View and edit score code
- View and add model files
- View the history to see a log that shows changes to the model, and to the published models

To set the model properties:

1. Select and open a model and view the **Model Properties** page. See the below table for what types of properties can be specified.

| Model Properties | Description |
|---------------------|---|
| General | On this page you can view the model name, who created it, and the dates it was created and modified. The only property that you can edit is the description. For more information, see “General Properties” on page 123 . |
| Specific | On this page you can enter information for various items. Some values are automatically populated and cannot be modified. For editable properties, click Browse , enter, or select a value. For more information, see “Specific Properties ” on page 404 . |
| System | This page is a read-only and is created after a model has been imported. The system properties for models do not require any configuration after the model is imported. For more information, see “System Properties” on page 126 . |
| User-Defined | On this page you can view the user-defined properties for a model. You can also create user-defined properties. For more information, see “User-Defined Properties” on page 126 . |


2. Click .

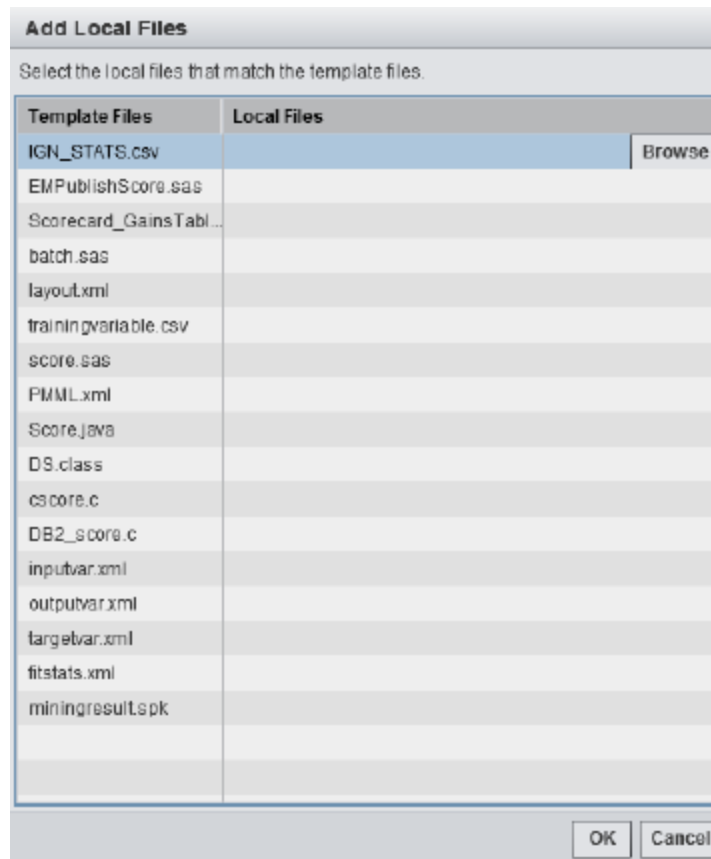
To create a scoring output table, see [“Create Scoring Output Tables” on page 170](#)


Add Model Files to an Existing Model

Suppose you want to import a model, but you lack some of the model component files that are needed to complete a model import. The model files utility enables you to add files later that were not available when the model was originally imported.

To add a local file to an existing model:

1. Select and open a model.
2. On the **Model Properties** page, select **Advanced** ⇌ **Model Files**.
3. Click .
4. Select a row and click **Browse** to select the local files that match the template files.



5. When the update is complete, click **OK**.
6. Click . If you do not see your updates immediately, you may need to close the model and reopen it.

Map Model Variables to Project Variables

After a model has been imported and the remaining model properties are set on the **Model Properties** page, you must map the model output variables to the project output variables. For more information about project input and output tables, see [Defining Project Input and Output Variables on page 126](#).

To map model variables to project variables:

1. Select and open a model.
2. Select **Model Properties** ⇒ **Output Mapping**.
3. Click the box in the **Value** column beside the variable in the **Property** column to display project variables.

Add Attachments

You can view and add attachments such as images or documents. Attachments can be added at the object-level for portfolios, projects, and models.

To add an attachment:

1. Select the **Attachments** page.
2. Click **+**.
3. Select a file to attach and click **Open**.

Note: Click **×** to remove an attachment.

See Also

[“Add Attachments to a Project” on page 128](#)

Add Comments

You can add new topics or respond to an existing topic. You can also search the comments. Comments can be added at the object-level for portfolios, projects, and models.

To add a comment:

1. Select the **Comments** page
2. Enter a topic name and a comment.
3. (Optional) Click **📎** to attach a file to the new topic. Repeat this step to attach multiple files.

Note: You can also click **Remove** to remove an attachment.

4. Click **Post**.

See Also

[“Add Comments to a Project” on page 129](#)

Part 5

Evaluating Models and Monitoring Performance

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Chapter 15

Scoring Models

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Overview of Scoring Tests

The purpose of a scoring test is to run the score code of a model and produce scoring results that you can use for scoring accuracy and performance analysis. The scoring test uses data from a scoring test input table to generate the scoring test output table. The types of score code for a model that can be imported are a DATA step fragment and ready-to-run SAS code.

If your environment has its own means of executing the score code, then your use of the SAS Decision Manager scoring tests is mostly limited to testing the score code. Otherwise, you can use the scoring tests both to test your score code and execute it in a production environment. Scoring results for a model in a test environment are stored on the SAS Content Server. Scoring results for a model in a production environment are written to the location that the output table metadata specifies. In Windows, the scoring test output table in a SAS library must have Modify, Read and Execute, Read, and Write security permissions. For more information, see Chapter 5, “Configuring Users, Groups, and Roles,” in *SAS Decision Manager: Administrator's Guide*.

CAUTION:

Executing a scoring test in production mode overwrites the scoring test output table, which might result in a loss of data.

Note: In order to run scoring tests in a high-performance environment, the scoring output table must be a SAS table and not a database table.

You create a new scoring test in the **Scoring** page of your project.



These are the tests that you perform as part of the scoring test workflow:

- Before creating a scoring test, you must create and register scoring test input and output tables. For more information, see [“Create Scoring Output Tables” on page 170](#).
- When a new scoring test is successfully created, the scoring test is selected on the **Scoring** page. The scoring test displays the various scoring test information. For more information, see [“Create a Scoring Test” on page 172](#).
- Before you execute the scoring test, it is recommended that you verify the scoring test output variable mappings on the Scoring Output Table view. For more information, [“Create Scoring Output Tables” on page 170](#).
- To execute a scoring test, you can select and run a test. For more information, see [“Execute a Scoring Test” on page 173](#).
- To run a scoring test at a scheduled time, you can specify the date, time and frequency that you want the scoring test to run. For more information, see [“Schedule a Scoring Test” on page 173](#).
- After the successful execution of the scoring test, you can view the results on the Results tab. For more information, see [“Execute a Scoring Test” on page 173](#).

Create Scoring Output Tables

What Is a Scoring Output Table?

A scoring output table is a SAS data set that contains the data from executing a scoring test. The scoring output table cannot be a database table. You can provide a scoring output table or you can create a scoring output table definition using SAS Decision Manager. When you create a scoring test, you specify either the scoring output table that you provide or the scoring test output definition as the scoring test output table. A SAS data set that you provide as a scoring output table must be registered in the SAS Metadata Repository and made available to SAS Decision Manager in the Data category view.

You can create a scoring output table definition by using the Create Scoring Output Table function directly from the model. You select variables from a scoring test input table as well as variables from the model’s output. The variables in the input variables table are variables from the scoring test input table if one is specified for the **Default scoring input table** property for a project, version, or model property. Otherwise, the input variables table is empty. The output variables that appear are model output variables. You use the variables from both tables to create the scoring output table. For more information, see [“Set Model Properties” on page 161](#).

If you create a scoring output table on the **Model Properties** page, it is automatically saved in the SAS Metadata Repository. You then have to add it to the desired library in the Data category view. If you add an existing scoring output table to a library in the Data category view, it must be available in the SAS Metadata Repository.

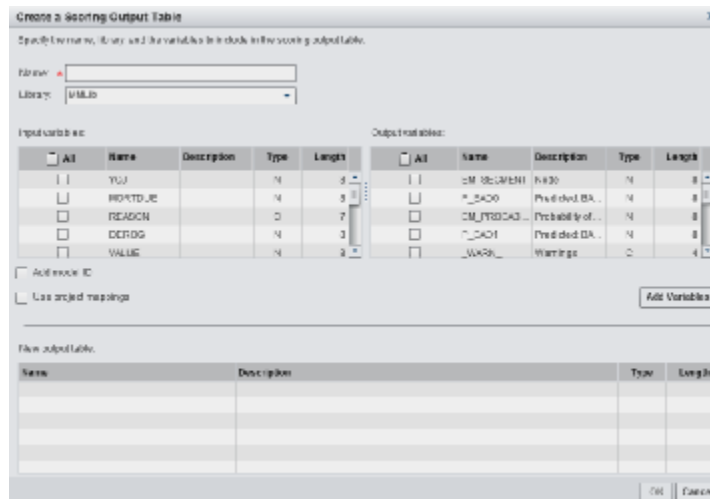
SAS Decision Manager saves the table definition as metadata in the SAS Metadata Repository. The location of the metadata is defined by the SAS library that you specify when you create the output table definition. After the table definition is created, the table can be selected as the output table for subsequent scoring tests.

You can view a scoring output table definition in the Data category view. Scoring test results are stored in the **Results** tab on the **Scoring** page.

Create a Scoring Output Table

To create a scoring output table:

1. Select a model on the **Models** page and click .



2. Enter a name for the scoring output table.
3. Select a library.
4. Select the input variables.
5. Select the output variables.
6. Select whether to add the model ID variable to the output table. The model UUID appears in all rows of the output table.
7. Select whether to use project's output variable names in the output table for model variables that are mapped to project variables.
8. Click **Add Variables**. The new output table variables appear below.
9. Click **OK**.

Note: You can also open a model and then select **Model Properties** ⇒ **Variables** ⇒ **Output** to create a scoring output table.

Create a Scoring Test

To create a scoring test:


1. On the **Scoring** page of a model, click **+**. The Add a New Scoring Test window appears.


| Select | Name | Version | Type | Role |
|-----------------------|--------|---------|----------------|------|
| <input type="radio"/> | Tree 1 | 1.0 | Classification | |
| <input type="radio"/> | Reg 1 | 1.0 | Classification | |
| <input type="radio"/> | Neural | 1.0 | Classification | |

2. Enter a name for the scoring test.
3. (Optional) Enter a description of the scoring test.
4. Select a model from the list.
5. Select a type of scoring test:
 - **Test**
Specify the number of observations to be read from the scoring input table (default is 1000 rows).
 - **Production**
Note: A best practice is to select **Test** before beginning all scoring tests. Later, when you are satisfied with the results of running the scoring test and you are ready to put the test into production, you can change the type to **Production**.
6. Click **Next**.
7. Specify an **Input table**. To select a table, click **Browse** and select a table. Click **OK**.
8. Specify an **Output table**. To select a table, click **Browse** and select a table. Click **OK**.
9. Click **Next**.
10. To map the scoring output table variables to the model output variables, click in the **Model Output Variable Names** column and select a model output variable from the drop-down list for each output table variable.
11. Click **Next**.
12. Select a SAS Application Server from the list.
13. Click **Save**.

Execute a Scoring Test

To execute a scoring test:

1. Select a scoring test from the list and click .
2. Click the **Results** tab or double-click the scoring test to view the scoring test results.

Note: You can check the status of a job by clicking  and then selecting the **Tests** tab, the **Results** tab, or the **Job History** tab.


Schedule a Scoring Test

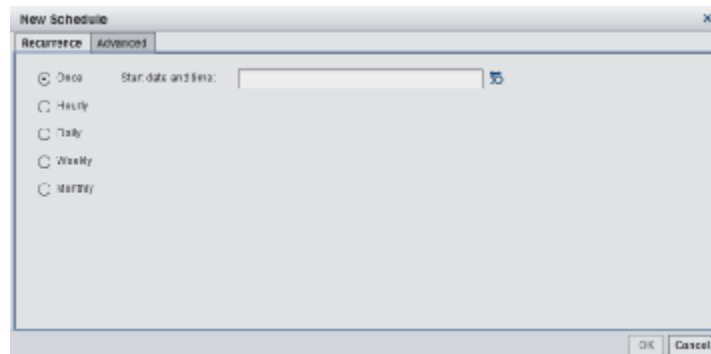
Instead of executing a scoring test, you can schedule a scoring test to run on a particular date and time. You can also schedule how often you want the scoring test to run. Advanced settings enable you to set the scheduling server, the batch server to run the scoring test, and the location of the scoring results.

Before you can schedule a scoring test, your user ID and password must be made available to the SAS Metadata Repository. You must also sign in to SAS Decision Manager using your full user credentials that were specified for your user account in SAS Management Console. For user accounts where a Microsoft Windows user ID is specified, you must enter your user ID in the format of *domain\userID*. Contact your system administrator to add or update your password, and to determine the correct user credentials for your account.

Note: You must have already created a scoring test before you can schedule a job to run the scoring test.


To schedule a scoring test:

1. Select the scoring test that you want to schedule from the list and click .



2. On the **Recurrence** tab, select the recurrence pattern.
3. Specify the criteria for when and how often the job should be run.
4. Click **OK**.
5. After the job has been scheduled, a confirmation message appears. Click **Close**.
6. Click the **Results** tab to view the scoring test results.

Note: Scoring test job schedules cannot be edited. To change the schedule, delete the schedule and create a new schedule.

To delete a schedule, select the schedule and then click .

Scoring Model Properties

Scoring Test Properties

Here is a list of the **Scoring test** properties that provide information that is specific to the scoring test.

| Property Name | Description |
|------------------------|--|
| Scoring test type | Specifies a value of Test or Production for the type of scoring test. |
| SAS Application Server | Specifies the name of the SAS Application Server to which SAS Decision Manager is connected. This value is taken from the SAS Metadata Repository. |
| Model | Specifies the name of the model whose score code is to be executed on the SAS Application Server. This value is set when the scoring test is created and cannot be modified. |
| Input table | Specifies the name of the input table (data source) to be used in scoring. This value is set when the scoring test is created and cannot be modified. |
| Output table | Specifies the name of the output table to be used in scoring. This value is set when the scoring test is created. If the scoring test type is Test , the output file is stored on the SAS Content Server. If the scoring test type is Production , then this setting identifies the output table where the results of the scoring are written. |

Result Set Properties

The following property provides information that is specific to the scoring test.

| Property Name | Description |
|------------------------|--|
| Number of observations | <p>When Scoring test type is set to Test, this property specifies how many observations are to be read from the scoring test input table. This setting enables you to limit the number of records that are written to the scoring test output table on the SAS Content Server in order to reduce operation costs. If a value is not specified, the default value of 1000 rows is used for the number of observations.</p> <p>When Scoring test type is set to Production, this property specifies how many observations are to be read from the scoring test input table and displayed when you select Result Set from the Results tab. The default value is 0, indicating that there is no limit. This value cannot be changed in SAS Decision Manager. The administrator can modify the value by using SAS Management Console. For more information, see <i>SAS Decision Manager: Administrator's Guide</i>.</p> |

Chapter 16

Using Reports to Evaluate and Validate Models

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Overview of Model Comparison, Validation, and Summary Reports

What Are Model Comparison, Validation, and Summary Reports?

The SAS Decision Manager model comparison, validation, and summary reports are tools that you can use to evaluate and compare the candidate models in a version or across versions to help you select and approve the champion model that moves to production status. The model comparison reports are analytical tools that project managers, statisticians, and analysts can use to assess the structure, performance, and resilience of candidate models. The model validation reports use statistical measures to validate the stability, performance, and calibration of risk models and parameters. The training summary data set report creates frequency and distribution charts that summarize the train table variables.

The reports present information about a number of attributes that can affect model performance. Together, the reports provide qualified information that can serve as the analytical basis for choosing and monitoring a champion model.

Here is a description of the comparison reports:

Model Profile Report

For a single model, this report displays the profile data that is associated with input, output, and target variables. Profile data includes the variable name, type, length, label, SAS format, measurement level, and role.

Delta Report

This report compares the profile data for two models and notes the differences.

Dynamic Lift Report

The Dynamic Lift report provides visual summaries of the performance of one or more models for predicting a binary outcome variable.

Interval Target Variable Report

The Interval Target Variable report creates two plots for you to view the actual versus predicted values for a model and the actual versus residual values for a model.

Interval Target Variable report can be created only for prediction models.

The following are the Basel II model validation reports:

Loss Given Default Report

The Loss Given Default (LGD) report calculates the amount that might be lost in an investment and calculates the economic or regulatory capital for Basel II compliance.

Probability of Default Model Validation Report

The Probability of Default (PD) Validation report estimates the probability of defaulting on a debt that is owed. Probability of default is used to calculate economic or regulatory capital for Basel II compliance.

The model validation reports use statistical measures that report on these model validation measures:

- The model stability measures track the change in distribution for the modeling data and scoring data.

- The model performance measures check the model's ability to distinguish between accounts that have not defaulted and accounts that have defaulted, as well as report on the relationship between actual default probability and predicted default probability.
- The model calibration measures check the accuracy of the selected models for the LGD and the PD reports by comparing the correct quantification of the risk components with the available standards.

This is the train table data set summary report:

Training Summary Data Set Report

The Training Summary Data Set report creates frequency and distribution charts for a training data set.

After you execute a performance definition, you can generate performance monitoring results and compare the champion and challenger models:

Monitoring Report

After you execute a performance definition, SAS Decision Manager stores the output data sets in the project folder. You can format the performance monitoring results and then view the performance monitoring results report.

Champion and Challenger Report

After you execute a performance definition for the champion model, you can execute a performance definition for the challenger model using the same performance data sets. You can then create a Champion and Challenger Performance report that compares the performance of the two models.

You create the reports using the New Report window that you start from a project's **Reports** page.

The Model Comparison, Validation, and Summary Report Input Files

SAS Decision Manager uses a test table as the input table for the Dynamic Lift report and the Interval Target Variable report.

Before you can create a Dynamic Lift report or the Interval Target Variable report, make sure that a test table has been added to the SAS Metadata Repository and registered in the Data Tables category or SAS Management Console. The test table can be viewed in the Data Tables category view. Then, specify the test table in the project property

Default test table.

You specify the input table for validation reports in the New Report window. The input file for the validation reports can contain only input variables or it can contain input and output variables. If the input table contains input and output variables, the report generation does not need to run a scoring test to obtain the output variables.

When you create a train table summary report, the train table or specified input table is used to create the training summary data sets. The train table must be available in the SAS Metadata Repository. The train table must then be specified in the project property for the **Default train table**.

The Model Comparison, Validation, and Summary Report Output Files

The Reports page stores the model comparison, validation, and summary report output files in the **Model Evaluation** tab. The name of the report is the value of the **Name** box that you specified in the New Report window.

Each time you create a report, these files are generated:

- the report in either HTML, PDF, RTF, or EXCEL format

Note: The Loss Given Default and Probability of Default Model Validation reports can be created only in PDF and RTF formats.

- taskCode.log
- taskCode.sas

Here is a description of the model comparison output files:

| Report File | Description |
|-------------------------|--|
| <i>report-name.html</i> | This file is the report output in HTML format. |
| <i>report-name.pdf</i> | This file is the report output in PDF format. |
| <i>report-name.rtf</i> | This file is the report output in RTF format. |
| <i>report-name.xls</i> | This file is the report output in Excel format. |
| taskCode.log | This file is the log file that contains messages from running the SAS code to create the report. |
| taskCode.sas | This file is the SAS code that is used to create the report. |

After you create a report, you can view the report from the **Reports** page.

Note: If you save a report to a local drive, images in the reports, such as graphs, do not appear. The report images are separate files and are stored in the SAS Content Server. Always view reports from the **Reports** page.

Model Profile Reports

About Model Profile Reports

A Model Profile report displays the profile data that is associated with the model input variables, output variables, and target variables. The report creates three tables, one each for the model input, output, and target variables.

Here is a description of the model profile data:

| Profile Data | Description |
|--------------|--|
| Name | The name of the variable. |
| Type | The data type of the variable: character (C) or numeric (N). |
| Length | The length of the variable. |
| Label | A label that is associated with the variable. |

| Profile Data | Description |
|--------------|---|
| Format | The SAS format that is associated with formatting the variable. |
| Level | The measurement level: nominal, ordinal, interval, or binary. |
| Role | The type of variable: input, output, or target. |

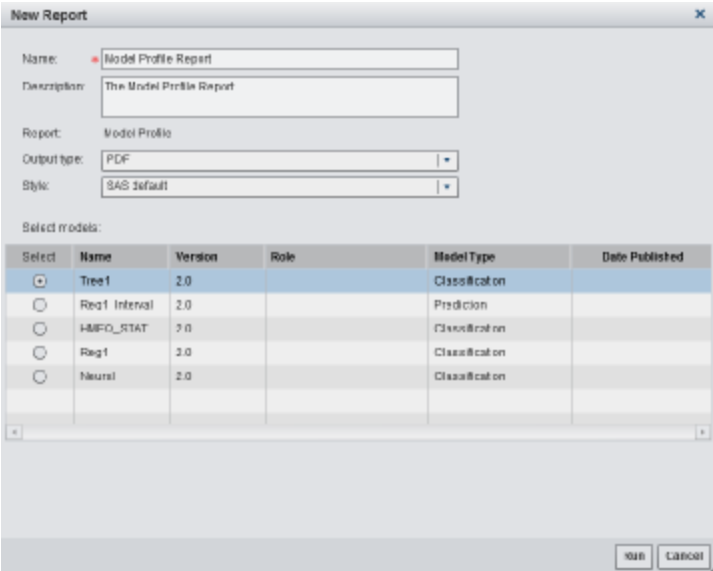
The reports are created using these auxiliary model files:

- inputvar.xml
- outputvar.xml
- targetvar.xml

Create a Model Profile Report

To create a Model Profile report:

1. Click  and select **Model Profile**. The New Report window appears.



New Report

Name:

Description:

Report:

Output type:

Style:

Select models:

| Select | Name | Version | Role | Model Type | Date Published |
|----------------------------------|---------------|---------|------|----------------|----------------|
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | Tree1 | 2.0 | | Classification | |
| <input type="radio"/> | Reg1 Interval | 2.0 | | Prediction | |
| <input type="radio"/> | IMFO_STAT | 2.0 | | Classification | |
| <input type="radio"/> | Reg1 | 2.0 | | Classification | |
| <input type="radio"/> | Neural | 2.0 | | Classification | |

2. Enter a name and description if you do not want to use the default values.
3. Select an output type. The default is PDF.
4. Select a style for the report. When the SAS default option is selected, the default style and themes are used in generating the report. For example, the SAS default style for the HTML output type is HTMLBLUE.
5. From the list, select the model that you want to include in the report.
6. Click **Run**. The report is generated and appears in the default viewer for the selected output type.

See Also

[“View Reports” on page 198](#)

Delta Reports

About Delta Reports

A Delta report compares the input, output, and target variable attributes for each of the variables that are used to score two candidate models. Delta reports display the differences in the variables of competing candidate models. The report output is a table that groups the variables by the variable name. For each variable, the reports lists the attribute value for each model and whether the attribute value is the same or different from the other attribute values.

Here is a description of each of the columns in the output of a Delta report:

| Column | Description |
|---------------------|--|
| Role | Specifies the function that a variable performs in determining a score code. |
| Name | Specifies the name of the variable that is being compared. |
| Variable Attribute | Specifies the name of the variable attribute that is being compared. |
| <i>Model Name-1</i> | Contains the value of the attribute for the first model. |
| <i>Model Name-2</i> | Contains the value of the attribute for the second model. |
| Difference | Specifies an X if the value of the variable attribute is different from the value of the variable attributes in the other model. If the value of the variable attribute is the same, this column is blank. |

Create a Delta Report

To create a Delta report:

1. Click  and select **Delta**. The New Report window appears.

| All | Name | Version | Role | Model Type | Date Published |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|---------|------------|----------------|-----------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Tree1 | 2.0 | | Classification | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Reg1_Interval | 2.0 | | Regression | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Tree 1 | 1.0 | ✓ Champion | Classification | Jul 23, 2014 02:55 PM |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | H-BFO_STAT | 2.0 | | Classification | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Reg1 | 2.0 | | Classification | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Neural | 2.0 | | Classification | |

2. Enter a name and description if you do not want to use the default values.
3. Select an output type. The default is PDF.
4. Select a style for the report. When the SAS default option is selected, the default style and themes are used in generating the report. For example, the SAS default style for the HTML output type is HTMLBLUE.
5. From the list, select the models that you want to include in the report.
6. Click **Run**. The report is generated and appears in the default viewer for the selected output type.

See Also

[“View Reports” on page 198](#)

Dynamic Lift Reports

About Dynamic Lift Reports

The Dynamic Lift report enables you to view a model's lift at a given point in time or to compare the lift performance of several models on one chart. The Dynamic Lift report creates the following charts:

- Lift
- Cumulative Lift
- Percent Response
- Cumulative Percent Response
- Captured Response
- Cumulative Captured Response

A Dynamic Lift report can be created only for classification models with a binary target.

The charts that are created for a Dynamic Lift report are also created in the Monitoring Report, which creates multiple types of model comparison reports. Before you can create a Dynamic Lift report, certain project and model property settings must be set.

For PMML 4.0 and later models, the **Valid variable name** option in SAS Management Console must be set to **Yes** by a SAS Decision Manager administrator. For more information, see *SAS Decision Manager: Administrator's Guide*.

Verify Project and Model Property Settings

Verify Project Properties

Select the project name and verify that the following project properties are set:

Training target variable

Specifies the name of the target variable that was used to train the model. The model must have the same training target variable as the project.

Target event value

Specifies the value for the desired target variable event or state. For example, if a model predicts when RESPONSE=YES, then the target event value is **YES**.

Output event probability variable

Specifies the name of the output event's probability variable.

Verify Model Properties

For each model in the Dynamic Lift report, open the model and verify the following properties on the **Model Properties** page:

Properties

| Property | Description |
|------------------------|--|
| Target variable | Specifies the name of the target variable. For example, if a model predicts when RESPONSE=YES, then the target variable is RESPONSE . |
| Score code type | Specifies whether the score code runs using a DATA step fragment or SAS code that is not a DATA step fragment. |

Note: Dynamic Lift reports are not applicable to models whose **Score code type** property has a value of PMML. For PMML 4.0 and later, a Dynamic Lift report can be created for a PMML model whose **Score code type** is DATA step.

Create a Dynamic Lift Report

After ensuring that the appropriate project and model properties have been set, create the report.

To create a Dynamic Lift report:

1. Click  and select **Dynamic Lift**. The New Report window appears.

New Report

Name:

Description:

Report:

Output type:

Style:

Select models:

| <input type="checkbox"/> All | Name | Version | Role | Model Type | Date Published |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|---------|------------|----------------|-----------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Tree 1 | 2.0 | | Classification | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Tree 1 | 1.0 | ✓ Champion | Classification | Jul 23, 2014 04:05 PM |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | HMEQ_STAT | 2.0 | | Classification | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Reg1 | 2.0 | | Classification | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Neural | 2.0 | | Classification | |

Control group response rate: %

Prior probability: %

Input table:

2. Enter a name and description if you do not want to use the default values.
3. Select an output type. The default is PDF.
4. Select a style for the report. When the SAS default option is selected, the default style and themes are used in generating the report. For example, the SAS default style for the HTML output type is HTMLBLUE.
5. From the list, select the models that you want to include in the report.
6. Specify the **Control group response rate**. The control group response rate calculates the adjusted lift values for a model. If the control group response rate is not specified, the default response rate in the test table is used to calculate the adjusted lift values.
7. Specify the **Prior probability**. The prior probability is the proportion of event observations to the total observations in the whole population. In this case, the whole population is the entire train table. Specify a value for the prior probability to be used as the true event proportion when assessment values are computed for the lift of a model.
8. Select an **Input table**. Click **Browse** to navigate to the appropriate folder to select an input table and click **OK**.
9. Click **Run**. The report is generated and appears in the default viewer for the selected output type.

See Also

[“View Reports” on page 198](#)

Interval Target Variable Report

About Interval Target Variable Reports

The Interval Target Variable report creates two plots for you to view the actual versus predicted values for a model and the actual versus residual values for a model. The Interval Target Variable report can be created only for prediction models. Before you can

create an Interval Target Variable report, certain project and model property settings must be set.

Verify Project and Model Properties

Before you can run an Interval Target Variable report, you must set the following project properties:

Default test table

Specifies a test table that is registered in the SAS Metadata Repository. You can view the table in the Data category view. The test table must contain the target variable, as well as values for the variables that are defined by the project input variables.

Training target variable

Specifies the name of the target variable that was used to train the model. The model must have the same training target variable as the project.

Output prediction variable

Specifies the name of the output prediction variable.

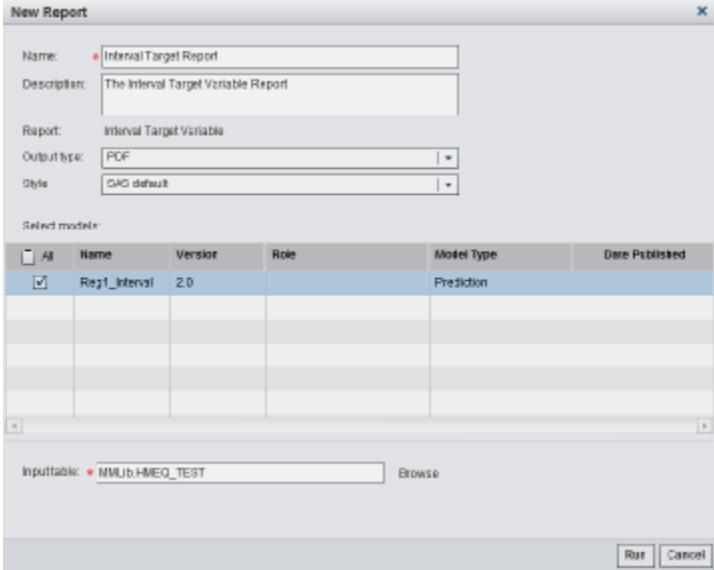
To verify the model mapping, select and open the model from the Models page. Select **Model Properties** ⇒ **Variables** to verify that the model variables are mapped to the project variables. If the variable names are the same, you do not need to map the variables. If they are not mapped, for each project variable, select the project variable and select a variable name.

Create an Interval Target Variable Report

After ensuring that the appropriate project properties have been set and the model mapping is set, create the report.

To create an Interval Target Variable report:

1. Click  and select **Interval Target Variable**. The New Report window appears.



| All | Name | Version | Role | Model Type | Date Published |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|---------|------|------------|----------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Reg1_interval | 2.0 | | Prediction | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | |

2. Enter a name and description if you do not want to use the default values.
3. Select an output type. The default is PDF.

4. Select a style for the report. When the SAS default option is selected, the default style and themes are used in generating the report. For example, the SAS default style for the HTML output type is HTMLBLUE.
5. From the list, select the models that you want to include in the report.
6. Select an **Input table**. Click **Browse** to navigate to the appropriate folder. Select an input table and click **OK**.
7. Click **Run**. The report is generated and appears in the default viewer for the selected output type.

See Also

[“View Reports” on page 198](#)

Loss Given Default Reports

About Loss Given Default Reports

Loss Given Default (LGD) models help validate the stability, performance, and calibration of models with the following statistical measures and tests:

Model stability measures

The model stability measures track the change in distribution of the modeling data and the scoring data.

Model performance measures

The model performance measures report this information:

- The model’s ability to discriminate accounts that have defaulted with those that have not defaulted. The score difference between the accounts that default and those that do not helps determine the cut-off score, which is used to predict whether a credit exposure is a default.
- The relationship between the actual default probability and the predicted probability. This information is used to understand a model’s performance over a period of time.

Model calibration measures

The model calibration measures check the accuracy of the LGD models by comparing the correct quantification of the risk components with the available standards.

For a description of the statistical measures, see [“Statistical Measures Used in Basel II Reports” on page 455](#).

The Loss Given Default Report Properties

In order to create the reports, SAS Decision Manager must know the input and output variables for the model. The input table can contain only input variables, or it can contain input and output variables. If the input table contains only input variables, a scoring test must be run to obtain the output variable. If the input table contains the input and output variables, no scoring is necessary. You specify whether a scoring test must be run by setting the **Run score code** property in the New Report window. If the input table contains the input and output variables, the value of the **Run score code** can be **No**. If

the input table contains only input variables, the **Run score code** property must be set to **Yes**.

The report properties require the names of the variables from the input and output tables in order to map these variables to variables that are used to create the reports. The LGD report properties map these variables:

| | |
|----------------------|---|
| Time period variable | specifies the variable that is used to indicate a time period. The first time period begins with 1 and typically increments by 1. The default is period . |
| Time label variable | (optional) specifies a label for the time period. If this variable exists in the input table, the report output contains a table that maps time periods to time labels. |
| Actual variable | specifies the actual LGD variable. The default is lgd . |
| Predicted variable | specifies the output prediction variable that is used only if scoring for the report is not performed by SAS Decision Manager. If the report scoring is done by SAS Decision Manager, this variable should be excluded by the input data set. The default is p_lgd . |
| Pool variable | specifies the variable that names pool IDs. The default is pool_id . |

Prerequisites for Loss Given Default Reports

Before you run an LGD report, select the project name and verify that the following project properties are set:

Training target variable

Specifies the name of the target variable that was used to train the model. The model must have the same training target variable as the project.

Model function

Specifies the type of model function. For an LGD report, the model function must be Prediction.

Class target level


Specifies an **Interval** class target level.

Output prediction variable

Specifies the name of the output prediction variable.

Create a Loss Given Default Report

To create a Loss Given Default report:

1. Click  and select **Loss Given Default**. The New Report window appears.

New Report

Name:

Description:

Report:

Output type:

Style:

Select model:

| Select | Name | Version | Role | Model Type | Date Published |
|----------------------------------|---------------|---------|----------|------------|----------------|
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | Rag1_interval | 1.0 | Champion | Prediction | |
| <input type="radio"/> | | | | | |
| <input type="radio"/> | | | | | |
| <input type="radio"/> | | | | | |
| <input type="radio"/> | | | | | |
| <input type="radio"/> | | | | | |
| <input type="radio"/> | | | | | |

Inputtable: [Browse](#)

Run score code: ☐ Yes ☒ No

Time period variable:

Time label variable:

[More Options...](#)

2. Enter a name and description if you do not want to use the default values.
3. Select an output type. The default is PDF.
4. Select a style for the report. When the SAS default option is selected, the default style and themes are used in generating the report. For example, the SAS default style for the HTML output type is HTMLBLUE.
5. From the list, select the model that you want to include in the report.
6. Select an **Input table**. Click **Browse** to navigate to the appropriate folder. Select an input table and click **OK**. The table can contain only input variables or it can contain input and output variables.
7. Select whether to run the score code. If the input table contains only input variables, set **Run score code** to **Yes**. If the input table contains input and output variables, set **Run score code** to **No**.
8. The **Time period variable** specifies the variable from the input table whose value is a number that represents the development period. This value is numeric. The time period for PD reports begin with 1. The default is **period**.
9. (Optional) In the **Time label variable** field, enter the variable from the input table that is used for time period labels. When you specify the time label variable, the report appendix shows the mapping of the time period to the time label.
10. Click **More Options** to set the following:

Actual variable

Specifies the actual LGD variable. The default is **lgd**.

Predicted variable

Specifies the project scoring output variable. If the scoring for the LGD report is performed outside SAS Decision Manager, the input data set must include this variable. If the scoring for the LGD report is done by SAS Decision Manager, the input data set should not include this variable. The default is **p_lgd**.

Pool variable

Specifies the variable from the input table that is used to identify a two-character pool identifier. The default is **pool_id**.

Note: The variable names that you specify can be user-defined variables. A variable mapping feature maps the user-defined variables to required variables.

11. Click **Run**. The report is generated and appears in the default viewer for the selected output type.

See Also

[“View Reports” on page 198](#)

Probability of Default Model Validation Reports

About Probability of Default Model Validation Reports

Probability of Default (PD) models help validate the stability, performance, and calibration of models with the following statistical measures and tests:

Model stability measures

The model stability measures track the change in distribution of the modeling data and the scoring data.

Model performance measures

The model performance measures report this information:

- The model’s ability to discriminate accounts that have defaulted with those that have not defaulted. The score difference between the accounts that default and those that do not helps determine the cut-off score, which is used to predict whether a credit exposure is a default.
- The relationship between the actual default probability and the predicted probability. This information is used to understand a model’s performance over a period of time.

Model calibration measures

The model calibration measures check the accuracy of the PD model by comparing the correct quantification of the risk components with the available standards.

For a description of the statistical measures, see [“Statistical Measures Used in Basel II Reports” on page 455](#).

Default Model Validation Report Properties

In order to create the reports, SAS Decision Manager must know the input and output variables for the model. To run the reports, the New Report window requires the name of an input table. The input table can contain only input variables, or it can contain input and output variables. If the input table contain only input variables only, a scoring test must be run to obtain the output variable. If the input table contains the input and output variables, no scoring is necessary. You specify whether a scoring test must be run by setting the **Run score code** property in the New Report window. If the input table contains the input and output variables, the value of the **Run score code** can be **No**. If the input table contains only input variables, the **Run score code** property must be set to **Yes**.

The report properties require the names of the variables from the input and output tables in order to map these variables to variables that are used to create the reports. The report properties map these variables:

| | |
|---------------------------|--|
| Time period variable | specifies the variable that is used to indicate a time period. The first time period begins with 1 and typically increments by 1. The default is period . |
| Time label variable | (optional) specifies a label for the time period. If this variable exists in the input table, the report output contains a table that maps time periods to time labels. |
| Scorecard bin variable | specifies the scoring output variable that names the scorecard bins. The input table must include this variable if scoring for the PD report is performed outside SAS Decision Manager. If scoring is done by SAS Decision Manager, do not include this variable in the input data set. The default is scorecard_bin . |
| Scorecard points variable | specifies the scoring output variable that names the scorecard points. The input table must include this variable if scoring for the PD report is performed outside SAS Decision Manager. If scoring is done by SAS Decision Manager, do not include this variable in the input data set. The default is scorecard_points . |
| Cut-off value | specifies the variable that is used to derive whether a credit exposure is a default. The cut-off value is also used to compute accuracy, sensitivity, specificity, precision, and error rate measures. You can use the score difference between accounts that default on loans and those that do not default on loans to determine the cut-off value. The default is 100 . |

Prerequisites for Probability of Default Model Validation Reports

Before you can create a Probability of Default Model Validation report, verify that the following project settings are specified and that the output variables have been mapped:

Training target variable

Specifies the name of the target variable that was used to train the model. The model must have the same training target variable as the project.

Class target level

Specifies a **Binary** class target level.

Output event probability variable

Specifies the name of the output event probability variable.

Create a Probability of Default Model Validation Report

To create a Probability of Default Model Validation report:

1. Click  and select **Probability of Default Model Validation**. The New Report window appears.

New Report

Name:

Description:

Report:

Output type:

Style:

Selected models:

| Select | Name | Version | Role | Model Type | Date Published |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|---------|------|----------------|----------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Tree1 | 2.0 | | Classification | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Reg1_interval | 2.0 | | Prediction | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | HMEQ_STAT | 2.0 | | Classification | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Reg1 | 2.0 | | Classification | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Non real | 2.0 | | Classification | |

Inputtable: [Browse](#)

Run score code: ☐ Yes ☒ No

Time period variable:

Time label variable:

[More Options...](#)

2. Enter a name and description if you do not want to use the default values.
3. Select an output type. The default is PDF.
4. Select a style for the report. When the SAS default option is selected, the default style and themes are used in generating the report. For example, the SAS default style for the HTML output type is HTMLBLUE.
5. From the list, select the model that you want to include in the report.
6. Click **Browse** to navigate to the appropriate folder and select an input table and click **OK**. The table can contain only input variables or both input and output variables.

Note: When a scoring input table for a PD report contains data and one or more time periods do not contain default or non-default loan information, these time periods are not used to calculate the PD measurements. In a chart, time periods that are not used to calculate the PD measurements are represented with dashed lines.

7. Select whether to run the score code. If the input table contains only input variables, set **Run score code** to **Yes**. If the input table contains input and output variables, set **Run score code** to **No**.
8. The **Time period variable** specifies the variable from the input table whose value is a number that represents the development period. This value is numeric. The time period for PD reports begin with 1. The default is **period**.
9. (Optional) In the **Time label variable** field, enter the variable from the input table that is used for time period labels. When you specify the time label variable, the report appendix shows the mapping of the time period to the time label.
10. Click **More Options** to set the following:

Scorecard bin variable

Specifies the variable from the input table that contains the scorecard bins. If the scoring job for the PD report is run outside SAS Decision Manager, the scorecard bin variable must be a variable in the input table. If scoring is done within SAS Decision Manager, do not include the variable in the input table. The default is **scorecard_bin**.

Scorecard points variable

Specifies the variable that contains the scorecard points. If the scoring job for the PD report is run outside SAS Decision Manager, the scorecard points variable must be a variable in the input table. If scoring is done within SAS Decision Manager, do not include the variable in the input table. The default is **scorecard_points**.

Cut-off value

Specifies the maximum value that can be used to derive the predicted event and to further compute accuracy, sensitivity, specificity, precision, and error rate. The default is **100**.

11. Click **Run**. The report is generated and appears in the default viewer for the selected output type.

See Also

[“View Reports” on page 198](#)


Training Summary Data Set Reports

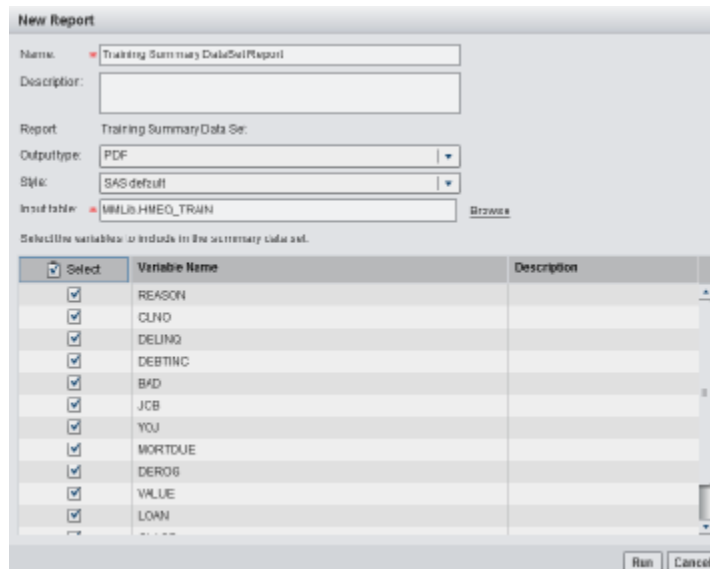
About Training Summary Data Set Reports

A Training Summary Data Set report creates frequency and distribution charts that summarize the train table variables. Using the default train table, SAS Decision Manager generates data sets that contain numeric and character variable summaries, and variable distributions. These data sets are used to create the summary report. Before you can create the report, you must generate the training summary data sets.

Create a Training Summary Data Set Report

To generate a training summary data set report:

1. Click  and select **Training Summary Data Set**. The New Report window appears.



| Select | Variable Name | Description |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | REASON | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | CLNO | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | DELINQ | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | DEBTINC | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | BAD | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | JCB | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | YOI | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | MORTDUE | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | DEROG | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | VALUE | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | LOAN | |

2. Enter a name and description if you do not want to use the default values.
3. Select an output type. The default is PDF.
4. Select a style for the report. When the SAS default option is selected, the default style and themes are used in generating the report. For example, the SAS default style for the HTML output type is HTMLBLUE.
5. Select an **Input table**. Click **Browse** to navigate to the appropriate folder and select an input table. Defaults to the value of the default train table project property.
6. Select the variables to include in the summary data set.
7. Click **Run**. The report is generated and appears in the default viewer for the selected output type.

See Also

[“View Reports” on page 198](#)

Monitoring Reports

About Monitoring Reports

After you execute a performance definition or run the %MM_RunReports() macro in production mode, as a batch job, SAS Decision Manager stores the output data sets on the SAS Content Server. You can view the performance monitoring results on the **Performance Results** tab or on the **Attachments** page.

When you create monitoring reports using the New Report window, the report creates the following charts:

Assessment charts

Assessment charts summarize the utility that you can expect by using the respective models, as compared to using only baseline information. Assessment charts can present a model's lift at a given point in time or the sequential lift performance of a model's lift over time. A monitoring report creates the following assessment charts:

- Lift
- Cumulative Lift
- Percent Response
- Cumulative Percent Response
- Captured Response
- Cumulative Captured Response
- Actual versus Predicted for prediction models
- Actual versus Residual for prediction models
- Population Stability Trend for prediction models

Assessment charts are created for the Monitoring Report.

Lift Trend chart

A Lift Trend chart displays the cumulative lift of the champion model, over time.

Gini - ROC chart

Sensitivity is the proportion of true positive events, and specificity is the proportion of true negative events. The Gini - ROC chart plots Sensitivity on the Y axis and 1 - Specificity on the X axis.

Gini - Trend Chart

When the Gini - ROC chart is created, the Gini index for each ROC curve is also created. The Gini index represents the area under the ROC curve and is a benchmark statistic that can be used to summarize the predictive accuracy of a model. The Gini - Trend chart plots a model's Gini index scores over time, and these are used to monitor model degradation over time.

KS Chart

The KS chart uses the Kolmogorov-Smirnov statistic to measure the maximum vertical separation, or deviation between the cumulative distributions of events and non-events.

KS Trend Chart

When you create a Kolmogorov-Smirnov report, the underlying KS statistic and the corresponding probability cutoff are read from a summary data set in the Resources folder. The KS Trend chart uses a summary data set that plots the KS Statistic over time. The KS Trend chart is used to monitor model degradation over time.

Actual versus Predicted

You use the Actual versus Predicted plot to see how predicted values match actual values.

Actual versus Residual

You use the Actual versus Residual plot to determine how good the model is at predicting values by examining errors and error trending, and comparing them to the actual values.


Population Stability Trend

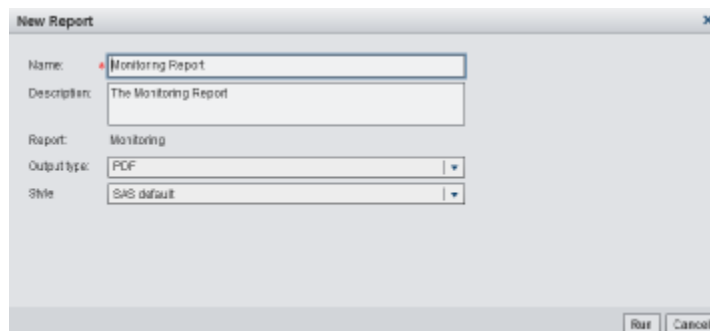
The Population Stability Trend chart measures the shift of the scoring output variable distribution over time. Scoring output that is based on a development sample is used as the baseline distribution. The deviation index is used to indicate the shift for a given point in time.

Before you create a Monitoring Report or a Champion and Challenger Performance Report, you must ensure that certain project and model properties are set. For more information, see [“Verify Project and Model Property Settings” on page 184](#).

Create a Monitoring Report

To create a Monitoring report:

1. Click  and select **Monitoring**. The New Report window appears.



2. Enter a name and description if you do not want to use the default values.

3. Select an output type. The default is PDF.
4. Select a style for the report. When the SAS default option is selected, the default style and themes are used in generating the report. For example, the SAS default style for the HTML output type is HTMLBLUE.
5. Click **Run**. The report is generated and appears in the default viewer for the selected output type.

See Also

[“View Reports” on page 198](#)

Champion and Challenger Performance Reports

About the Champion and Challenger Performance Report

After you execute a performance definition for the champion model, you can execute a performance definition for the challenger model using the same performance data sets. SAS Decision Manager updates the output data sets with the performance data for the challenger model. You can create a Champion and Challenger Performance report that compares the performance of the two models.

The Champion and Challenger Performance report contains these charts:

Number of Predictors Exceeding Deviation Threshold

This characteristic report creates a chart for each index that exceeds a deviation threshold (either 0.1 or 0.25) as indicated in the define performance definition. The characteristic report detects shifts in the distribution of input variables over time.

Lift Trend Chart

A Lift Trend chart displays the cumulative lift of the champion model over time.

Gini - Trend

When the Gini - ROC Chart is created, the Gini index for each ROC curve is also created. The Gini coefficient represents the area under the ROC curve and is a benchmark statistic that can be used to summarize the predictive accuracy of a model. The Gini - Trend Chart plots a model's Gini index scores over time, and these are used to monitor model degradation over time.

Gini - ROC Chart

Sensitivity is the proportion of true positive events, and specificity is the proportion of true negative events. The Gini - ROC Chart plots Sensitivity on the Y axis and 1 - Specificity on the X axis.

KS Trend Chart

When you create a Kolmogorov-Smirnov report, the KS statistic and the corresponding probability cutoff are computed for each Kolmogorov-Smirnov table. The KS Trend Chart uses a summary data set that plots the KS Statistic and the probability cutoff values over time. The KS Trend Chart is used to monitor model degradation over time.

KS Chart

The KS Chart uses the Kolmogorov-Smirnov statistic to measure the maximum vertical separation, or deviation between the cumulative distributions of events and non-events.

Score Histogram

The Score Histogram compares the scoring result distribution at different time periods using a histogram.



Score Distribution Line Plot

The Score Distribution Line Plot compares the scoring result distribution at different time periods using a line plot.

Before you create a Champion and Challenger Performance report, verify the performance data and model status.

Verify Performance Data and Model Status

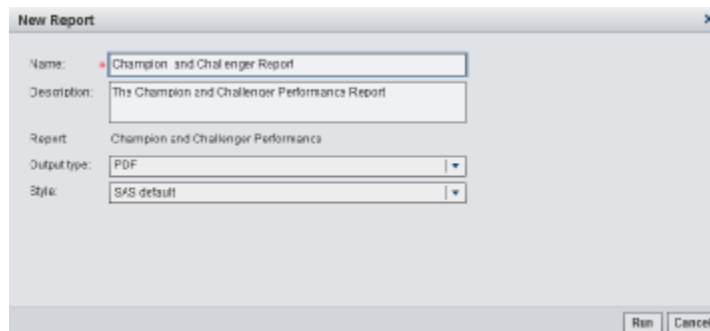
Before you can create a Champion and Challenger Performance report:

1. Select the **Models** page and verify that a champion model has been set. The champion model is designated as **Champion** in the **Role** column. If a champion has not been set, select a model from the list, and click  to set the model as the project champion model.
2. Ensure that a challenger model is flagged. The challenger model is designated as **Challenger** in the **Role** column. If it is not, select a model from the list, and click  to flag a model as a challenger to the project champion model.
3. Verify that performance monitoring data is available for the champion model and the challenger model. Performance monitoring results must exist for the same performance data using the same time periods and data labels. Navigate to **Performance** ⇒ **Results** ⇒ **Data Sets** and select the file **jobstatus.sas7bdat**. The **Content** tab displays performance monitoring status data.
 - a. Verify that the UUIDs for the champion and challenger models are in the **Model UUID** column.
 - b. Using the **name** column and the **time** column, verify that matching date labels exist for the champion and challenger models for each type of report. If there are multiple date labels for a model for any given report, SAS Decision Manager uses the most recent job.

Create a Champion and Challenger Performance Report

To create a champion and challenger performance report:

1. Click  and select **Champion and Challenger Performance**. The New Report window appears.



2. Enter a name and description if you do not want to use the default values.


3. Select an output type. The default is PDF.
4. Select a style for the report. When the SAS default option is selected, the default style and themes are used in generating the report. For example, the SAS default style for the HTML output type is HTMLBLUE.
5. Click **Run**. The report is generated and appears in the default viewer for the selected output type.

See Also

“View Reports” on page 198

View Reports

To view a report:

1. On the **Reports** page, in the **Model Evaluation** tab, select a type of report from the left navigation menu.
2. You can view a report in several ways:
 - Double-click a report in the list.
 - Select a report from the list and click .
 - Right-click a report from the list and select **Open**.

Note: You can also view the SAS code and SAS log.



The screenshot shows the HMEQ software interface. The top menu bar includes Properties, Versions, Models, Variables, Scoring, Performance, Reports, History, Attachments, and Comments. The left navigation pane shows 'Model Evaluation' selected, with a sub-menu 'Aggregated'. The main pane displays a table of reports.

| Type | Name | Description | Date Created | Created By |
|---|---|---|--------------|------------|
| Champion and Challenger Report | The Champion and Challenger Report | The Champion and Challenger Report | Jul 25, 2014 | mdmgradin |
| Delta Report | The Delta Report | The Delta Report | Jul 25, 2014 | mdmgradin |
| Dynamic Lift Report | The Dynamic Lift Report | The Dynamic Lift Report | Jul 25, 2014 | mdmgradin |
| Model Profile Report | The Model Profile Report | The Model Profile Report | Jul 25, 2014 | mdmgradin |
| Monitoring Report | The Monitoring Report | The Monitoring Report | Jul 25, 2014 | mdmgradin |
| Probability of Default Model Validation | The Probability of Default Model Validation | The Probability of Default Model Validation | Jul 25, 2014 | mdmgradin |
| Training Summary Data Set Report | The Training Summary Data Set Report | The Training Summary Data Set Report | Jul 25, 2014 | mdmgradin |

Chapter 17

Validating Models Using User Reports

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Overview of User Reports

Ad Hoc Reports and User-Defined Reports

User reports are SAS programs that you create and import to SAS Decision Manager so that you can customize reports to meet your business requirements. The ad hoc report enables you to develop, test, and run your report within SAS Decision Manager. The user-defined report can be developed either within or external to SAS Decision Manager. It requires a SAS program and the associated auxiliary files to be installed in a directory that is available to SAS Decision Manager. Using ad hoc reports, you modify and submit your code from the SAS Editor within the Create an Ad Hoc Report window.

A user-defined report is a report that is available for reporting on all models in SAS Decision Manager. The user-defined report requires three files to be installed in your server's file structure:

- a SAS program to create the report
- a report template XML file that specifies the report requirements, such as report name and the number of required models to run the report

- a SAS program file that lists the SAS Decision Manager global macro variables and macros that are used in your report

After you have these three files, you use the Manage Templates function to upload the files to the SAS Content Server.

The ad hoc report can be used to develop, test, and debug user-defined reports. When your ad hoc report is ready for a production environment, you can create the report template XML file and the macro file, and install the three files in the user-defined report file structure.

Comparison of Ad Hoc and User-Defined Reports

| Report Difference | Ad Hoc Report | User-Defined Report |
|---|--|---|
| Version | An ad hoc report is defined and can be run only under the version where it was created. | A user-defined report can be run under any project version. |
| Report template | An ad hoc report does not require a template. | A user-defined report requires a template to define the report parameters. |
| Report results | Each time an ad hoc report is run, the existing report is overwritten. | Each time a user-defined report is run, a new report is created on the Reports page. |
| Location of SAS files used to generate the report | The ad hoc report SAS program is stored on the Reports page for the version where it was created. | The user-defined report SAS files are uploaded to the SAS Content Server. |

Output Created by User Reports

The first time you create a report, SAS Decision Manager creates a report on the **Reports** page.

Each time you create a new ad hoc report, the following files are created:

- the report in either HTML, PDF, RTF, or Excel format
- `smm_userCode.sas`
- `taskCode.log`
- `taskCode.sas`

Each time you create a new user-defined report, the following files are created:

- the report in either HTML, PDF, RTF, or Excel format
- `taskCode.log`
- `taskCode.sas`

CAUTION:

The wizard overwrites the output files if an output file of the same name already exists.

Here is a description of the ad hoc report output files:

| Report File | Description |
|-------------------------|--|
| <i>report-name.html</i> | This file is the report output in HTML format. |
| <i>report-name.pdf</i> | This file is the report output in PDF format. |
| <i>report-name.rtf</i> | This file is the report output in RTF format. |
| <i>report-name.xls</i> | This file is the report output in Excel format. |
| smm_userCode.sas | This file contains the SAS program report code that was submitted in the Create an Ad Hoc Report window. |
| taskCode.log | This file is the log file that contains messages from running the SAS code to create the report. |
| taskCode.sas | This file is the SAS code that is used to create the report. The file contains the user-defined report code as well as code that was generated by SAS Decision Manager to create the report. |

You can see the contents of these files by selecting them on the **Reports** page. You can also see the taskCode.sas file and the taskCode.log files.

Ad Hoc Reports

Overview of Ad Hoc Reports

To create an ad hoc report, you must first write a SAS report program. When the report code is ready, you copy your code to the **SAS Editor** tab in the Create an Ad Hoc Report window. You then submit your program. Unlike the user-defined report, the ad hoc report does not require auxiliary files to be uploaded to the SAS Content Server.

To create your report output in either HTML, PDF, RTF, or Excel, or to specify a style other than the default style for your report, you modify your report with code that is provided by SAS and that enables you to specify the report output format and style. The code that you need to add to your program is included in the steps to create an ad hoc program.

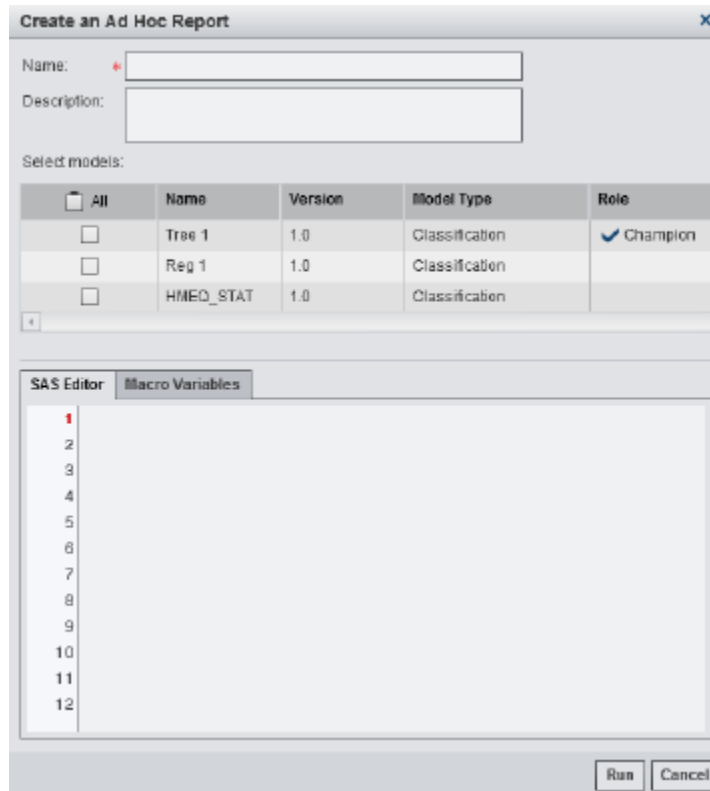
If you find an error in your report code, you must delete the report in the project, fix your code in your source file, and submit the code in the Create an Ad Hoc Report window again.

Create an Ad Hoc Report

To create an ad hoc report, you must first create a SAS program. Test your program in SAS before you run your program as an ad hoc report. After the code runs successfully, you can create the ad hoc report.

To create an ad hoc report:

1. Click  and select Ad Hoc. The Create an Ad Hoc Report window appears.



Create an Ad Hoc Report

Name:

Description:

Select models:

| <input type="checkbox"/> All | Name | Version | Model Type | Role |
|------------------------------|-----------|---------|----------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Tree 1 | 1.0 | Classification | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Champion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Reg 1 | 1.0 | Classification | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | HMEQ_STAT | 1.0 | Classification | |

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SAS Editor **Macro Variables**

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Run Cancel

2. Enter a name and an optional description for the report.
3. Select one or more models.
4. Add or copy SAS code to the **SAS Editor** tab. Make sure that your report program is enclosed by the SAS code that defines the report output format. Click the **Macro Variables** tab to view a list of the variables that can be accessed by your program.
5. Click **Run**. The report is generated and appears in the default viewer for the selected output type.
6. The report appears in a list on the **Model Evaluation** reports tab.

Example Ad Hoc Report

The following example code lists the score results in an HTML output format:

```
Filename mmreport catalog "sashelp.modelmgr.reportexportmacros.source";
%include mmreport;

%MM_ExportReportsBegin(reportFormat=html, reportStyle=Meadow, fileName=PerfDS);
proc print data=myTable.scoretable;
var loan delinq score;
run;
quit;

%MM_ExportReportsEnd(reportFormat=html);
```

After you click **Run**, the report is created and placed on the **Reports** page. The following HTML output displays selected rows of the output.

| Obs | LOAN | DELINQ | score |
|-----|---------|--------|---------|
| 1 | 1100.00 | 0 | 0.08918 |
| 2 | 162.06 | 2 | 0.08918 |
| 3 | 1292.02 | 0 | 0.08918 |
| 4 | 783.13 | . | 0.08918 |
| 5 | 1700.00 | 0 | 0.08918 |

User-Defined Reports

Overview of User-Defined Reports

User-defined reports require the following files to be uploaded to the SAS Content Server:

- the SAS program that creates the report.
- a SAS program file that lists the SAS Decision Manager global macro variables that are used in your report.
- a report template XML file that specifies the report requirements, such as report name and the number of required models to run the report.

After these three files have been uploaded to the SAS Content Server, the user-defined report type is included as a report type in the new report drop-down on the **Reports** page.

The New Report window includes controls to specify the type of output that the report creates, such as HTML or PDF, and a style for the report. You can modify your report to include the SAS code so that the New Report window offers the report output controls for your report.

Create a User-Defined Report

To create a user-defined report:

1. Write and test your SAS program that creates a report.
2. To format the output for a user-defined report, add the SAS code below to your report code in order to select the **Output type** and the **Style** in the New Report window. The **Output type** enables you to select a report output format of HTML, PDF, RTF, or Excel. The **Style** enables you to select a report output style for your report.

Replace *report-name* with the name of your user-defined report. The name can contain letters, the underscore (_), hyphen (-), and the period (.). End your user-defined report with the %MM_ExportReportsEnd macro.

```
Filename mmreport catalog "sashelp.modelmgr.reportexportmacros.source";
%include mmreport;
```

```
%MM_ExportReportsBegin(fileName=report-name);
...
your-user-defined-code
...
%MM_ExportReportsEnd;
```

3. In the report XML file, add this SAS program name to the FILENAME= argument of the <Code> element (for example, **<Code filename="myUserReport.sas"/>**). For more information, see [“The Report Template” on page 205](#).

For an example of a report, see [“Example User-Defined Report” on page 209](#).

Defining Macro Variables for a User-Defined Report

Executing a user-defined report requires a SAS program that lists the report code’s macro variables. If you do not have macro variables in your report, create a SAS program file with a comment in it. This file is required.

Here is an example program to define macro variables:

```
%let _MM_User=miller;
%let _MM_Password=Rumpillstillskin3;
```


In the report XML file, add this SAS program name to the FILENAME= argument of the <PreCode> element (for example, **<PreCode filename="myMacroDefs.sas"/>**). For more information, see [“The Report Template” on page 205](#).

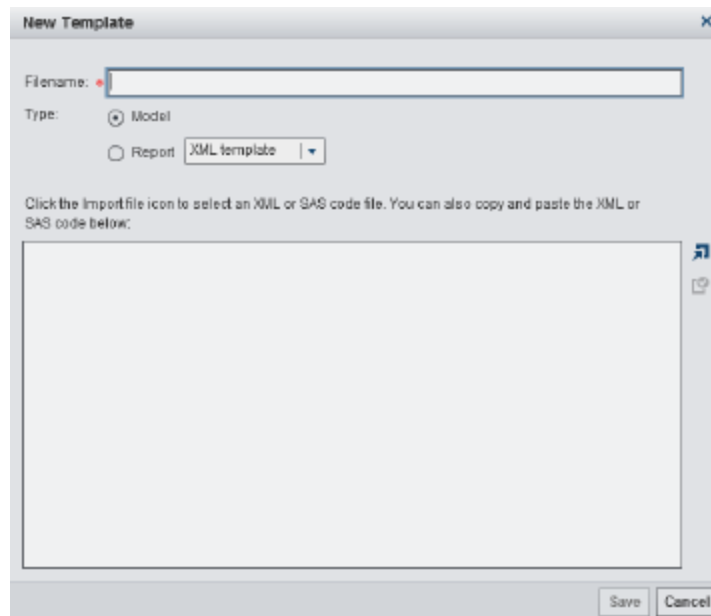
For an example of a macro variable program, see [“Example User-Defined Report” on page 209](#).


For a list of macro variables, see [“Macro Variables” on page 333](#).

Upload SAS Programs to the SAS Content Server

After you have the two SAS programs for your user report, follow these steps to upload them to the SAS Content Server:

1. From the Projects category view, click , and select **New Template**.



2. Enter a filename.
3. Select **Report** (SAS code).
4. Click  to select a SAS code file. Click **Open**. You can also copy and paste the SAS code in the text box.
5. Click **Save**.
6. Repeat the steps to upload the second file.

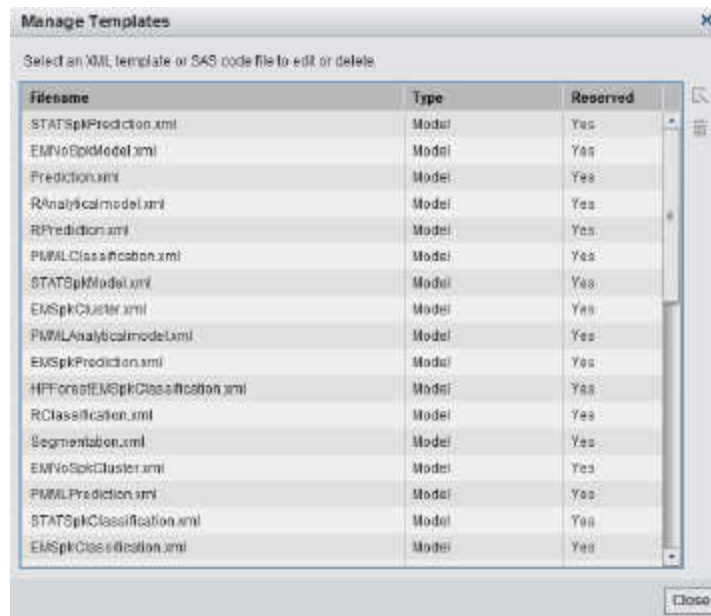
The Report Template

You create a report template XML definition file to describe your user-defined report. After you create the report template, upload the template to the SAS Content Server.

SAS Decision Manager provides a sample report template that you can use as a model for your XML template. You can use any template as a model or you can create an XML file with the required XML elements. A best practice is to open the model XML template and save the template using another name.

To open a sample report template:

1. From the Projects category, click , and select **Manage Templates**.



2. Select **UserReportTemplate.xml** and click . The UserReportTemplate.xml file has arguments in quotation marks that you modify for your report. Replace the text in quotation marks with values that are appropriate for your report. See the argument descriptions below. Make your changes and click **Save** to upload the report template to the SAS Content Server.
3. Click **Close**.

Here is the report template XML definition:

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" ?>
<ReportTemplate
  name="report-name"
  type="UserDefinedReport"
  displayName="display-name"
  description="model-description"
>
  <Report>
    <Data datasetName="input-data-set-name"/>
    <Models expectedModelType="model-type"
      requiredNumberOfModels="1"
      level="level">
    </Models>
    <SourceCode>
      <PreCode filename="pre-code-filename.sas"/>
      <Code filename="score-code-filename.sas"/>
    </SourceCode>
    <Output format="output-format" filename="output-name"/>
  </Report>
  <Parameters>
    <Parameter name="parameter-name" value="parameter-value" />
  </Parameters>
</ReportTemplate>
```

<ReportTemplate> element arguments

name="*report-name*"

specifies the name of the report. The characters @ \ / * % # & \$ () ! ? < > ^ + ~ ` = { } [] | ; : ' " cannot be used in the name.

displayName="*display-name*"

specifies the name of the report that is displayed in the **Report** section of the New Report window.

description="*model-description*"

specifies a description of the report that is displayed at the bottom of the New Report window when the report is selected in the window.

<Report> element arguments

<Data datasetName="*input-data-set-name*"/>

specifies the name of a data source data set that is used for input to the report. The data set must be in the form *libref.filename*. You can use the following global macro variables as a value for input-data-set-name as long as the value of the macro variable is in the form of *libref.filename*:

- &_MM_InputLib
- &_MM_OutputLib
- &_MM_PerformanceLib
- &_MM_TestLib
- &_MM_TrainLib

<Models

expectedModelType="*model-type*"

requiredNumberOfModels="*number-of-models*"

level="*level*">

</Models>

specifies information about the model.

expectedModelType="*model-type*"

specifies the model type.

Valid values: ANALYTICAL, CLASSIFICATION, PREDICTION, SEGMENTATION, ANY

requiredNumberOfModels="*number-of-models*"

specifies the number of models that are processed in this report.

level="folder"

specifies where the report is to obtain a list of models. If folder is VERSION, the report creates a list of models in the version. If folder is PROJECT, the report creates a list of models from all versions in the project.

Valid values: VERSION, PROJECT

<SourceCode>

<PreCode filename="*pre-code-filename.sas*"/>

<Code filename="*report-code-filename.sas*"/>

</SourceCode>

specifies the files that are used to execute the report.

<PreCode filename="*pre-code-filename.sas*"/>

specifies the name of the SAS program that contains macro variable definitions.

<Code filename="*report-code-filename.sas*"/>

specifies the name of the SAS program that creates the report.

`<Output format="output-format" filename="output-report-name"/>`

specifies the output format arguments:

`format="output-format"`

specified the format of the report output.

Valid values: HTML, PDF, RTF, or Excel

`filename="output-report-name"`

specifies the name of the output report.



`<Parameters>` Element Argument

`<Parameter name="parameter-name" value="parameter-value" />`

This element is not used. It is reserved for future use.

Edit a SAS Program on the SAS Content Server



To edit the program after the file has been uploaded to the SAS Content Server:

1. Click  and select **Manage Templates**.
2. Select an XML template, SAS code file, or user-defined properties template to edit. In order for the template to be editable, the **Reserved** column must be marked as **No**. Life cycle templates cannot be edited but can be viewed.
3. Click . Make your changes and click **Save**.
4. Click **Close**.

Delete a SAS Program from the SAS Content Server


Deleting a User Report SAS Content Server is a two-step process. You must delete the SAS program and the report template.

To delete a user report:

1. Click  and select **Manage Templates**.
2. Select an XML template, SAS code file, or user-defined properties template to delete. The **Reserved** column must be marked as **No** to delete a file. The user-defined properties template file cannot be deleted.
3. Click . A confirmation window appears.
4. Click **Yes** to delete the file.
5. Click **Close**.

Run a User-Defined Report

To run a user-defined report:

1. Click  and select your user-defined report. The New Report window appears.
2. Enter a name and description if you do not want to use the default values.
3. Select an output type. The default is PDF.

4. Select a style for the report. When the SAS default option is selected, the default style and themes are used in generating the report. For example, the SAS default style for the HTML output type is HTMLBLUE.
5. From the list, select the models that you want to include in the report.
6. Click **Run**. The report is generated and appears in the default viewer for the selected output type.

See Also

[“View Reports” on page 198](#)

Example User-Defined Report

Overview of the Example User-Defined Report

The example user-defined report categorizes scoring values into score ranges and then graphs the results. The program name is Score Range Report. The following SAS programs and report template file are required to create this report:

- The SAS report program is the file ScoreRange.sas
- The SAS program file that contains macro variables is ScoreRangeMacro.sas
- The report template XML file is ScoreRangeTemplate.xml

The SAS Report Program

Here is the SAS code for a user-defined report to categorize score codes:

```
filename mmreport catalog "sashelp.modelmgr.reportexportmacros.source";
%include mmreport;

%MM_ExportReportsBegin(fileName=scoreRange);

options NOMprint NOdate;
%let _MM_PosteriorVar=P_1;

proc format;
  value score
    low - 400 = '400 and Below'
    401 - 450 = '401 - 450'
    451 - 500 = '451 - 500'
    501 - 550 = '501 - 550'
    551 - 600 = '551 - 600'
    601 - 650 = '601 - 650'
    651 - 700 = '651 - 700'
    701 - 750 = '701 - 750'
    751 - 800 = '751 - 800'
    801 - high= '801 and Above';
run;
quit;

%Macro scoreRange();

  %if &_MM_ScoreCodeType = %str(SAS Program) %then
```

```

%do;
    %let _MM_OutputDS=work.scoreresult;
    %inc &_MM_Score;
%end;
%else
%do;
    data work.scoreresult;
    set &_MM_InputDS;
    %inc &_MM_Score;
    run;
%end;

data work.scoreresult2;
    set work.scoreresult;
    keep score;
    if &_MM_PosteriorVar =. then delete;
    score = int (((1-&_MM_PosteriorVar) * 480) + 350 + 0.5);
run;

proc freq data=work.scoreresult2;
    table score/out=scoresummary;
    format score score.;
    title 'Credit Score Range';
quit;

proc gchart data=work.scoresummary;
    hbar score / sumvar=count discrete;
    title 'Credit Score Range';
run;
quit;
%Mend scoreRange;

/* Reporting section */

ods listing close;

%getModelInfo(0);
%scoreRange();
%closeLibsAndFiles();

%MM_ExportReportsEnd;

```

The SAS Program File for Macro Variables

The file ScoreRangeMacro.sas contains only a comment in it because macro variables are not used in the report code:

```
/* ScoreRangeMacro.sas empty file */
```

The Report Template XML File

Here is the report template XML file for the user-defined Score Range report:

```

<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" ?>
<ReportTemplate
    name="Score Range Report"
    type="UserDefinedReport"
    displayName="Score Range Report"

```

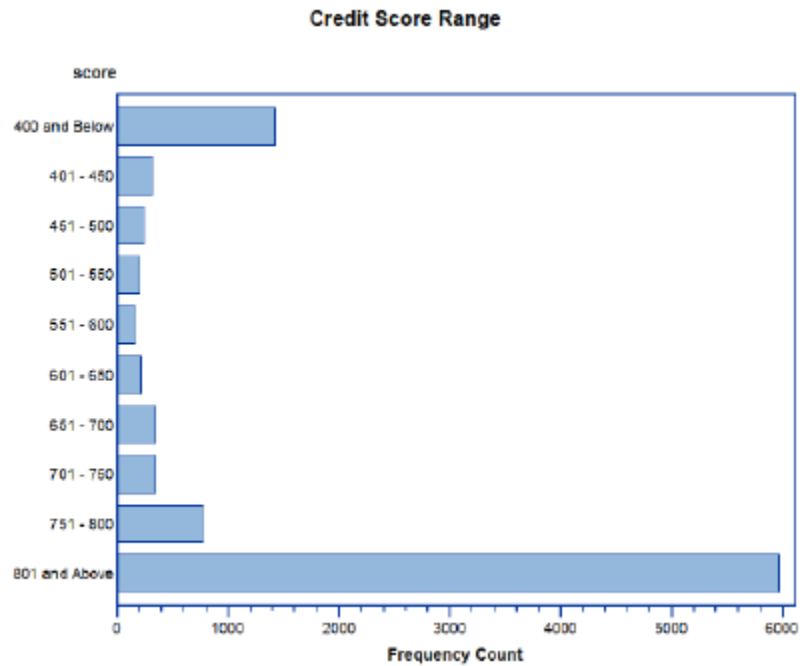
```

description="Score Range Report"
>
<Report>
  <Data datasetName=""/>
  <Models expectedModelType="ANALYTICAL"
    requiredNumberOfModels="1" level="VERSION">
  </Models>
  <SourceCode>
    <PreCode filename="ScoreRangeMacro.sas"/>
    <Code filename="ScoreRange.sas"/>
  </SourceCode>
  <Output format="PDF" filename="ScoreRange"/>
</Report>
<Parameters>
</Parameters>
</ReportTemplate>

```

The Score Range Report Output

The Credit Score Range graph is one of the output pages in the PDF report output.



Chapter 18

Combining Reports

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About Aggregated Reports


SAS Decision Manager administrators and advanced users can combine multiple reports from the **Reports** page to create a single, aggregated report. Using reports that reside in the **Reports** page, you select the reports that you want in your aggregated report. The format of the report can be PDF, HTML, or RTF. Aggregated reports are stored on the **Aggregated** tab.

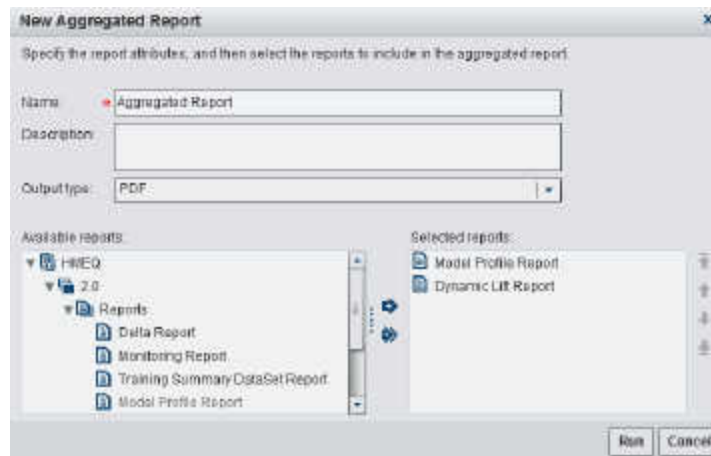
Ad hoc reports, Loss Given Default (LGD) reports, and Probability of Default Model Validation (PD) reports cannot be added to an aggregated report.

Create an Aggregated Report

Note: To create an aggregated report, you must have existing reports on the **Reports** page.

To create an aggregated report:

1. On the **Aggregated** tab on the **Reports** page, click . The New Aggregated Report window appears.



2. (Optional) Enter a name and a description for the report.
3. Select an output type. The default is PDF.
4. In the **Available reports** section, expand the organizational, project, or version folders to show all of the available reports.
5. To add reports from the **Available reports** section, select a report and click ➡ to move one report or click ➡➡ to move all reports. The report or reports appear in the **Selected reports** section.
6. To order the reports, select a report and use the up and down arrows.
7. To remove reports from the **Selected reports** section, select a report and click ⬅ to remove one report or click ⬅⬅ to remove all reports.
8. When all of the reports are in the **Selected reports** section and in the correct order, click **Run**. The report is generated and appears in the default viewer for the selected output type.
9. The report appears in a list on the **Aggregated** reports tab.

View an Aggregated Report


To view an aggregated report:

1. On the **Aggregated** tab, select a report from the list.
2. View the report in one of several ways:
 - Double-click a report in the list.
 - Select a report from the list and click 📄.
 - Right-click a report from the list and select **Open**.

Note: You can also view the SAS code and SAS log if the report is not displayed.

Delete an Aggregated Report

To delete an aggregated report:

1. On the **Aggregated** tab, select a report from the list.
2. You can delete the report in one of several ways:
 - To delete a file, click . Confirm the deletion.
 - Right-click a report from the list and select **Delete**. Confirm the deletion.

Chapter 19

Monitoring Performance of Models

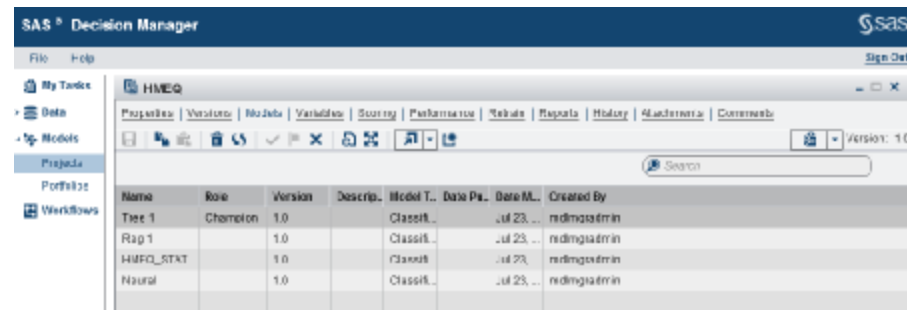
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Overview of Performance Monitoring

To ensure that a champion model in a production environment is performing efficiently, you can collect performance data that has been created by the model at intervals that are determined by your organization. A performance data set is used to assess model prediction accuracy. It includes all of the required input variables as well as one or more actual target variables. For example, you might want to create performance data sets monthly or quarterly and then use SAS Decision Manager to create a performance definition that includes each time interval. After you create and execute the performance definition on the **Performance** page, you can view the performance data through report

charts in SAS Decision Manager. These report charts give a graphical representation of the model's performance. SAS Decision Manager also enables you to create performance monitoring reports in PDF, HTML, RTF, and Excel output formats from the **Reports** page.

Note: Performance monitoring is designed to work only with a project that is associated with a classification model function and has a binary target, or with a prediction model function and has an interval target. Only models that are associated with the classification and prediction model types and that are set as champion and challenger models can be monitored for performance.



The following types of output for performance monitoring are available:

- Summaries of the types of information in project folders such as the number of models, model age distribution, input variables, and target variables.
- Reports that detect and quantify shifts in the distribution of variable values over time that occur in input data and scored output data.
- Performance monitoring reports that evaluate the predicted and actual target values for a champion model at multiple points in time.

You can create the performance monitoring output, except for summaries, using either of the following methods:

- On the **Performance** page, generate the SAS code that creates the performance output and then execute the generated code.
- Write your own SAS program using the report creation macros that are provided with SAS Decision Manager and submit your program as a batch job. You can run your SAS program in any SAS session as long as the SAS session can access the SAS Content Server.

After you create and execute a performance definition, you view the report charts by selecting the **Results** tab on the **Performance** page. The report charts are interactive, and you can modify them to help you assess the champion model performance. For example, you can show markers in the charts and show tables for the different types of reports. You can also select different variables for the x-axis and display them in the chart for the Variable Distribution Report.

If you have flagged a challenger model to compare with the champion model, you can use the performance data that you collected for the champion model to create reports for the challenger model. After all of the performance monitoring definitions have been run, you can create a Champion and Challenger Performance report that compares the champion model to the challenger model.

Types of Performance Monitoring

Overview of the Types of Performance Monitoring

After a champion model is in production, you can monitor the performance of the model by analyzing the performance results. You can create the performance output interactively using the Edit Performance Definition wizard on the **Performance** page of a project or you can submit batch programs within SAS.

You can create the following types of performance output:

Summary Results

The **Summary** results summarize the number of models, the number of versions, the number of scoring tests, and the number of reports. The summary information enables you to compare the contents of folders, projects, and versions. You view the Summary results by selecting **Actions** ⇒ **View Summary**.

Data Composition Reports

The Variable Distribution report shows you the distributions for a variable in one or more time periods, which enables you to see the differences and changes over time. The Characteristic and Stability reports detect and quantify shifts in the distribution of variable values that occur in input data and scored output data over time. By analyzing these shifts, you can gain insights on scoring input and output variables.

Model Monitoring Reports

The model monitoring reports are a collection of performance assessment reports that evaluate the predicted and actual target values. The model monitoring reports create several charts:

- Lift
- Gini - ROC (Receiver Operating Characteristic)
- Gini - Trend
- KS
- MSE (Mean Squared Error) for prediction models

When you create Data Composition reports and Model Monitoring reports, you can set performance index warnings and alerts. When certain thresholds are met, SAS Decision Manager can send a warning and alert notification to e-mail addresses that you configure either in the Edit Performance Definition wizard or in a SAS program.

You view the Data Composition reports and the Model Monitoring reports on the **Results** tab on the **Performance** page.

Summary Results

The Summary results summarizes the contents of different folders and projects.

The contents of the Summary results is dynamic and is updated according to the selected project. The scope of the information that is reported is defined by the collection of folders and objects that exist beneath the folder that is selected.

To view the Summary results, select **Actions** ⇒ **View Summary**.

Use the following sections to evaluate and compare the contents of the project:

General

Use the **General** section to browse the number of models, the number of versions, and the number of scoring tests.

Summary of Reports

Use the **Summary of Reports** section to browse the number of reports that are available on the **Reports** page for the selected object.

Model Target Variable Report

Use the **Model Target Variable Report** to see the frequency with which target variables are used in the models that exist for the selected object. Each unique model target variable is reported, listing the number of models that use that variable as a target variable.

Model Input Variable Report

Use the **Model Input Variable Report** to see the frequency with which input variables are used in the models for a folder or project. Each unique model input variable is reported, listing the number of models that use that variable as an input variable.

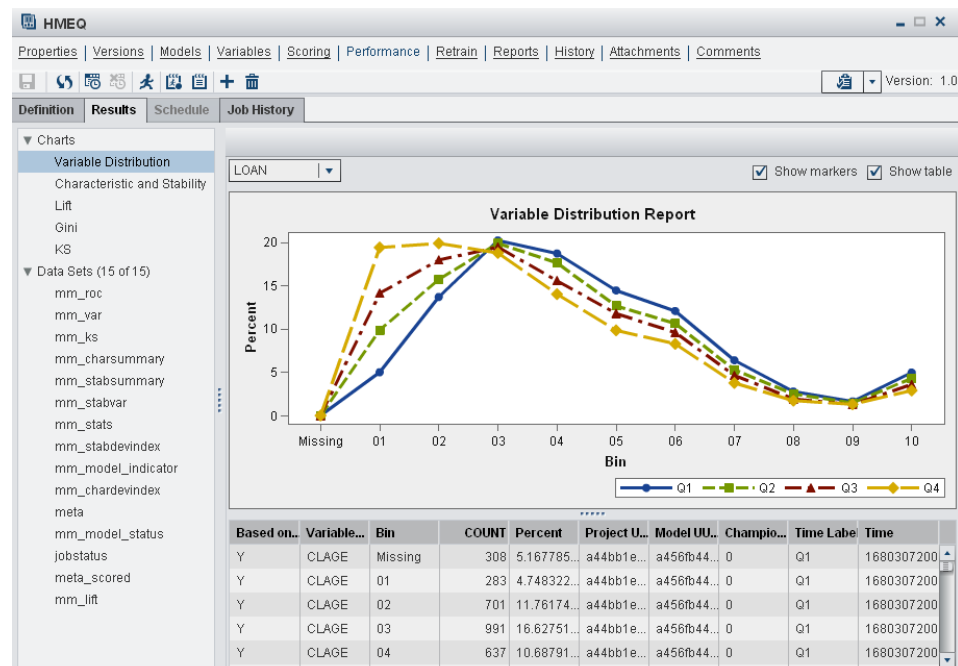
Data Composition Reports

Variable Distribution Report

Select the **Results** tab on the **Performance** page to view the **Variable Distribution** report. The variable distribution chart is a graphical representation of distributions over a period of time for the selected variable. Each line plot represents the data for a specific period of time. The Y-axis is the percentage of observations in a bin that is proportional to the total count.

To change the variable that appears in the chart, select a variable from the drop-down list.

Here is an example of a Variable Distribution report. By placing the cursor over a point in the chart, you can view the data for that point.



Characteristic and Stability Reports

Together, the Characteristic and Stability reports detect and quantify shifts that can occur in the distribution of model performance data, scoring input data, and the scored output data that a model produces.

Note: For each time period that you execute a performance definition, SAS Decision Manager creates a new point on the charts. Line segments between points in time do not appear on the charts unless you specify at least three data sources and collection dates as part of the performance definition.

Characteristic Report

The Characteristic report detects and quantifies the shifts in the distribution of variable values in the input data over time. These shifts can point to significant changes in customer behavior that are due to new technology, competition, marketing promotions, new laws, or other influences.

To find shifts, the Characteristic report compares the distributions of the variables in these two data sets:

- the training data set that was used to develop the model
- a current data set

If large enough shifts occur in the distribution of variable values over time, the original model might not be the best predictive or classification tool to use with the current data.

The Characteristic report uses a deviation index to quantify the shifts in a variable's values distribution that can occur between the training data set and the current data set. The deviation index is computed for each predictor variable in the data set, using this equation:

$$\text{Deviation_Index} = \Sigma (\% \text{Actual} - \% \text{Expected}) * 1n (\% \text{Actual} / \% \text{Expected})$$

Numeric predictor variable values are placed into bins for frequency analysis. Outlier values are removed to facilitate better placement of values and to avoid scenarios that can aggregate most observations into a single bin.

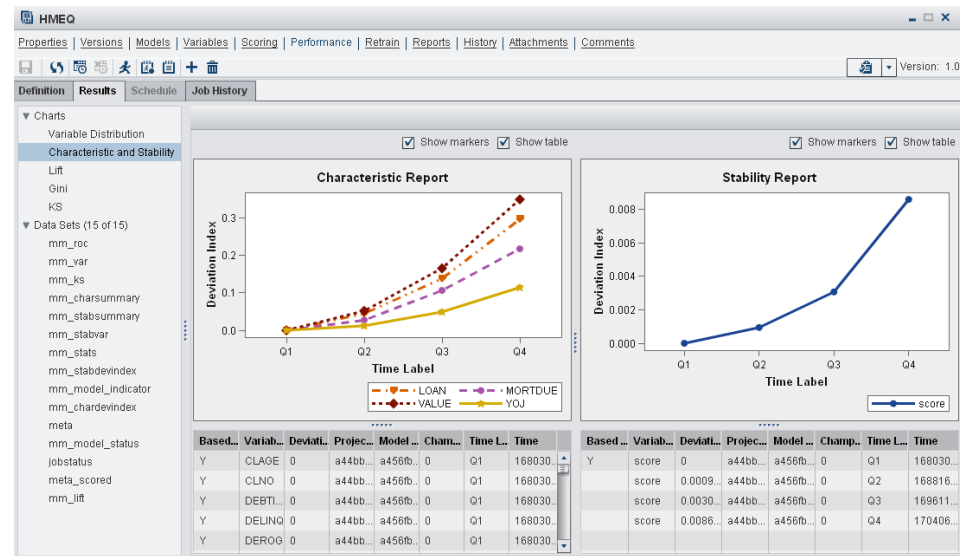
If the training data set and the current data set have identical distributions for a variable, the variable's deviation index is equal to 0. A variable with a deviation index value that is $P1 > 2$ is classified as having a mild deviation. The Characteristic report uses the performance measure P1 to count the number of variables that receive a deviation index value that is greater than 0.1.

A variable that has a deviation index value that is $P1 > 5$ or $P25 > 0$ is classified as having a significant deviation. A performance measure P25 is used to count the number of variables that have significant deviations, or the number of input variables that receive a deviation index score value that is greater than or equal to 0.25.

Stability Report

The Stability report evaluates changes in the distribution of scored output variable values as models score data over time, and detects and quantifies shifts in the distribution of output variable values in the data that is produced by the models. If an output variable from the training data set and the output variable from the current data set have identical distributions, then that output variable's deviation index is equal to 0. An output variable with a deviation index value that is greater than 0.10 and less than 0.25 is classified as having a mild deviation. A variable that has a deviation index value that is greater than 0.30 is classified as having a significant deviation. Too much deviation in predictive variable output can indicate that model tuning, retraining, or replacement might be necessary.

Here is an example of Characteristic and Stability reports. By placing the cursor over a point in the chart, you can view the data for that point.



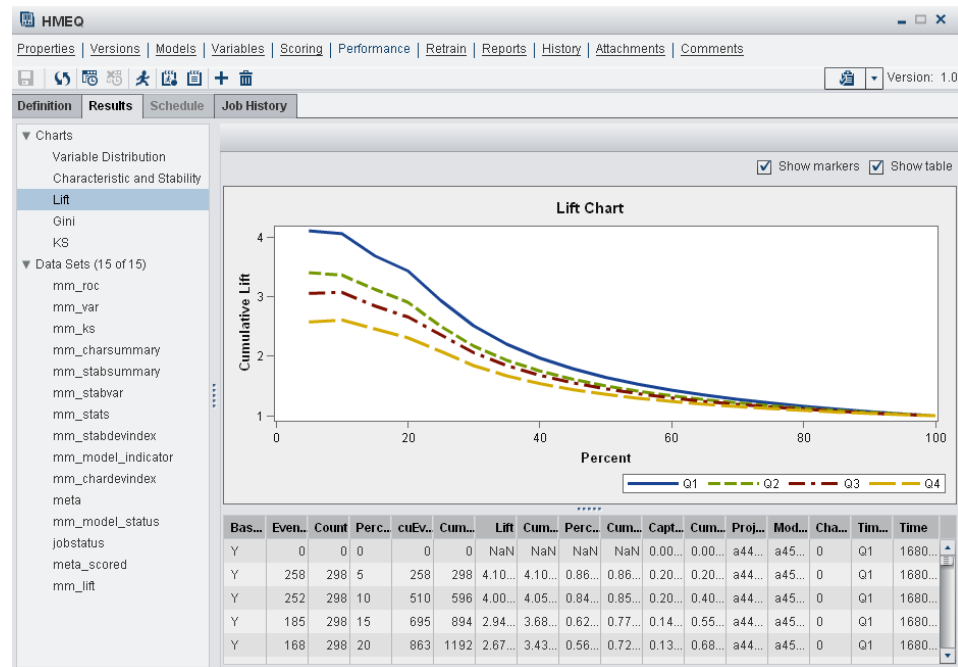
Model Monitoring Reports

Lift Report

The Lift report provides a visual summary of the usefulness of the information that is provided by a model for predicting a binary outcome variable. Specifically, the report summarizes the utility that you can expect by using the champion model as compared to using baseline information only. Baseline information is the prediction accuracy performance of the initial performance monitoring definition or batch program using operational data.

A monitoring Lift report can show a model's cumulative lift at a given point in time or the sequential lift performance of a model's lift over time. To detect model performance degradation, you can set the Lift report performance indexes Lift5Decay, Lift10Decay, Lift15Decay, and Lift20Decay. The data that underlies the Lift report is contained in the report file mm_lift.sas7bdat in the **Resources** folder.

Here is an example of a monitoring Lift report. By placing the cursor over a point in the report, you can view the data for that point.



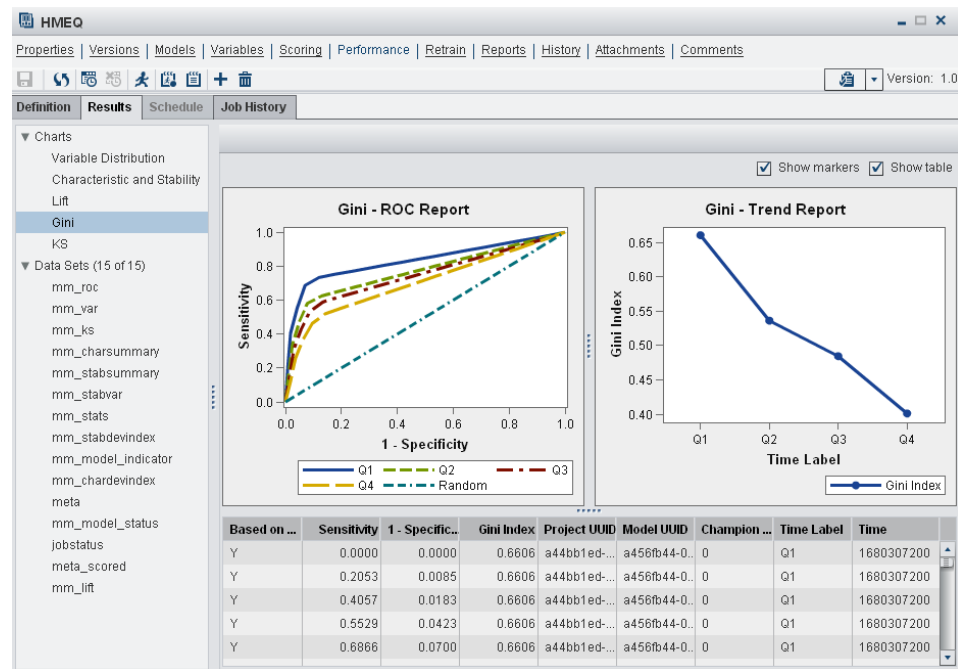
Gini (ROC and Trend) Report

The **Gini (ROC and Trend)** reports show you the predictive accuracy of a model that has a binary target. The plot displays sensitivity information about the y-axis and 1-Specificity information about the x-axis. Sensitivity is the proportion of true positive events. Specificity is the proportion of true negative events. The Gini index is calculated for each ROC curve. The Gini coefficient, which represents the area under the ROC curve, is a benchmark statistic that can be used to summarize the predictive accuracy of a model.

Use the monitoring **Gini (ROC and Trend)** report to detect degradations in the predictive power of a model.

The data that underlies the monitoring **Gini (ROC and Trend)** report is contained in the report component file mm_roc.sas7bdat.

The following chart is an example of a monitoring **Gini (ROC and Trend)** report. By placing the cursor over a point in the chart, you can view the data for that point.



KS Report

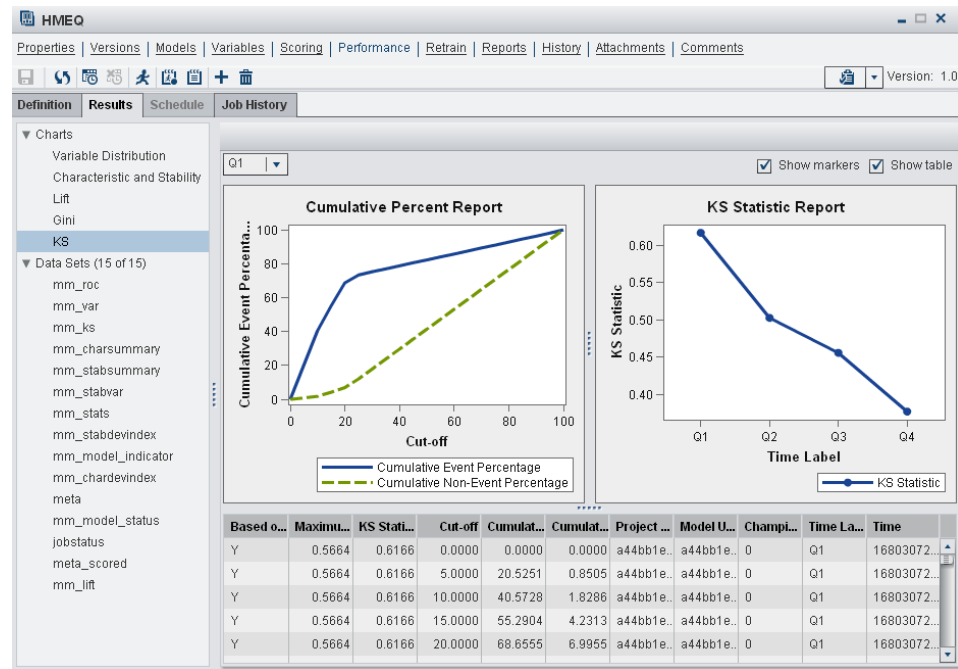
The KS report contains the Kolmogorov-Smirnov (KS) test plots for models with a binary target. The KS statistic measures the maximum vertical separation, or deviation between the cumulative distributions of events and non-events. This trend report uses a summary data set that plots the KS statistic and the KS probability cutoff values over time.

Use the KS report to detect degradations in the predictive power of a model. To scroll through a successive series of KS performance depictions, select a time interval from the **Time Interval** list box. If model performance is declining, it is indicated by the decreasing distances between the KS plot lines.

To detect model performance degradation, you can set the ksDecay performance index in the KS report.

The data that underlies the KS chart is contained in the report component file mm_ks.sas7bdat.

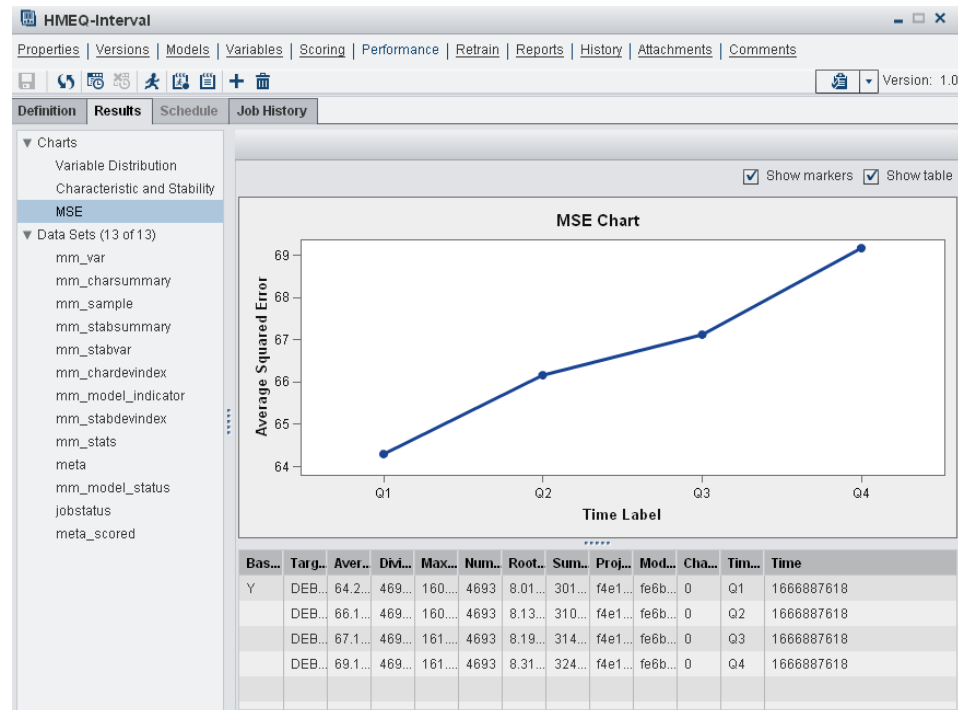
The following report is an example of a KS report. By placing the cursor over a point in the chart, you can view the data for that point.



Mean Squared Error Report

The Mean Squared Error (MSE) report checks the accuracy of a prediction model with an interval target by comparing the estimation derived from the test data and the actual outcomes that are associated with the test data for different time periods.

The following report is an example of an MSE report.



Performance Index Warnings and Alerts

The production model performance reports use performance measurement thresholds to benchmark and gauge the performance of a predictive model. When one of the performance measurements exceeds one or more specified indexes or thresholds, warning and alert events occur. When warning or alert events occur, warning and alert notifications are automatically sent by e-mail to recipients whose e-mail address is configured either in the Edit Performance Definition wizard or in the batch program that runs the reports.

Use the following assignment statements to set warning and alert conditions:

```
alertCondition='alert-condition';
warningCondition='warning-condition';
```

Note: The condition must be enclosed in quotation marks if you use SAS code to create the report. An error occurs if you enclose the condition in quotation marks in the Edit Performance Definition wizard.

The following indexes and thresholds can be configured in either the Edit Performance Definition wizard or in a batch program that creates the report specifications:

Characteristic report

You can configure the thresholds for the performance indexes P1 and P25. The P1 and P25 indexes represent the count of input variables with deviation index scores exceeding 0.1 and 0.25, respectively. Here is an example of alert and warning thresholds:

```
alertCondition='p1>5 or p25>0';
warningCondition='p1>2';
```

Stability report

You can configure output deviation index scores for a model's output variable. The output deviation index scores represent the deviation levels in the distribution of the model's scored output variables. Here is an example of alert and warning thresholds:

```
alertCondition='outputDeviation>0.03';
warningCondition='outputDeviation>0.01';
```

Model Assessment reports

For the Lift, Gini (ROC and Trend), and KS reports, you can configure threshold values for the following decay statistics.

| | |
|-------------|--|
| lift5Decay | is the lift performance decay based on the top 5% of the target population of interest from time A to time B. |
| lift10Decay | is the lift performance decay based on the top 10% of the target population of interest from time A to time B. |
| lift15Decay | is the lift performance decay based on the top 15% of the target population of interest from time A to time B. |
| lift20Decay | is the lift performance decay based on the top 20% of the target population of interest from time A to time B. |
| giniDecay | is the performance decay of the Gini index from time A to time B. |

ksDecay is the performance decay of the KS statistic from time A to time B.

For the prediction model MSE report, you can configure the mseDecay statistic threshold values. The mseDecay statistic is the performance decay of the MSE statistic from time A to time B.

Here is an example of alert and warning thresholds:

```
alertCondition='(lift5Decay>0.15 and lift10Decay>0.12)
               or giniDecay>0.1 or ksDecay>0.1';
warningCondition='lift5Decay>0.05';
```

The following table is an example of a warnings and alerts notification table.

| perfIndex | perfDecay | alertCondition | alertEval | warningCondition | warningEval |
|--|--|--|-----------|----------------------|-------------|
| p1=0; p25=0 | | p1>5 or p25>0 | False | p1>2 | False |
| lift5=4.055; lift10=4.037; lift15=3.690; lift20=3.416; giniIndex=0.689; ksStatistic=0.628 | lift5Decay=0.077; lift10Decay=0.071; lift15Decay=0.079; lift20Decay=0.070; giniDecay=0.088; ksDecay=0.077 | (lift5Decay>0.15 and lift10Decay>0.12) or giniDecay>0.1 or ksDecay>0.1 | False | lift5Decay>0.05 | True |
| outputDeviation=0.000; | | outputDeviation>0.03 | False | outputDeviation>0.01 | False |

The warnings and alerts notification table displays the computed performance indexes and performance decay statistics that were calculated for the model, as well as summaries of the alert and warning threshold settings that were specified for the model. The calculated statistics are compared with the alert and warning threshold settings.

When an alertEvaluation or warningEvaluation column displays a **True** value, the warnings and alerts table is e-mailed to the configured recipients. When the value is **False**, no e-mail notification is sent.

Monitoring Champion Models

Your project plan might include a schedule to monitor the champion model performance, or your plan might require that you monitor the performance at any time. For each time period that you monitor the champion model, you take a snapshot of the data for that time period and use that data as the performance data source for creating the monitoring reports.

You can create monitoring reports by creating and executing a performance definition, or you can submit batch programs to create the reports. Both methods require the same information. Both methods can process one or more performance data sources. When you create a performance definition, you can specify one or more data sources to process. When you use a batch program, you use a separate DATA step to process each data source.

If you run batch programs, you can find example programs in the sashelp.modelmgr.source catalog. These reports' filenames are **reportexample_x**, where *x* is a number from 1 to 4.

The following table lists the definitions that are required to create performance reports:

| Definition | Reports Created by Using the Edit Performance Definition Wizard | Reports Created Using SAS Programs That Run in Batch |
|--|---|--|
| Create a folder structure for report files | The folder structure is inherent in the Project. No action is necessary. | Create a folder structure on a local computer. |
| Obtain performance data | The performance data is one or more SAS data sets that are a snapshot of model output. They can be registered in SAS Management Console or they can be accessed by using a libref that has been defined by using the Edit Start-up Code window. | The performance data is used to assess model prediction accuracy. It includes all of the required scoring input variables as well as one or more actual target variables. You can store performance data sets anywhere as long as they can be accessed by the SAS session that runs the batch program. The data sets do not need to be registered with SAS Management Console. |
| Ensure access to the champion or challenger model | This process is performed by the Edit Performance Definition wizard. No action is necessary. | Run the %MM_GetModels() macro to extract the champion model in a channel to the local computer. |
| Map model and project output variables. | Map the model and project output variables using the Project Tree. | Map the model and project output variables using the Project Tree. |
| Define report specifications | The report specification are derived from project data and input that you specify in the Edit Performance Definition wizard. The wizard generates the SAS code to create the performance reports. | Write the following DATA steps: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • mm_jobs.project • mm_jobs.emailaddr • mm_jobs.reportdef • mm_jobs.jobtime |
| Specify the report execution operational environment | The operational environment is known to SAS Decision Manager. No action is necessary. | Define the required macro variables that are used by the %MM_RunReports() macro. |

| Definition | Reports Created by Using the Edit Performance Definition Wizard | Reports Created Using SAS Programs That Run in Batch |
|------------------|--|---|
| Run the reports | Execute the code from the Performance page that was generated by the Edit Performance Definition wizard or schedule the performance definition from the Performance page. The data sets that underlie the monitoring reports are stored in the Results tab. | Create a DATA step that points to the performance data sets and execute the %MM_RunReports() macro. The data sets that underlie the monitoring reports are stored in the Results tab when the reports are created in production mode. In Test mode, the monitoring reports data sets reside in the location specified in the mm_jobs.project data set. |
| View the reports | Select the Performance page for the champion model to view the reports. | Select the Performance page for the champion model to view the reports. |

Creating Reports Using a Performance Definition

Overview of Creating Reports Using a Performance Definition

You define and execute a performance definition for a project. The model that you monitor is either the project champion model or a challenger model that is flagged in any version for the project. The process of creating performance reports is a two-step process. First, you run the Edit Performance Definition wizard to generate the code that creates the performance data results. Then, you execute the generated code. You can execute the code immediately, or you can schedule a date and time at which the definition is to run. Information about performance definitions is recorded and can be viewed on the **Results** tab of the **Performance** page.

To create performance reports:

- Ensure that one or more performance data sources are registered using SAS Management Console or that a libref has been defined for the location where the performance data sets are stored.
- Ensure that all prerequisites have been completed.
- Run the Edit Performance Definition wizard to generate the SAS code that creates the performance reports.
- Execute the generated code or schedule when the generated code is to be executed.
- To view the reports, select the **Results** tab on the **Performance** page.

Determine How to Use the Performance Data Sets

Before you run the Edit Performance Definition wizard, the performance data sets must be registered in the SAS Metadata Repository. You can register the data sets in the Data

category view or you can add tables to an existing library that have already been registered using SAS Management Console. For each project, you can set up your environment to use the performance data source that is most appropriate for your business process. Here are two methods of collecting performance data:

- **Method 1:** You periodically take a snapshot of an operational data set to create a performance data set. Each time you take a snapshot, you give the performance data set a new name. Each performance data set must be registered in the SAS Metadata Repository and it must be available in the **Data** category view. You can create and execute a performance monitoring definition each time you take a snapshot, or you can create a performance monitoring definition to execute multiple performance data sets in the same definition. The best practice is to use the dynamic data sources in the performance definition.
- **Method 2:** You take a snapshot of the operational data set to create a performance data set over time, and you reuse the same name for each performance data set every time you take a snapshot. You register the performance data set in the SAS Metadata Repository only once. The performance data set must be available in the **Data** category view. Each time you take a snapshot, you replace the performance data set at the location where the performance data set is registered.

When you run the Edit Performance Definition wizard, the name of the performance data source does not change. The **Default performance table** project property is not populated in the Edit Performance Definition wizard. You modify only the **Collection Date** and **Report Label** columns in the table.

The following table summarizes the definitions that are performed if performance reports are run after six months or for reports that are run every month. Use this definition and example table to help you determine how you want to name your performance data sets and your performance data sources.

| Definition | Method 1: The Performance Data Set Name Changes | Method 2: The Performance Data Set Name Remains Static |
|--|---|--|
| Create a performance data set from model output data | Each month, take a snapshot of the operational data and create a performance data set with a different name: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jul13 • Aug13 • Sep13 • Oct13 • Nov13 Dec13 | Every month, take a snapshot of the operational data and name the performance data set using the same name: 2013perf |
| If you are registering the performance data sets in the SAS Metadata Repository, register the performance data sets using SAS Management Console | Register the data sets monthly or register them all at once before you run the reports. | Register the data sets the first month only. |

| Definition | Method 1: The Performance Data Set Name Changes | Method 2: The Performance Data Set Name Remains Static |
|---|---|--|
| If the performance data set is accessed by using a libref, store the data set in the SAS library. | Save the performance data set in the SAS library that is defined by a libref in SAS Decision Manager. | Save the performance data set in the SAS library that is defined by a libref in SAS Decision Manager. |
| Modifications to make in the Edit Performance Definition wizard | In Step 3, select one or more performance data sources. For each data source, select a data collection date and enter a date label. | In Step 3, select a data collection date and enter a date label. The Performance data source field contains the static name of the performance data source name because it was specified for the previous execution of the definition for this project. |
| Create the reports | Run the Edit Performance Definition wizard and execute the reports from the Performance page or schedule when the definition is to execute. Because each performance data source has a different name, you can run the performance definition as desired; the definition does not need to be run monthly. | Monthly, run the Edit Performance Definition wizard and execute the reports from the Performance page or schedule when the definition is to execute. To ensure that you do not write over important performance data, run the performance definition before a new snapshot of the operational data is taken. |

Prerequisites for Editing a Performance Definition

Overview of Prerequisites

Before you edit a Performance Definition, the environment must be set appropriately as follows:


- Ensure that the champion model is set or the challenger model is flagged.
- Ensure that the champion or challenger model is within a project that is associated with a classification model function and has a binary target, or that is associated with a prediction model function and has an interval target.
- Ensure that the champion or challenger model contains a score.sas file. If the performance data set contains the predicted values, the score.sas file can be empty. For more information, [“Monitoring Performance of a Model without Score Code” on page 239](#).



- Ensure that the performance data sets for the time period that you want to monitor are registered in SAS Management Console or that a libref has been defined for the SAS library where the performance data sets are saved.
- Ensure that the appropriate project and model properties are set.

After the environment is set, you can run the Edit Performance Definition wizard.


Ensure That Champion and Challenger Models Are Set

The Edit Performance Definition wizard generates report code for the champion model in the champion version.

You can determine the champion version and the champion model by looking for the  icon next to the champion version name and the champion model name on the **Versions** page. The status is also indicated in the **Role** column on the **Models** page.

If the champion model is not set, select a model and click  or right-click the champion model name and select **Set as Champion**. The  icon appears next to the champion model name and the version for the champion model.

You can determine the challenger model by looking at the **Role** column on the **Models** page. View the number of challengers on the **Details** view of the **Versions** page.

If the challenger model is not set, click  or right-click the challenger model name and select **Flag as Challenger**.

Ensure That the Champion Model Function and Class Target Level Are Valid

Performance monitoring is valid only for a project that is associated with a classification model function and has a binary target, or for a prediction model function that has an interval target. You should define only performance definitions for classification and prediction models. The champion model must either have a function type of classification and must contain a binary target, or have a function type of prediction and must contain an interval target.

From the Projects category view, select the champion model name and verify that the **Model function** property in the specific properties section is set to **Classification** or **Prediction**. For models that are created using SAS Enterprise Miner, verify that **Class target level** is set to **BINARY** for a classification model or to **INTERVAL** for a prediction model.

Ensure That the Performance Data Source Is Available

The Edit Performance Definition wizard requires that the performance data be registered in the SAS Metadata Repository. You can register the data sets in the Data category view or you can add tables to an existing library that have already been registered using SAS Management Console.

If your performance table is not available for selection, contact your administrator to add the table to the Data Library Manager using SAS Management Console. For more information, see the *SAS Decision Manager: Administrator's Guide*.

Ensure That Project and Model Properties Are Set

Several properties must be defined in order to generate the model performance reports. Verify that the appropriate project and model properties are set. Here is a list of properties.

Classification Project Properties

- Training target variable
- Target event value
- Class target level
- Output event probability variable

Prediction Project Properties

- Training target variable
- Class target level
- Output prediction variable


Model Properties

- Score code type

Map Model and Project Output Variables

In order to create the model performance reports, you must map the model output variable to the project output variable if the corresponding project variable and the model variable have different names.

To map the model variables to the project variables:

1. Select and open a model.
2. Select **Model Properties** ⇒ **Output Mapping**.
3. Click the box in the **Value** column beside the variable in the **Property** column to display a list of project variables.
4. Select a model output variable.
5. Repeat steps 3 and 4 for each model variable that requires mapping.
6. Click .

Edit and Execute a Performance Definition

To create the monitoring reports, you specify a performance definition to generate SAS code. You then execute the generated code or create a schedule to execute the generated code on a specific day and time. Execution of the generated code creates the SAS data sets that are used to display reports: either the monitoring reports from the version **Performance** page, or the Monitoring report or Champion and Challenger Performance report that you create from the New Report window.

To edit the performance definition:

1. Click **Edit Definition** and select a champion or challenger model. Click **Next**.

Edit Performance Definition Step 1 of 4

Select Model

Select a model:

| Select | Name | Version | Type | Role |
|----------------------------------|------|---------|----------------|------------|
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | Tree | 2.0 | Classification | Champion |
| <input type="radio"/> | Reg1 | 2.0 | Classification | Challenger |

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2. Select a SAS Application Server.
3. Select one or more output variables for stability analysis. To select all output variables, click **All**.
4. Select one or more input variables for characteristic analysis. To select all input variables, click **All**. Click **Next**.

Edit Performance Definition Step 2 of 4

Select Server and Variables

Select a SAS application server: **SASAPP**

Select the output variables for stability analysis:

| <input type="checkbox"/> All | Variables | Description |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | score | |

Select the input variables for characteristic analysis:

| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All | Variables | Description |
|---|-----------|-------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | YOU | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | METHOD | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | REASON | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | DEROG | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | VALUE | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | COUNT | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | LOAN | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | CLASS | |

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5. Choose the data processing method:
 - To run a standard environment, select **Standard configuration**.
To run the score code in the performance monitor job, select the **Run model score code** check box.
 - To run the performance monitoring definition in a High-Performance Analytics environment, select **High-performance configuration**.

Note: The score code is not run when **High-performance configuration** is selected.


6. Decide to use either the static or dynamic data sources, and then specify the data source information.

Note: Ensure that the data source information is complete before saving the definition. If you start adding information for static data sources and then decide to use dynamic data sources instead, be sure to delete the information added for static data sources before adding the dynamic data source information, and vice versa.



To use static data sources:

- a. Click .


Note: If you are adding multiple tables in the first performance definition, the first table that you select is the baseline performance data table.

- b. Click the empty cell in the **Data Source** column.
- c. Click **Browse** and select a performance data source. Click **OK**.
- d. Click the empty cell in the **Collection Date** column and click . Select a date. The date can be any date in the time period when the performance data was collected.
- e. To add a label for the date, enter the label name in the **Report Label** column. The report label represents the time point of the performance data source. Because the report label appears in the performance charts, use a label that has not been used for another time period, is short, and is understandable (for example, Q1).

Note: Duplicate report labels result in previous performance results being overwritten.

- f. (Optional) Select a data source and click  to verify that the selected input variables and target variable are included in the performance data source.
- g. (Optional) Repeat the above steps to add multiple performance data sources to the performance definition.
- h. (Optional) To delete a data source from the performance definition, select the data source and click .

To use dynamic data sources:

- a. Click  to select a data source library.
 - b. (Optional) Specify the prefix to remove from the data source names in the selected library. The data source name is used for the report label. You can remove the prefix so that it does not show as part of a report label on the charts.
7. (Optional) Select **Generate dashboard reports after the performance monitoring has completed**. The dashboard definition must already exist for this option to work.
 8. Click **Next**.

Edit Performance Definition
Set Alerts and Warnings: Step 3 of 4

Select Model
Select Server and Variables
Set Processing and Performance Options
Set Alerts and Warnings

Specify the data processing method:
☐ Standard configuration ☒ Run model using code
☐ High performance configuration

Specify the data source information:
☒ Standard configuration
☐ High performance configuration

Work with the information here:

| Data Source | Collection Date | Report Label |
|-------------|-----------------|--------------|
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☐ Generate dashboard reports when the performance monitoring job is completed.

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9. (Optional) Either specify values for the alert and warning conditions or accept the defaults.
10. (Optional) To send the results by e-mail, click . A new row is added to the table.
 - a. Enter an e-mail address.
 - b. Select either **Yes** or **No** if you want an alert or warning to be sent by e-mail when alert or warning thresholds have been exceeded.
 - c. Select either **Yes** or **No** if you want a completion notice with the job status to be sent by e-mail every time the report runs.
11. Click **Save**.

Edit Performance Definition
Set Alerts and Warnings: Step 4 of 4

Specify values for the alert and warning conditions:

| Condition | Value |
|-----------------------|---|
| LT-STABILITY - Alert | p1>5 or p2>0 |
| Stability - Alert | expDeviation > 0.03 |
| Model - Alert | RMSEDeviation > 0.15 and RMSEDeviation > 0.12 at giniD... |
| Cholesterol - Warning | p1>2 |
| Stability - Warning | expDeviation > 0.01 |
| Model - Warning | RMSEDeviation > 0.05 |

Specify who should receive notifications and when:


| E-mail Address | Send Alert or Warning | Send Job Status |
|----------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
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To execute a performance definition:

1. Select the **Performance** page for the project.
2. Click .
3. After the performance monitoring has been completed, a confirmation message appears. Click **Close**.

- Click the **Results** tab to view the performance results.

Note: You can check the status of a job by clicking  and then selecting the **Results** tab or the **Job History** tab.

Note: You can overwrite or delete previously created performance data sets.

Schedule Performance Definitions

After you create a performance definition, you can create a schedule to execute the definition to run on a specific day and at a specific time. You can schedule the definition to run hourly, daily, weekly, monthly, or yearly.

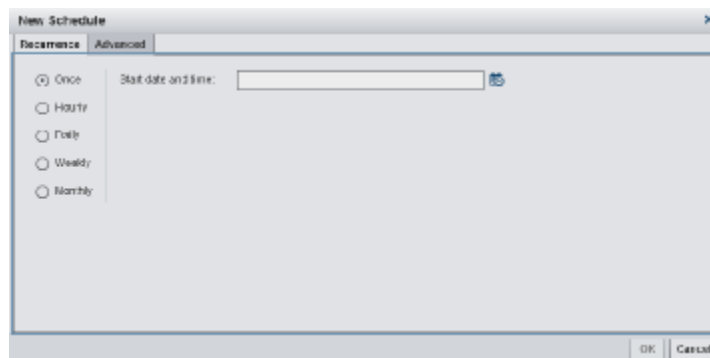
Before you can schedule a performance definition, your user ID and password must be made available to the SAS Metadata Repository. You must also sign in to SAS Decision Manager using your full user credentials that were specified for your user account in SAS Management Console. For user accounts where a Microsoft Windows user ID is specified, you must enter your user ID in the format of *domain\userID*. Contact your system administrator to add or update your password, and to determine the correct user credentials for your user account.

You cannot edit a schedule for a performance definition. To modify a schedule, delete the schedule and create a new schedule.

After performance monitoring jobs execute, you can view the job history using the **Job History** tab on the **Performance** page.

To schedule a performance monitoring definition:

- Click .




- On the **Recurrence** tab, select the recurrence pattern.
- Specify the criteria for when and how often the job should be run.
- (Optional) Select the **Advanced** tab.
 - Select the server that schedules the job from the **Scheduling server** list box.
 - Select the batch server that runs the job from the **Batch server** list box.
 - Click **Browse** to select a location for the performance monitoring output. Click **OK**.
- Click **OK**.
- After the job has been scheduled, a confirmation message appears. Click **Close**.

7. Click the **Results** tab to view the performance results.

Note: Performance schedules cannot be edited. To change the schedule, delete the schedule and create a new schedule.

Here is a list of the **Schedule** properties for **Performance**:

| Property Name | Description |
|-------------------------------|---|
| Job Name | Specifies the name of the performance monitoring definition. This name cannot be changed. |
| Location | Specifies the location of the performance monitoring definition in the SAS Metadata Repository. |
| Scheduling Server | Specifies the name of the server that schedules the job for the performance monitoring definition. |
| Batch Server | Specifies the name of the server that executes the job for the performance monitoring definition. |
| Recurrence | Specifies how often the scheduled job for the performance monitoring definition is to be executed. |
| SAS Application Server | Specifies the name of the SAS Application Server where the performance monitoring definition is to be executed. |

To delete a schedule, select the schedule and then click .

View Performance Monitoring Job History

Use the **Job History** tab on the **Performance** page to verify whether a performance monitoring task was run. The performance monitoring job appears on the **Job History** tab only after the job has begun.

To view the job history of a performance monitoring task:

1. Select a project and click the **Performance** page.
2. Click the **Job History** tab. A table appears that lists the performance monitoring jobs that have been executed.

Here is a description of the columns in the job history table:

Job Name

is the name of the performance monitoring task.

Job Status

specifies whether the job status is **Running** or **Completed**.

Execution Status

shows a green indicator for a successful job execution. A yellow indicator shows that the performance monitoring task ran with warnings. A red indicator shows that the performance monitoring task ran with errors.

Date Started

is the date and time that the performance monitoring task started.

Date Completed

is the date and time that the performance monitoring task ended.

Log

is the revision number for the SAS log.

Output

is the revision number for the job output.


SAS Code

is the revision number for the performance monitoring task program.

Manage Performance Data Sets


After a performance monitoring task has run, the summary data sets reside on the **Results** tab on the **Performance** page.

To add a performance data set:

1. Click the **Results** tab.
2. Click .
3. Navigate to the location of the data set and select the file to add.
4. Click **Open**.

Note: Fifteen tables are shown for the classification model function and thirteen are shown for the prediction model function. The table name must be the same as one of the shown tables; otherwise the uploaded table cannot be displayed. Tables with the same name are overwritten.

To delete the performance data sets:


1. Click the **Results** tab.
2. Click . Confirm the deletion.

Monitoring Performance of a Model without Score Code

If you want to monitor the performance of a model for which you no longer have the score code, you can import a model without SAS score code. If the performance data set contains the predicted values, the score.sas file can be empty.

To monitor the performance of a model without score code:




1. Prepare the following model files:

- XML file that defines the model input variables (inputvar.xml)
 - XML file that defines the model output variables (outputvar.xml)
 - XML file that defines the model target variables (targetvar.xml)
 - empty SAS score code file (score.sas)
2. Select **Models** ⇒ **Projects**
 3. Create a project that has a model function type of **Classification** or **Prediction**. You can skip this step if you have already created a project.
 4. Open a project and verify that the project properties are set.
 - a. If it is a project that has a model function property value of **Classification**, verify that the following project properties are set:
 - Training target variable (for example, *bad*)
 - Target event value (for example, *1*)
 - Class target level as **Binary**
 - Output event probability variable (for example, *score*)
 - b. If it is a project that has a model function property value of **Prediction**, verify that the following project properties are set:
 - Training target variable (for example, *lgd*)
 - Class target level as **Interval**
 - Output prediction variable (for example, *p_lgd*)
 5. Select the **Models** page.
 6. Click  and select **from local files**.

Note: If the model already exists, you can open a model to add model files to an existing model. For more information, see [“Add Model Files to an Existing Model” on page 162](#).

7. Navigate to the folder on your computer that contains the component files for your model.
8. Select a classification or prediction template from the **Choose a model template** list.
9. Enter a text value in the model **Name** field.
10. Click **Properties** and specify the model properties.
11. Click **Files** and select the local files from the SAS Workspace Server that match the template files. You cannot delete a file after you have added it. To replace the file, select another file or cancel the import and start over. The following files are required:
 - inputvar.xml
 - outputvar.xml
 - targetvar.xml
 - score.sas

Note: The filenames that you created for the model do not have to match the template filenames. However, the file contents must meet the file property requirements. For more information, see [“Model Template Component Files” on page 396](#) or [“Model Template Component Files” on page 396](#).

12. Click **OK**.
13. Open the model, and set the model-specific properties. The value for the **Score code type** property must be set to **DATA step**.
14. Expand **Variables** and select **Output Mapping** in order to set the output variable mappings for the model. Select a value for each variable and click .
15. Click  to close the model.
16. Select the model and click  to set as the champion model. For more information, see [“Ensure That Champion and Challenger Models Are Set” on page 232](#).
17. Before defining performance, verify that the performance data set is registered in the SAS Metadata Repository and is available in the Data category view. Make sure that the data set contains the following variables:
 - model input variables
Note: You must have the variable columns in the table, but the values can be missing.
 - target variable
 - prediction variables
 - variables for characteristic analysis
18. Edit a project’s performance definition on the **Performance** page. Specify the performance data set that contains the predicted values. Also, be sure to clear the **Run model score code** option for the **Data Processing Method** section of the **Edit Performance Definition** wizard. For more information, see [“Edit and Execute a Performance Definition” on page 233](#).

Chapter 20

Using Dashboard Reports

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Overview of Dashboard Reports

The SAS Decision Manager dashboard can provide reports that show the overall state of projects that are being monitored. The dashboard reports are produced from existing performance monitoring reports. For each project, you can define dashboard report indicators by creating a dashboard report definition. The dashboard report definition is used to create the dashboard reports. You view the dashboard reports through the **Actions** menu. These reports are generated in HTML.

Note: The dashboard reports can be defined and generated only by SAS Decision Manager administrators and advanced users.

Create a Dashboard Report Definition

To define a dashboard definition:

1. Click **Actions** ⇒ **New Dashboard Definition**. The New Dashboard Definition window appears.
2. Click **+** to add an indicator. The Add an Indicator window appears.

3. Select a template. The name and description are populated from the selected template. (Optional) If the selected template requires a condition, modify the name and description. Click **Details** to view information about the selected indicator template.
4. Enter a condition if the **Condition** field has been configured for use.
5. Enter normal, warning, and alert values for the range definitions.
6. Click **OK**.
7. Repeat these steps for each indicator that you want to add.

8. Select one **Category Indicator** for each category, and one indicator as the **Project Indicator**.

Note: The indicator that you select as a project indicator must also be a category indicator.

9. Click **Next**.
10. (Optional) Specify an e-mail address for each recipient who should receive an e-mail notification about the project status.
11. Click **Next**.
12. Select a report or reports to include in the dashboard report.
13. Click **Finish**.

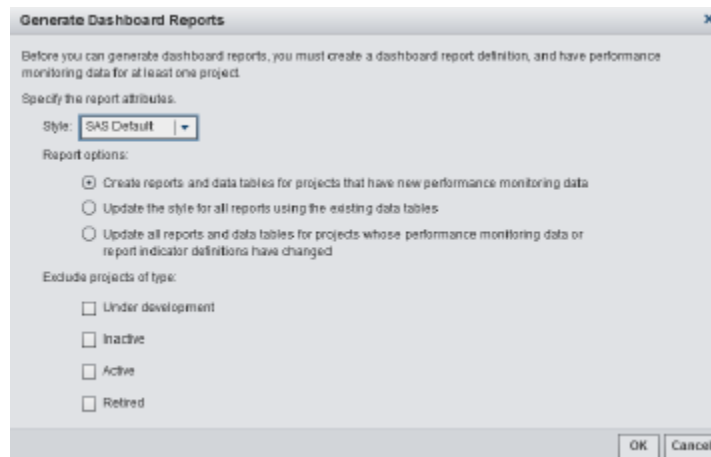
Note: You must define dashboard report indicators for all projects that you want to be included in your dashboard reports.

Generate Dashboard Reports

Note: Before you execute the dashboard report, ensure that at least one project contains performance data. At least one dashboard report indicator must also be defined in that project.

To generate dashboard reports:

1. Click **Actions** ⇒ **Generate Dashboard Reports**. The Generate Dashboard Reports window appears.



2. Select a style.
3. Select a report option:
 - Create reports and data tables for projects that have new performance monitoring data.
 - Update the style for all reports, using the existing data tables.
 - Update all reports and data tables for projects whose performance monitoring data or report indicator definitions have changed.
4. (Optional) Select an option if you want to exclude one or more project types from the report.
5. Click **OK**. A confirmation window appears, stating that the dashboard report was created.
6. Click **Close**.

View Dashboard Reports

To view the dashboard reports:

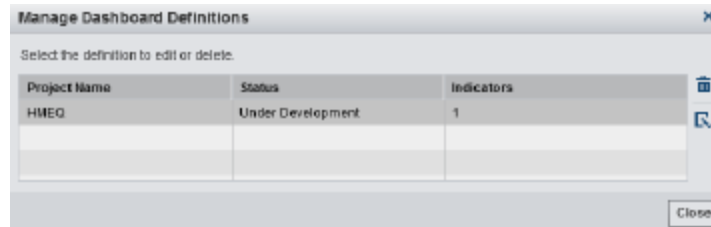
1. Click **Actions** ⇒ **View Dashboard Reports**. A web page displays all of the dashboard reports for each project that has a dashboard definition.
2. Select a project name or status link to view the associated dashboard report.

3. Select a link from the report column to view the report details.

Edit a Dashboard Report Definition

To edit a dashboard definition:

1. Click **Actions** ⇒ **Manage Dashboard Definitions**. The Manage Dashboard Definitions window appears.

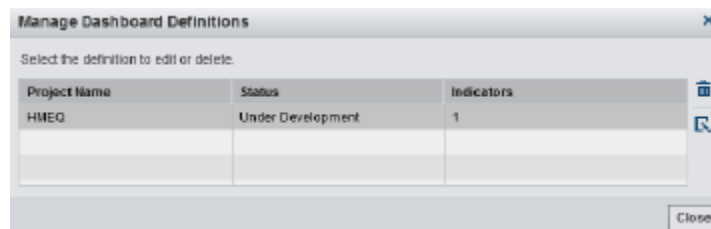



2. Select a definition to edit. Click . The Edit Dashboard Definition window appears.
3. Make your changes. Click **Finish**.
4. Click **Close**.

Delete a Dashboard Definition

To delete a dashboard definition:

1. Click **Actions** ⇒ **Manage Dashboard Definitions**. The Manage Dashboard Definitions window appears.



2. Select a definition to delete. Click . A confirmation message appears. Click **OK** to confirm the definition.
3. Click **Close**.

Chapter 21

Retraining Models

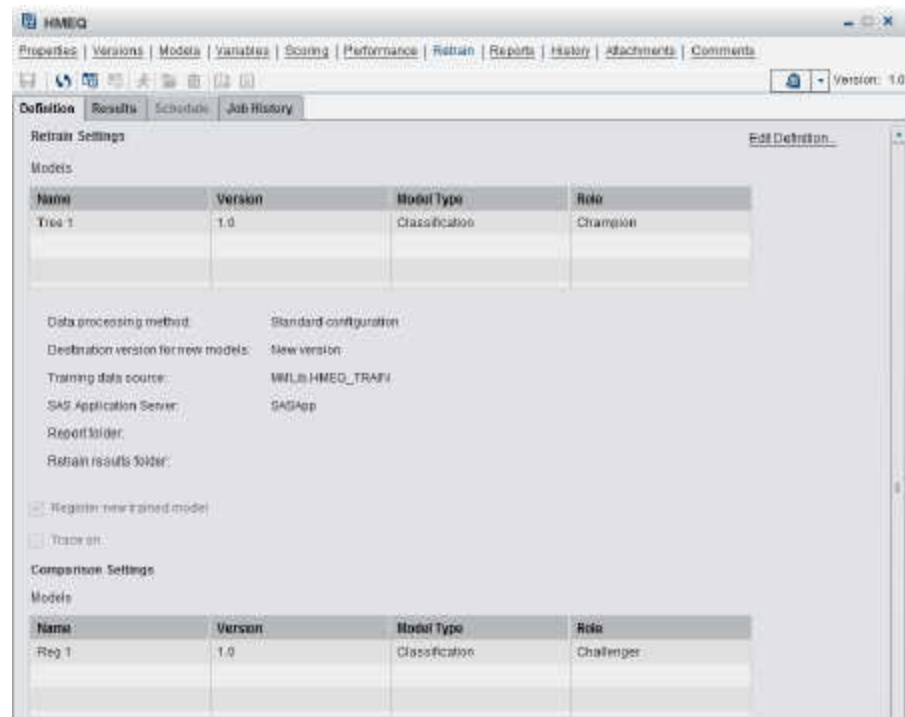
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Overview of Retraining Models

You can retrain models to respond to data and market changes. Retraining models enables you to update out-of-date models and improve model performance. When you edit a model retrain definition, you can select multiple models to be retrained at the same time. The retrain definition for a model includes the destination version and training data source. The destination version is an existing version or new version that is associated with the selected project and stores the retrained model information.

The training data source contains new data for retraining the selected models. You can also specify a location to store the comparison reports and retrain results. When you select the models to include in the comparison report, you can use the training data source or select a different data source to compare the performance of the new models. You can also specify the report options, including the name, format, and style of the comparison report. E-mail notifications can also be specified as part of a model retrain definition and are sent after you execute a model retrain definition.

By default, the champion model for the selected project is selected for retrain. If the **Register new trained model** option was selected after you execute a model retrain definition, the new models are registered to the destination version. The comparison report is available on the **Results** tab of the **Retrain** page. The definition is executed on the SAS Application Server that is specified. The report folder is stored on the SAS Content Server.



Note: Only R models and those that are created by using SAS Enterprise Miner, SAS/STAT, and SAS/ETS can be retrained.

To retrain a model:

- Ensure that all prerequisites have been completed
- Edit the model retrain definition for a project to generate the SAS code that retrains models
- Execute the generated SAS code
- View the new models and comparison report

Prerequisites for Retraining a Model

Before you can retrain a model, complete the following prerequisites:

- If you want to retrain the project champion model, ensure that the champion model is set. For more information, see [“Champion Models” on page 256](#).
- Verify that the training data set that you want to use as the training data source has been registered in the SAS Metadata Repository, and is available in the Data category view.
- Verify that the appropriate project and model properties are set:

Classification Model Project Properties

- Training target variable
- Target event value
- Class target level
- Output event probability variable

Prediction Model Project Properties

- Training target variable
- Class target level
- Output prediction variable

Model Properties

- Score code type

For more information, see [“Project Properties” on page 122](#) and [“Scoring Model Properties” on page 174](#).

- Verify that all of the project output variables are mapped to the corresponding model output variables. For more information, see [“Map Model Variables to Project Variables” on page 163](#).
- Verify that the retrain file that is specified in the model template exists in the list of model files. The retrain file must appear on the **Model Properties** page for the model that you want to retrain. Ensure that the content is correct.

Edit a Model Retrain Definition

To define a model retrain definition:

1. In the **Definition** tab on the **Retrain** page, click **Edit Definition** and select one or more models to retrain. By default, the champion model is selected if it can be retrained.

Retrain Definition (Step 1 of 3)

Set Training Settings | **Set Retrain Settings** | Set Comparison Settings | Set Audit Settings

Only models that are configured to be retrainable and that contain a valid retrain SAS code file appear in the Models list. Select one or more models to retrain.

| <input type="checkbox"/> All | Name | Version | Type | Role |
|-------------------------------------|------|---------|------------|------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Trn1 | 1.3 | Classifier | Champion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Trn2 | 1.3 | Classifier | Challenger |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Trn3 | 2.3 | Classifier | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Trn4 | 1.3 | Classifier | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Trn5 | 3.3 | Classifier | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Trn6 | 2.3 | Classifier | |

Settings

Enter processing method: ☒ Standard configuration ☐ High-performance configuration

☒ Register new trained model

Destination version for new model:

Training data source:

SAS Application Server:

Report folder:

Retrain model folder:

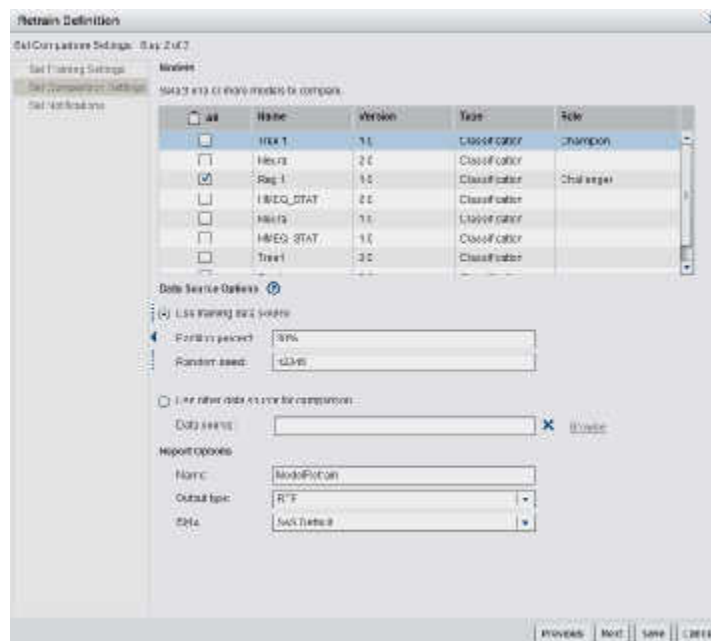
☐ Trace on

☐ Retrain when the dashboard overall status is Not on or Warning

Default to Warning, then:

2. Select a data processing method.
 - To run a standard environment, select **Standard configuration**.
 - To run the performance monitoring definition in a High-Performance Analytics environment, select **High-performance configuration**.
3. (Optional) Select **Register new trained model** to register the new models in the destination version on the SAS Content Server.

4. (Optional) If **Register new trained model** is checked, select a destination version for new models. Select **New version** from the drop-down menu to create a new version for the models.
5. Click **Browse** to select a training data source from a library. Click **OK**.
6. Click the **SAS Application Server** list and select a server.
7. Click **Browse** to select a report folder in which to store the comparison report.
8. Click **Browse** to select a retrain results folder to store the model training results.
9. (Optional) Select **Trace on** to print trace information to the SAS log file.
10. (Optional) Select **Retrain when the dashboard project status is Alert or Warning**. If the dashboard project status is Alert, the model is automatically retrained. If the dashboard project status is Warning, select whether to retrain the model or ignore the task. If the dashboard project status is Normal, the model will not be retrained.
11. Click **Next**.



12. Select the models to compare.

Note: If you do not select a model, the champion model is used to perform the comparison.


13. Specify the data source options:

- Select **Use training data source** to use the whole training data source to compare or partition it into two parts, based on partition percent and random seed. The percent that is specified is the percentage of data that is used for model comparison; the other part of the data is used for training. The random seed value is used to generate the training data based on the random sampling method.
- Click **Browse** to select a performance data set as the comparison data source.

14. Specify the report options:

- Enter a report name.
- Select a format for the report output. The standard formats that are available are **RTF**, **PDF**, **HTML**, and **EXCEL**. The default is **RTF**.


- Select a style for the report. The available styles are **SAS default**, **Seaside**, **Meadow**, and **Harvest**. The default is **SAS default**.


15. Click **Next**.
16. (Optional) To send the retrain results by e-mail, click  and enter an e-mail address.
17. Click **Save**.

Execute a Model Retrain Definition

The prerequisites for retraining a model must be completed and a model retrain definition must exist before you can execute a model retrain definition.

To execute a model retrain definition:

1. Click .
2. After the models are retrained, a confirmation message appears. Click **Close**.
3. Click the **Results** tab to view the results.

Note: You can check the status of a job by clicking  and then selecting the **Results** tab or the **Job History** tab.

Schedule a Retrain Definition


After you create a retrain definition, you can create a schedule to execute the definition to run on a specific day and at a specific time. You can schedule the definition to run hourly, daily, weekly, monthly, or yearly.

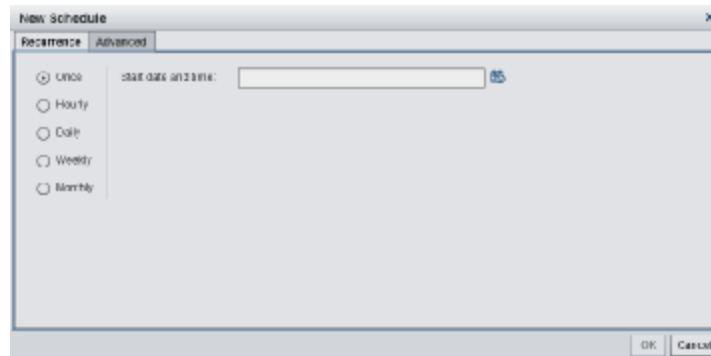
Before you can schedule a retrain definition, your user ID and password must be made available to the SAS Metadata Repository. You must also sign in to SAS Decision Manager using your full user credentials that were specified for your user account in SAS Management Console. For user accounts where a Microsoft Windows user ID is specified, you must enter your user ID in the format of *domain\userID*. Contact your system administrator to add or update your password, and to determine the correct user credentials for your account.

You cannot edit a schedule for a retrain definition. To modify a schedule, delete the schedule and create a new schedule.

After retrain jobs execute, you can view the job history using the **Job History** tab on the **Retrain** page.


To schedule a retrain definition:

1. On the **Retrain** page, click .



2. On the **Recurrence** tab, select the recurrence pattern.
3. Specify the criteria for when and how often the job should be run.
4. (Optional) Click the **Advanced** tab.
 - a. Select the server that schedules the job from the **Scheduling server** list box.
 - b. Select the batch server that runs the job from the **Batch server** list box.
 - c. Click **Browse** to select a location for the output and click **OK**.
5. Click **OK**.
6. After the job has been scheduled, a confirmation message appears. Click **Close**.
7. Click the **Job History** tab to view the job status.
8. After the job has completed, click the **Results** tab to view the retrain results.


Note: Schedules cannot be edited. To change the schedule, delete the schedule and create a new schedule.

To delete a schedule, select the schedule and then click .

Viewing Retrained Models and Model Comparison Reports

After a model retrain definition is executed and if you chose to register the retrained models in the model retrain definition, the new retrained models are available in the destination version. In addition, the model retrain job creates a model comparison report, which is available in the **Results** tab on the **Retrain** page.

To view the retrain results:

1. Select the **Results** tab on the **Retrain** page.
2. You can view the model comparison reports in several ways:
 - Double-click a result in the list.
 - Select a result from the list and click .

Note: You can also view the SAS code and SAS log.

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Deploying and Publishing Models

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Overview of Deploying Models


The goal of a modeling project is to identify a champion model that a scoring application uses to predict an outcome. SAS Decision Manager provides tools to evaluate candidate models, declare champion models, and inform your scoring officer that a predictive model is ready for validation or production.

To deploy a model, you might use the following scenario:

1. Identify the model that outperforms other candidate models and declare this model to be the project champion model. You can also flag challenger models for the champion model.
2. Test and validate the model before you declare the model ready for production.
3. Lock the champion version to prevent changes to the model.
4. Publish the champion model and challenger models (optional) so that you can deploy them to a production environment.

Champion Models

About Champion Models

The champion model is the best predictive model that is chosen from a pool of candidate models. Before you identify the champion model, you can evaluate the structure, performance, and resilience of candidate models. When a champion model is ready for production scoring, you set the model as the champion model. The version that contains the champion model becomes the champion version for the project. A check mark  appears next to the version on the **Versions** page. You can publish the champion model to a database, the SAS Metadata Repository, and a SAS channel.

Requirements for a Champion Model

Before you identify a model as the champion, perform the following tasks:

- Create a version for your project, and register at least one model.
- Verify that the model is active. If the model expiration date has passed, you cannot set the model as a champion model.

Note: An authorized user can reset the expiration date to a later date so that it is possible to set the champion model. To reset the expiration date, select the **Properties** page for the model.


You might use the following criteria to identify a champion model:

- model comparison reports that validate and assess the candidate models
- business decision rules. For example, you might use a decision tree model because of difficulty interpreting results from a neural network model even when the neural network model outperforms the decision tree model
- regulatory requirements, such as when the champion model should exclude certain specific attributes (age or race)

You can flag and publish a challenger model specifically for the purpose of comparison with the champion model. For example, your champion model for a production environment might omit restricted attributes during operational scoring because of regulatory requirements. You can use a challenger model that includes the restricted attributes in the development environment to evaluate its prediction power against the prediction of the champion model. Then you can determine the amount of predictive power that is lost because of the regulatory requirements.

Set a Champion Model


To set a champion model:

- On the **Models** page of a project, select a model and click  to set the model as the project champion model. The value in the **Role** column changes to **Champion**.

Note: Alternatively, you can right-click a model and select **Set as champion**.

Clear a Champion Model

To clear a champion model:

- On the **Models** page of a project, select a model that is marked as Champion, and click  to clear a flagged champion model.

Note: Alternatively, you can right-click a model that is marked as Champion and select **Clear**.

Challenger Models

About Challenger Models

You use challenger models to test the strength of champion models. The champion model for a project can have one or more challenger models. A model can be flagged as a challenger model only after a champion model for the project has been selected. A challenger model can be flagged in any version of a project.

Verify that the model is active. If the model expiration date has passed, you cannot set the model as a challenger model.

Note: An authorized user can reset the expiration date to a later date so that it is possible to set the challenger model.


To compare a challenger model to a champion model, you can create and run performance monitoring tasks for the champion model and any challenger models. Then, using the performance data, you can create a Champion and Challenger Performance report. You can also compare challenger models to the champion model using other reports such as the Delta report and Dynamic Lift report that are available through the **Reports** page. For more information, see [“Champion and Challenger Performance Reports” on page 196](#).

Note: The batch programs for performance monitoring do not support creating challenger model performance reports.

Challenger models can be published to a database, the SAS Metadata Repository, or to a SAS channel that contains the champion model. They can also be published by themselves. If testing determines that the challenger model is the better model, you can replace the champion model by setting the challenger model as the champion model.

Flag a Challenger Model


To flag a challenger model:

- On the **Models** page of a project, select a model and click  to flag a model as a challenger to the project champion model. The value in the **Role** column changes to **Challenger**.

Note: Alternatively, you can right-click a model and select **Flag as challenger**.

Clear a Challenger Model

To clear a challenger model:

- On the **Models** page of a project, select a model that is marked as Challenger, and click  to clear a flagged challenger model.

Note: Alternatively, you can right-click a model that is marked as Challenger and select **Clear**. Challenger models can also be cleared when the champion model is cleared or replaced.

Locking Versions

About Locking Versions

You must be a SAS Decision Manager administrator to lock and unlock a version. Administrators can lock a project version to prevent users from modifying some properties and files for the version's models. The champion version can be locked when the project champion model is approved for production or is pending approval. After a version is locked, users cannot perform the following tasks:

- add or delete models
- modify version or model properties
- add, rename, delete, or modify model objects
- change the champion model

SAS Decision Manager administrators remain authorized to perform these activities. If the champion model is not deployed to an operational environment, then an administrator can unlock a version so that users can change the models. Advanced users can still modify the **Attachments**, **Reports**, and **Scoring** pages after a version is locked.


When the champion model has been used in production scoring, you must unlock the model if you want to change the contents of the champion version. However, use caution in modifying the version content. If the model UUID and revision number for the score code in production scoring environments are always recorded, then you can modify a version even after the version is deployed to production environment.

If you attempt to delete a project that contains a locked version, SAS Decision Manager displays a message indicating that you cannot delete a project that contains locked versions. An administrator must unlock the versions before the project can be deleted.

Lock a Version

Locking a version restricts the activities that you can do with the project. You normally lock a version after you declare a champion model in preparation for deploying the champion model to a production environment.


To lock a version:

1. Select the **Versions** page.
2. Select a version and click  to lock the version. The label **Locked** appears after the version name.

Unlock a Version

If changes to a model are required after the version is locked, an SAS Decision Manager administrator can unlock the version.

To unlock a version:

1. Select the **Versions** page.
2. Select a version and click  to unlock the version.

For more information about versions, see [“Lock and Unlock a Project Version”](#) on page 134.

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Publishing Models

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Overview of Publishing Models

SAS Decision Manager provides a comprehensive publishing environment for model delivery that supports sharing performance and scoring data. SAS Decision Manager publishes models to different channels, and to the SAS Metadata Repository. SAS Decision Manager can also publish classification, prediction, and segmentation (cluster) models with the score code type of DATA step to a database. Application software, such as SAS Data Integration Studio or SAS Enterprise Guide, enables you to access models through the SAS Metadata Server and to submit on-demand and batch scoring jobs.

SAS Decision Manager publishes models to defined publication channels. Authorized users who subscribe to a channel can choose to receive e-mail notifications when updated models are ready to deploy to testing or production scoring servers, and are published to a publication channel. From a publication channel, you can extract and validate the scoring logic, deploy champion models to a production environment, and monitor the performance of your models.

Models can also be published from the **Models** page. You can publish champion and challenger models from a model project to the SAS Metadata Repository. The publish

history of models can be viewed on the **Models** page and on the **Published** tab on the **History** page. You can also remove models that have been published to a database.

Publishing Models to a SAS Channel


SAS Decision Manager uses the SAS Publishing Framework to publish models to defined channels. The SAS Publishing Framework notifies subscribers of the publication channel when the models are delivered. You can publish models in the Projects category view. SAS Decision Manager creates a SAS package (SPK) file for the model in a publication channel. A user who subscribes to the publication channel can choose to receive e-mail that includes the SAS package as an attachment.

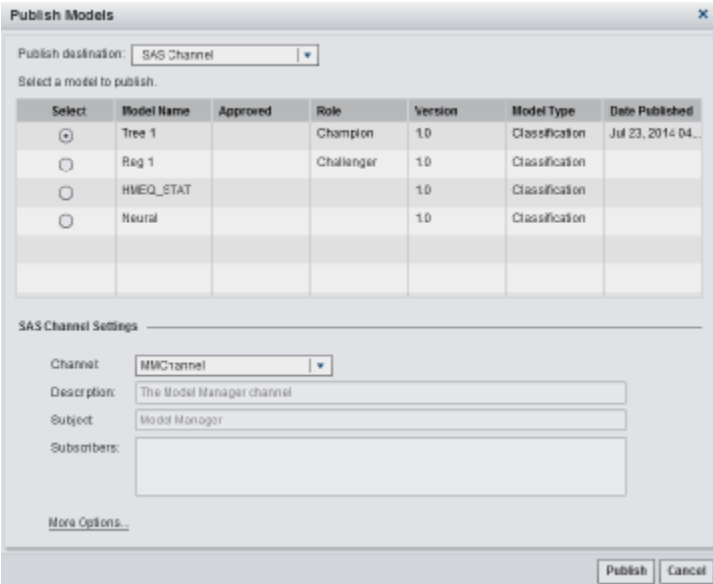
Note: Before you can deploy a model to a publications channel, a SAS administrator must configure the publication channel in SAS Management Console to publish models as archive (binary .SPK) files to a persistent store location. The archive persistent store location is specified as a physical file location, an FTP server, an HTTP server, or a path in WebDAV.

The **Report** attribute for a file element in a model template indicates whether SAS Decision Manager includes a file in the SAS package. You use the SAS Package Reader or a file archiver and compression utility, such as WinZip, to view the contents of the SPK file. SAS Decision Manager provides SAS macro programs to extract published models and deploy the models on testing and production scoring servers. The SAS package might contain additional files, depending on the number of file elements in the model template that have a Report attribute.

Note: The REF file contains the URL for a folder location in the project, such as `http://MMServer:8080/SASContentServer/repository/default/ModelManager/MMRoot/organizational folder/project/version/Models/model_name/score.sas`.

To publish a model to a channel:

1. Select a project and click .



Publish Models

Publish destination: SAS Channel

Select a model to publish.

| Select | Model Name | Approved | Role | Version | Model Type | Date Published |
|----------------------------------|------------|----------|------------|---------|----------------|--------------------|
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> | Tree 1 | | Champion | 1.0 | Classification | Jul 23, 2014 04... |
| <input type="radio"/> | Reg 1 | | Challenger | 1.0 | Classification | |
| <input type="radio"/> | HMEQ_STAT | | | 1.0 | Classification | |
| <input type="radio"/> | Neural | | | 1.0 | Classification | |

SAS Channel Settings

Channel: MMChannel

Description: The Model Manager channel

Subject: Model Manager

Subscribers:

[More Options...](#)

Publish Cancel

2. Select **SAS Channel** from the publish destination list.
3. Select the model that you want to publish from the models list.

4. Select a publication channel from the channel drop-down list.
5. (Optional) Click **More Options** to specify a message subject, notes, and user-defined properties. Click **Save**.
6. Click **Publish**.

Publishing Models to the SAS Metadata Repository

About Publishing Models to the SAS Metadata Repository


SAS Decision Manager publishes a model by creating a MiningResults object in the SAS Metadata Repository. You can use the model information in the MiningResults object to set up a scoring environment. A scoring application can use SAS Data Integration Studio or SAS Enterprise Guide to access the metadata and run a batch job or stored process that executes the score code. SAS Real-Time Decision Manager can also read the metadata and use it in that process environment. Therefore, when you publish a project champion model, challenger model, or other models (with proper configuration), the scoring application always uses the most current champion model. The project champion and challenger models can be published from the project level and only the project champion models can be published from the portfolio level.

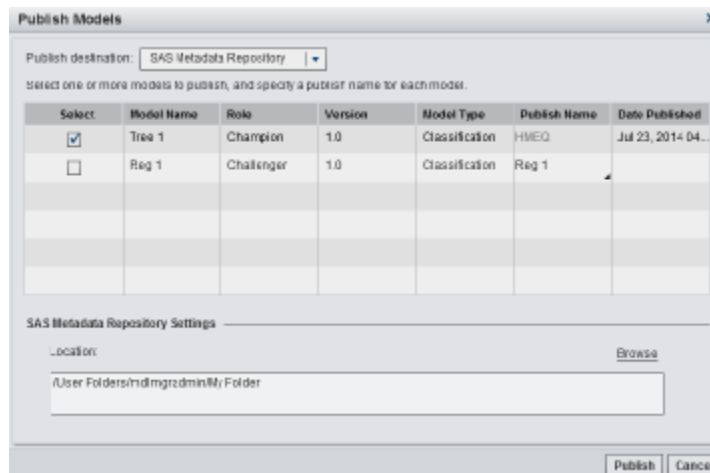
Note: SAS Decision Manager cannot publish R models.

A user can publish a model to any accessible folder with Write permission, including all folders in the SAS Foundation repository and folders in custom repositories that are created in SAS Management Console to reflect the structure of your business organization.

Publish Project Champion and Challenger Models to the SAS Metadata Repository

To publish champion and challenger models from a model project to the SAS Metadata Repository:

1. From the Projects category, select a project and click .



| Select | Model Name | Role | Version | Model Type | Publish Name | Date Published |
|-------------------------------------|------------|------------|---------|----------------|--------------|--------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Tree 1 | Champion | 1.0 | Classification | HMEQ | Jul 23, 2014 04... |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Reg 1 | Challenger | 1.0 | Classification | Reg 1 | |
| | | | | | | |
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| | | | | | | |


SAS Metadata Repository Settings

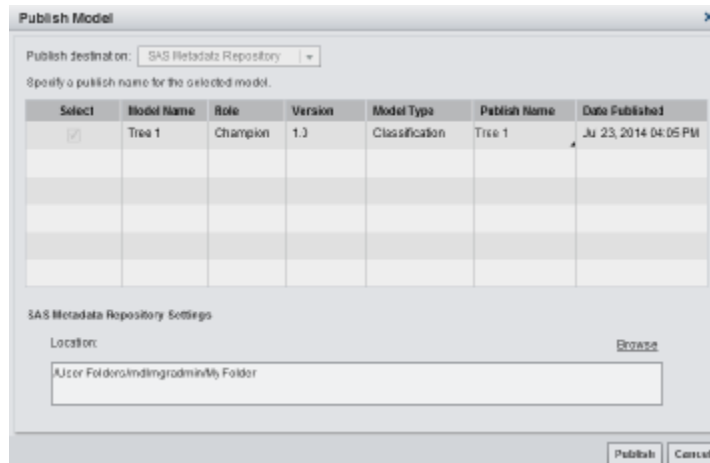
Location: [Browse](#)

2. Select **SAS Metadata Repository** from the publish destination list.
3. Select one or more models to publish from the models list.
4. Specify a **Publish Name** for each model.
5. Click **Browse** and select the location to publish the model to.
6. Click **Publish**.

Publish a Model to the SAS Metadata Repository

To publish a model to the SAS Metadata Repository:

1. From the **Models** page, select a model and click .



| Select | Model Name | Role | Version | Model Type | Publish Name | Date Published |
|-------------------------------------|------------|----------|---------|----------------|--------------|-----------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Tree 1 | Champion | 1.1 | Classification | Tree 1 | Jul 23, 2014 04:05 PM |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | | |

SAS Metadata Repository Settings

Location: [Browse](#)

[Publish](#) [Cancel](#)

Note: Alternatively, you can right-click a model and select **Publish**.

2. Specify a publish name for each model.
3. Select the location to publish the models to.
4. Click **Publish**.

Publishing Models to a Database

About Publishing Models to a Database


SAS Decision Manager enables you to publish the project champion model and challenger models that are associated with the **DATA Step** score code type to a configured database. SAS Decision Manager uses the SAS Scoring Accelerator and SAS/ACCESS interface to the database to publish models to the database. The Scoring Accelerator takes the models from SAS Decision Manager and translates them into scoring files or functions that can be deployed inside the database. After the scoring functions are published using the SAS/ACCESS interface to the database, the functions extend the database's SQL language and can be used in SQL statements such as other database functions. After the scoring files are published, they are used by the SAS Embedded Process to run the scoring model.

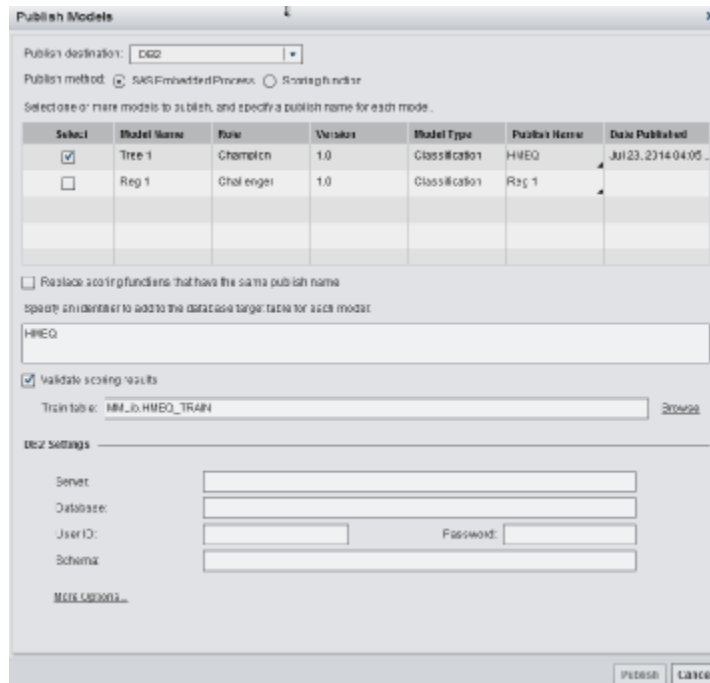
If the scoring function publish method is chosen, the scoring metadata tables in the database are populated with information about the project and pointers to the scoring function. This feature enables users to review descriptions and definitions of the published model. The audit logs track the history of the model's usage and any changes that are made to the scoring project.

For more information about the SAS Scoring Accelerator, see the [SAS In-Database Technology](http://support.sas.com) page available at <http://support.sas.com>.

Process Flow

This is an example of the process flow to publish a scoring model to a database.

1. Select a project and click .



| Select | Model Name | Role | Version | Model Type | Publish Name | Date Published |
|-------------------------------------|------------|------------|---------|----------------|--------------|--------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Tree 1 | Champion | 1.0 | Classification | HMEQ | Jul 23, 2014 04:05 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Reg 1 | Challenger | 1.0 | Classification | Reg 1 | |

☐ Replace scoring functions that have the same publish name

☒ Validate scoring results

Train table: MM_ID.HMEO_TRAIN [Browse](#)

DBZ settings

Server:

Database:

User ID: Password:

Schema:

[More options...](#)

2. Select a database from the **Publish destination** list for the project that contains the champion model or challenger model that you want to publish to a specific database.
3. After you select the publish method and complete all the required information to publish the model to a database, SAS Decision Manager establishes a connection to the database using the credentials that were entered. The publish name is validated against the target database. If the publish name is not unique, an error message is displayed.
4. The SAS Decision Manager middle-tier server then makes the user-defined formats accessible to the SAS Workspace Server. The format catalog is stored on the SAS Content Server. You can attach a portable formats file on the **Versions** page.
5. When the SAS Decision Manager publishing macro is called, it performs the following tasks:
 - calls the transform macro that creates a metadata XML file. This XML file is used by the model publishing macro.
 - calls the SAS model publishing macro, which creates the files that are needed to build the scoring functions or model files, and publishes the scoring functions or model files with those files to the specified database.

- (Optional) validates scoring results by performing the following tasks:
 - creates a benchmark scoring result with the SAS Workspace Server using DATA step score code.
 - copies a scoring input data set to create an equivalent table.

Note: The default train table that is specified in the properties of the published model is used as the scoring input data set during validation.

- scores the model with the new scoring function or model files using the new scoring table.
 - compares scoring results.
6. The middle-tier server parses the SAS Workspace Server logs to extract the return code.
 7. The middle-tier server updates the scoring metadata tables (for example, table `project_metadata`).
- Note:* This step is performed only for the scoring function publish method and the metadata usage option is enabled in SAS Management Console.
8. The middle-tier server then creates a history entry in the SAS Decision Manager project history.
 9. The middle-tier server updates the project user-defined properties with the publish name that was entered in the Publish Model window.
 10. A message indicates that the scoring function or model files has been successfully created and that the scoring results have been successfully validated.

Note: If the publishing job fails, an error message appears. You can view the workspace logs that are accessible from a folder that is created for the publish model on the **Models** page or in the **Job History** tab on the **History** page.

Prerequisites for Publishing to a Database

The following prerequisites must be completed before users can publish a model scoring function using the scoring function publish method, or publish a model's scoring files using the SAS Embedded Process publish method:

- The user must have the proper authorization to publish approved models from SAS Decision Manager to the database for SAS In-Database scoring.
- The champion model for the project must be set.
- A predictive (classification or prediction) or segmentation model must have been selected for production scoring deployment via SAS Decision Manager.

SAS Decision Manager can publish to a database only the models that are associated with the **DATA step** score code type. Models with a score code type of **SAS Program** or **PMML** cannot be published to a database.

The score code component file (`score.sas`) is DATA step score code and is used as input by the SAS Scoring Accelerator when publishing a model to a database. When you use the scoring function publish method, some SAS language elements and syntax are not supported when you create or modify your score code. Only the SAS language elements and syntax that are required to run critical data transformations and model scoring functions are available. If you use a statement or function that is not supported, an error occurs and your model is not published to the database. For

more information, see “Considerations When Creating or Modifying DATA Step Score Code” in Chapter 2 of *SAS In-Database Products: User's Guide*.

- A database must have been configured to install scoring functions or model scoring files.
- If the model contains user-defined formats, a file that contains the user-defined formats must be attached to the version and stored in a format catalog.
- The following prerequisites are only for the scoring function publish method.
 - (Optional) A project user-defined property **DbmsTable** is defined for the default version of the project from which to publish the scoring function.

Note: The **DbmsTable** property must be defined if you plan to use a scoring application or SQL code to score your model.

- The JDBC driver must be accessible from the middle-tier server when using the scoring function publish method.
- The scoring function metadata tables are required in the target database if the **Metadata usage** option is enabled in SAS Management Console.

Make User-Defined Formats Available When Publishing Models to a Database

In order to publish models with user-defined formats to a database, you must make the user-defined formats available to SAS Decision Manager.

To make the user-defined formats available for publishing:

1. Translate the user-defined formats SAS catalog (formats.sas7bcat) that was created with the model into a formats.cport file.

Here is an example:

```
filename tranfile "C:\formats.cport";
libname source "C:\myformats";

proc cport library=source file=tranfile memtype=catalog;
run;
quit;
```


2. Attach the formats.cport file to the version that contains the project champion model or challenger models.
3. Send a request to the SAS administrator and ask them to either put the user-defined formats catalog (formats.sas7bcat) in the \\SASConfigDirectory\Lev1\SASApp\SASEnvironment\SASFormats directory or add the LIBNAME definition for the formats library to the \\SASConfigDirectory\Lev1\SASApp\appserver_autoexec_usermods file.

Here is an example of a LIBNAME definition:

```
libname mylib "C:\myformats";
options fmtsearch = (mylib.formats);
```

How to Publish Models to a Database

To publish a model to a database:

1. Select a project and click .
2. Select a database from the publish destination list. Specifies the type of database to which the scoring function or model scoring files are published.
3. Select a publish method. Specifies the method to use when publishing the scoring function or model files to the database.
4. Select one or more models to publish from the models list.
5. Specify a **Publish Name** for each model. Specifies the name to use when publishing a scoring function or model files to the database. The publish name is a user-defined value that can be modified. The SAS Embedded Process publish method uses the **Publish Name** as the model name to publish the model files to the database. The scoring function publish method has a system-generated **Prefix** and the **Publish Name** that makes up the scoring function name. These are used to publish the model scoring function. The prefix portion of the scoring function name is 11 characters long and is in the format of **Yymmddnnn_**:
 - **Y** is a literal character and is fixed for all prefixes.
 - **yy** is the two-digit year.
 - **mm** is the month and ranges from 01 to 12.
 - **dd** is the day and ranges from 01 to 31.
 - **nnn** is a counter that increments by 1 each time that a scoring function completes successfully. The value can range from 001 to 999.
 - **_** is the underscore that ends the prefix.

The **yymmdd** value in the prefix is the GMT timestamp that identifies the date on which you published the model. An example of a function name is **Y081107001_user_defined_value**. Here are the naming convention requirements:

Here are the naming convention requirements for the publish name:

- The user-defined value is case insensitive. The maximum length of alphanumeric characters is determined by the database type and publish method that is selected. No spaces are allowed. An underscore is the only special character that can be included in the publish name.
- The recommended maximum lengths of the publish name for the scoring function publish method are the following:
 - 19 alphanumeric characters for Teradata
 - 32 alphanumeric characters for Netezza, Greenplum, and DB2

UNIX Specifics

The publish name (user-defined) portion of the function name in an AIX environment has a maximum length of 16 alphanumeric characters for Teradata.

- The recommended maximum length of the publish name for the SAS Embedded Process publish method is 32 alphanumeric characters for all database types. The database types that are currently supported by SAS Decision Manager are Teradata, Oracle, Greenplum, and DB2.

The value of the publish name is validated against the target database, when the option **Replace scoring files that have the same publish name** is not selected for the SAS Embedded Process publish method. If the publish name is not unique, an error message is displayed.

Note: The default format of the publish name is configured by the SAS administrator.

6. (Optional) Select whether to **Replace scoring files that have the same publish name**. Specifies to replace the model scoring files that have the same publish name when you are using the SAS Embedded Process publish method. The value of the publish name is validated against the target database when this option is not selected. If the publish name is not unique, an error message is displayed.
7. Specify an identifier to add to the database target table for each model. Specifies the value of the identifier that is added to each model in the database so that the Database administrator or other users can query the database. The default value is the project name. This option is available only for the SAS Embedded Process publish method.
8. (Optional) Select whether to **Validate scoring results**. Specifies to validate the scoring results when publishing a model scoring function or model scoring files. This option creates a benchmark scoring result on the SAS Workspace Server using the DATA Step score code. The scoring input data set is used to create an equivalent database table. Scoring is performed using the new scoring function or model scoring files and database table. The scoring results are then compared. If selected, click **Browse** to navigate to the appropriate training table. The default train table that is specified in the properties of the published model is used by default.
9. Specify the database settings.

Here are the available database settings according to the publish method and database type:

| Database Settings | SAS Embedded Process | Scoring Function |
|------------------------|---|---|
| Server | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teradata • Oracle • Netezza • Greenplum • DB2 • SAP HANA | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teradata • Netezza • Greenplum • DB2 |
| Database | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teradata • Oracle • Netezza • Greenplum • DB2 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teradata • Netezza • Greenplum • DB2 |
| Instance number | SAP HANA | Not applicable |

| Database Settings | SAS Embedded Process | Scoring Function |
|---|---|---|
| User ID | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teradata • Oracle • Netezza • Greenplum • DB2 • Hadoop • SAP HANA | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teradata • Netezza • Greenplum • DB2 |
| Password | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teradata • Oracle • Netezza • Greenplum • DB2 • Hadoop • SAP HANA | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teradata • Netezza • Greenplum • DB2 |
| Server user ID | Not applicable | DB2 |
| Compile database | Not applicable | Netezza |
| Jazlib database | Not applicable | Netezza |
| Schema | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oracle • Greenplum • DB2 • SAP HANA | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Greenplum • DB2 |
| Initial wait time (in seconds) | Not applicable | DB2 |
| FTP time out (in seconds) | Not applicable | DB2 |
| Server and port number | Hadoop | Not applicable |
| Directory path | Hadoop | Not applicable |
| MapReduce server and port number | Hadoop | Not applicable |

For a description of each database setting, see [“Descriptions of Database Settings” on page 272](#).

10. Click **More Options** to specify other options for the database.

Keep scoring function if validation fails (scoring function) or **Keep scoring files if validation fails** (SAS Embedded Process)

specifies to save the scoring function or model scoring files if the validation of the scoring results fails. Saving the scoring function or model scoring files is useful for debugging if validation fails.

Sample size

specifies the size of the sample to use for validating the scoring function or model files. The default value is 100. The maximum number of digits that are allowed is 8.

Display detailed log messages

provides detailed information, which includes warnings and error messages that occur when you publish a scoring function or scoring model files.

Use model input

specifies to use the selected model input when publishing the scoring function or model files instead of using the project input, which is the default. This is useful when the project input variables exceed the limitations for a database.

Here are the limitations for the number of model input variables when publishing a champion model or challenger model to a database:

| Database Type | SAS Embedded Process | Scoring Function |
|---------------|---|------------------|
| DB2 | The maximum depends on the page size of the database table space. For a 4K page size database, the limit is 500. If you have it configured for any of the larger page sizes (8K, 16K, 32K), then the limit is 1012. | 90 |
| Greenplum | 1660 | 100 |
| Hadoop | No limit | Not applicable |
| Netezza | 1600 | 64 |
| Oracle | 1000 | Not applicable |
| SAP HANA | 1000 | Not applicable |
| Teradata | If you use Teradata version 13.1 or 14.0, the maximum is 1024. If you use the SAS Embedded Process and Teradata version 14.10, the maximum is 2048. | 128 |

Protected mode (Teradata only)

specifies the mode of operation to use when publishing a model using the scoring function publish method. There are two modes of operation, protected and unprotected. You specify the mode by selecting or deselecting the **Protected mode** option. The default mode of operation is protected. Protected mode means that the macro code is isolated in a separate process from the Teradata database,

and an error does not cause database processing to fail. You should run the Publish Scoring Function in protected mode during validation. When the model is ready for production, you can run the Publish Scoring Function in unprotected mode. You might see a significant performance advantage when you run the Publish Scoring Function in unprotected mode.

Fenced mode (DB2 and Netezza only)

specifies the mode of operation to use when publishing a model using the scoring function publish method. There are two modes of operation, fenced and unfenced. You specify the mode by selecting or deselecting the **Fenced mode** option. The default mode of operation is fenced. Fenced mode means that the macro code is isolated in a separate process from the DB2 database, and an error does not cause database processing to fail. You should run the Publish Scoring Function in fenced mode during validation. When the model is ready for production, you can run the Publish Scoring Function in unfenced mode. You might see a significant performance advantage when you run the Publish Scoring Function in unfenced mode.

11. Click **Publish**.

Descriptions of Database Settings

The following are descriptions of the database settings that are used for publishing models.

Database server

specifies the name of the server where the database resides.

Database

specifies the name of the database.

User ID

specifies the user identification that is required to access the database.

Password

specifies the password that is associated with the **User ID**.

Server user ID (DB2 only)

specifies the user ID for SAS SFTP. This value enables you to access the machine on which you have installed the DB2 database. If you do not specify a value for **Server user ID**, the value of **User ID** is used as the user ID for SAS SFTP.

Schema(Greenplum, Oracle, and DB2)

specifies the schema name for the database. The schema name is owned by the user that is specified in the **User ID** field. The schema must be created by your database administrator.

Initial wait time (DB2 only)

specifies the initial wait time in seconds for SAS SFTP to parse the responses and complete the SFTP –batch file process.

Default: 15 seconds

FTP time out (DB2 only)

specifies the time-out value in seconds if SAS SFTP fails to transfer the files.

Default: 120 seconds

Compile database (Netezza only)

specifies the name of the database where the SAS_COMPILEUDF function is published.

Default: SASLIB

See Also: For more information about publishing the SAS_COMPILEUDF function, see the *SAS In-Database Products: Administrator's Guide*.

Jazlib database (Netezza only)

specifies the name of the database where the SAS 9.3 Formats Library for Netezza is published.

Default: SASLIB

Instance number (SAP HANA only)

specifies the instance number. Specify either the PORT= argument or the INSTANCE= argument. You can use the DATABASE= argument in the %INDHN_CREATE_MODELTABLE, %INDHN_PUBLISH_MODEL, or %INDHN_RUN_MODEL macro instead of specifying the INSTANCE= argument.

Server and port number (Hadoop only)

specifies the name of the server and the process port number.

Directory path (Hadoop only)

specifies the directory path for the server.

MapReduce server and port number (Hadoop only)

specifies the name of the server and port number where the MapReduce function resides. Scoring files are used by the Hadoop MapReduce function to run the scoring model.

Remove Models from a Database

The SAS Embedded Process publish method enables you to replace the model scoring files, but the scoring function publish method publishes the model as a separate entry in the database each time. The Remove Models from a Database feature enables you to remove previously published models, so that you can clean up the test or production database. If you modify the previously published models or change the champion model or challenger models after you have published models to a database, you can remove them to clean up the database for future publishing of models.

To remove models from a database:

1. Select **Actions** ⇒ **Remove Published Models**.
2. Select the publish destination and then specify the database settings. Click **Log On**.
3. Select the models that you want to remove from the database.
4. Click **Remove Models**. A warning message appears.
5. Click **Yes**.

View Publish History

To view the publish history of a model, select the **Models** page. To view the publish history of all models, select the **Published** tab on the **History** page. All models that have been published to a SAS Channel, to the SAS Metadata Repository, and to a database are displayed. Select a model from the list to view the full publish details.

To view the full publish details for a model:

1. Open a model and select the **Model Properties** tab.
2. Select **History** ⇒ **Published** to view the publish history.

To view the full publish details for all models:

1. Open a project and select the **History** page.
2. Select the **Published** tab to view the publish history.

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Using SAS Workflow with SAS Decision Manager

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Starting a Workflow and Working with Tasks

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Overview of Using Workflows


SAS Decision Manager uses the Workflows and My Tasks category views to use SAS Workflow. A *workflow* is a copy of a workflow template. A workflow can be used to track the progress of objects, such as model projects and rule flows at the version level. An authorized user can use SAS Workflow Studio to define workflow templates and to make them available to SAS Decision Manager for use. Workflow templates contain the set of tasks, participants, policies, statuses, and data objects that comprise a business task. The status that you select when completing a task determines the next task in the workflow.

All users have access to view the My Tasks category view. Only administrators can view the Workflows category view.

For more information about user permissions, see *SAS Decision Manager: Administrator's Guide*

Start a New Workflow

When you start a new workflow, it is associated with the selected version of a project or rule flow. For a specific version, only one workflow can be in progress at a time. To start another workflow for the same version, you must first complete the in-progress workflow, or terminate the in-progress workflow process. A workflow can be started only for a version of a rule flow that is in the state of Current.

1. Open a project or rule flow.
2. Click  in the right-side of the object toolbar.

Start a new workflow for "HMEQ-Interval, 1.0".

Name: * HMEQ-Interval July 31, 2014

Description:

Template: * MM Workflow Mini Demo

Start Cancel

3. Enter a name for the new workflow.
4. (Optional) Enter a description for the workflow.
5. Select a template from which to create the workflow.
6. Click **Start**.

For more information, see [Chapter 25, “Managing Workflows,”](#) on page 281.

Working with Workflow Tasks

The My Tasks category view displays the tasks for In progress workflows that you have been assigned as a potential owner or that have been claimed by you.

My Tasks (2 of 2) Search: (none) Search Save Search



Task: M02: Compare Models
Date started: Jul 31, 2014 02:44 AM
Workflow: Workflow1
Claimed: No
Details

Task: Approve version
Date started: Jul 31, 2014 02:37 AM
Workflow: HMEQ-Interval WF1
Claimed: No
Details

From the My Tasks category view, you can perform the following:

- open a task that pertains to the associated object
- claim and open a task that pertains to the associated project or rule flow
- claim a task
- release a task
- view the task details

To complete a task:

1. Select a task and click  in order to open the associated project or rule flow and perform the task.
2. Navigate through the project's or rule flow's pages to perform the steps for the current task.
3. Click .
4. Select an action to take for the selected task. The actions that are available are the status values for the task in the workflow.
5. Click **Done**. The workflow process continues to the next task.

Note: Only a business administrator who has access to the Workflows category can release a task that has been claimed by another participant. For more information, see [“Release a Task” on page 286](#).

Chapter 25

Managing Workflows

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Overview of Managing Workflows

SAS Decision Manager can be used to manage workflows. You can create new workflows, view workflows, and interact with tasks that are associated with a workflow. If a user is assigned to the workflow role of business administrator, they can influence the progress of a task by actions such as assigning a task, or releasing the task that is claimed by another user, as well as specify values for properties to share information with other users. After the workflow templates are made available, an application administrator can set the object mappings using the Workflows category view. Each workflow consists of tasks.

Select **Workflows** to view a list of the available workflows.

SAS® Decision Manager sas [Sign Out](#)

File Help

My Tasks

Data

Business Rules

Models

Workflows

Workflows (1 of 1) **Search:** (none)

Actions

| Workflow Name | Started By | State | Current Task | Date Started |
|---|------------|-------|-----------------|----------------------|
| SimpleApproval | | | | |
| SimpleApprovalRevise | | | | |
| Assign_Loan_Risk_Level August 3, 2014 (...) | sasdemo | | Approve version | Aug 3, 2014 05:19 PM |
| MM Workflow Mini Demo | | | | |

Workflow1 (HMEQ : 1.0)

| Task Name | Task Status | Claimed By | Action Taken | Date Started | Date Completed |
|----------------------------------|-------------|------------|--------------|-----------------------|----------------|
| M01: Import Models | | mdlmgadmin | | Jul 31, 2014 02:29 AM | |
| M02: Compare Models | | | | | |
| M03: Set a Champion | | | | | |
| M04: Publish to Production | | | | | |
| M05: Evaluate or Monitor Results | | | | | |

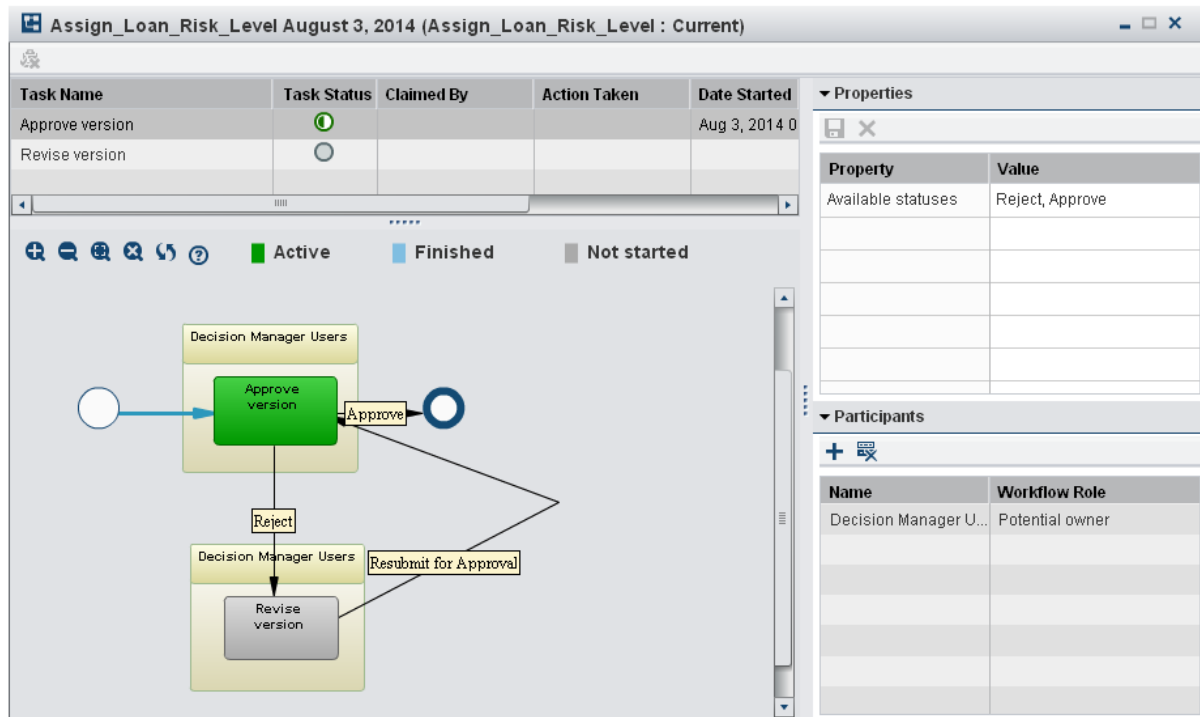
Active Finished Not started

Properties

| Property | Value |
|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Available statuses | Completed |
| Date modified | Jul 31, 2014 02:33 AM |
| Modified by | mdlmgadmin |

Participants

| Name | Workflow Role |
|-----------------|------------------------|
| mdlmgadminusers | Business administrator |
| mdlmgadvusers | Potential owner |
| mdlmgadmin | Actual owner |



Viewing Workflows

Only a user who is able to access the Workflows category view can manage workflows. Other users can view the list of tasks from the workflow task drop-down list that is accessible from the project or rule flow toolbar. If a user is the actual owner of a task, or assigned as a potential owner of a task, they can view the workflow diagram and tasks that in the My Tasks category view. Workflows are associated with a project or rule flow at the version-level.

From the Workflows category view, you can perform the following actions:

- [set mappings](#)
- [migrate workflows from a previous version](#)
- [terminate a workflow process](#)

To view detailed information for a workflow, double-click a workflow name. The list of tasks, the task status, and who the task is claimed by are displayed. You can then view the properties and participants that are associated with a task by selecting a task. The workflow diagram is also displayed with the current status of the workflow and its tasks.

For more information, see [“Working with Workflow Participants”](#) on page 284.

Migrate Workflows

If you have migrated from a previous version of SAS Decision Manager, you must migrate the workflows. All active (in progress) or completed workflows can be migrated. Terminated workflows are not migrated. The workflows must also be

associated with a valid UUID for a version of a project or rule flow. Only workflows that are associated with a project or rule flow that still exists are migrated. If the project or rule flow was deleted, the associated workflow is not migrated.

Select **Workflows** ⇒ **Actions** ⇒ **Migrate from Previous Version**. The list of workflows is refreshed after the workflows are migrated.

Set Mappings

There are two different types of workflow templates that can be configured for use with SAS Decision Manager. Workflows templates that contain tasks that are configured with an approval status are considered an approval workflow. Workflow templates that do not contain tasks with an approval status are considered a standard workflow. The rule flows object can only be associated with an approval type. After you define your workflow template, save, and activate it using SAS Workflow Studio. You must specify the templates to map to each type of object. This enables you to start a new workflow using one of the templates that are associated with the specific object.

1. Select **Actions** ⇒ **Set Mappings**. The Set Mappings window appears.

| Models: Projects | Template Name | Selected | Default | Type | Approval Tasks |
|----------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|----------------|
| Business Rules: Projects | | | | | |
| Business Rules: Rule Flows | MM Workflow Mini Demo | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="radio"/> | Standard ▾ | |
| | SimpleApprovalRevise | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="radio"/> | Approval ▾ | Approve |
| | SimpleApproval | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="radio"/> | Approval ▾ | Approve |
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2. Select an object and then select one or more templates to map to the object.
3. Select a type for each template. The types of templates that are available are **Approval** and **Standard**.
4. Select the default template for the object.
5. Click **OK**.

Working with Workflow Participants

From the Workflow details view you can access the properties and participants that are associated with a task by selecting a task. If you are a user that is associated with the workflow role of business administrator, you can assign or remove participants, and release tasks that have been claimed by another user.

Assign Participants to Tasks

Default participants might have been assigned already to tasks when a workflow definition was created.

To assign an additional participant to a task:

1. From the Workflows category view, double-click a workflow. The Workflow details view is displayed.
2. Select a task, and then click **+** in the Participants pane. The Assign a Participant window appears.



Assign a Participant [X]

Specify the values for the participant that you want to assign to this activity.

Identity type:

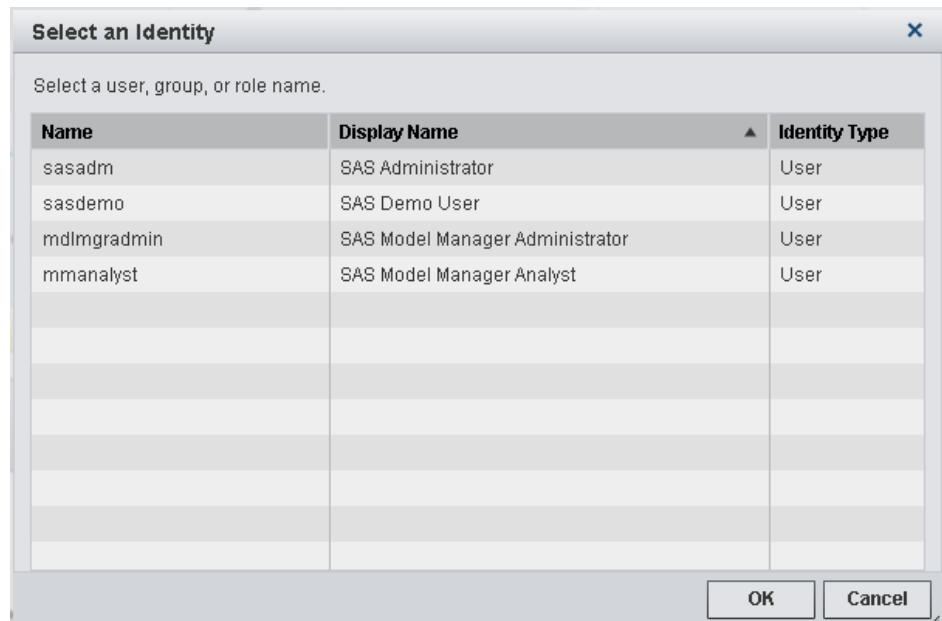
Name: * 🔍

Workflow role: ?

OK Cancel

3. Select one of the identity types: user, group, or role.
4. Enter part of the user, group, or role name, and click 🔍.

Note: If you do not enter part of the name, all of the names for the selected identity type are displayed.



Select an Identity [X]

Select a user, group, or role name.

| Name | Display Name | Identity Type |
|-------------|---------------------------------|---------------|
| sasadm | SAS Administrator | User |
| sasdemo | SAS Demo User | User |
| mdlmgradmin | SAS Model Manager Administrator | User |
| mmanalyst | SAS Model Manager Analyst | User |
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OK Cancel

Select a name and click **OK**.

5. Select a workflow role for the participant.

Here are the workflow roles that you can assign to participants for a workflow task:

- **Business administrator:** a participant who can influence the progress of a task by actions such as assigning a task, or releasing the task claimed by another user.
- **Potential owner:** a participant who can claim a task in a workflow process and who becomes the actual owner of a task.


6. Click **OK**. The new participant is added to the list in the Participants pane.

Remove Participants from a Task

To remove a participant from a task:

1. From the Workflows category view, double-click a workflow name.
2. Select a task, and then select a participant from the Participants pane.


Note: You cannot remove a participant who is associated with the workflow roles of business administrator or actual owner.

3. Click . A message is displayed asking if you are sure that you want to remove the participant from the task.
4. Click **Yes**. The user is removed from the list in the Participants pane.

Release a Task

An authorized user with the capability to access the Workflows category view can release a task that has been claimed by a workflow participant. The name of the actual owner is displayed in the Participants pane.


To release a task:


1. From the Workflows category view, double-click a workflow name. The Workflow details view is displayed.
2. Select a task name, and click . The **Claimed By** value for the selected task is cleared.

Edit Task Properties

A task can contain properties. Properties that are editable display a triangular icon in the bottom right corner of the property value in the data grid.

To edit the properties for a task:


1. From the Workflows category view, open a workflow, and select a task. The properties that are associated with the task are displayed to the right in the Properties pane.
2. Click on the property value, and then enter a value or change the existing value.
3. To save the changes to the properties, click .

If you do not want to save the changes to the properties, click .

Terminate a Workflow

When you terminate a workflow process, all tasks that have not yet been completed are changed to a state of Terminated. After you terminate a workflow process, it cannot be restarted. However, you can start a new workflow for the same version.

To terminate a workflow:

1. From the Workflows category view, select a workflow name and click .
2. Click **Yes** to terminate the selected workflow.

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Appendix 1

Rule-Fired Table Fields

Each record in the rule-fired table contains the following fields:

RULE_ACTION_FIRE_ID

the unique identification string that is generated for the rule each time it is executed.

RULE_SET_SK

the identification number of the rule set.

RULE_SET_NM

the name of the rule set.

RULE_SK

the identification number of the rule.

RULE_NM

the name of the rule.

RULE_FLOW_SK

the identification number of the rule flow.

RULE_FLOW_NM

the name of the rule flow.

RULE_FIRE_DTTM

the date and time that the rule was run.

DEPLMT_EXECUTION_ID

the identification string of the specific instance of the rule flow that was executed.

ENTITY_PRIMARY_KEY

the value of the term that was specified with the `&BRMPPrimaryEntityKey` macro variable in the test preprocessing code.

TRANSACTION_DTTM

the value of the term that was specified with the `&BRMPPrimaryTransactionDTTM` macro variable in the test preprocessing code. The `TRANSACTION_DTTM` is the value of the Datetime term for the record that was being processed when the rule was executed.

See [“Specify Preprocessing Code” on page 109](#) for information about the `&BRMPPrimaryTransactionDTTM` variable.

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Model Repository Access Macros

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Overview of Access Macros

The Model Management access macros provide a way to use SAS code to perform basic operations on a model repository. The Model Management access macros are a combination of SAS macros and Java libraries. The Model Management access macros and Java libraries are delivered with the SAS Decision Manager software.

Here is a list of the Model Management access macros:

- %MM_AddModelFile adds a model component file to a model that is already registered with SAS Decision Manager.
- %MM_GetModelFile retrieves a model from the model repository and saves it to a specified destination.
- %MM_GetURL retrieves the SAS Decision Manager path to an object in the model repository and saves it in the global macro variable _MM_URL.
- %MM_Register registers a model in the SAS Decision Manager model repository. You can use the %MM_Register macro in the same SAS program that you create models using SAS Enterprise Miner to register the model for use with SAS Decision Manager.
- %MM_RegisterByFolder registers multiple models simultaneously to the SAS Decision Manager model repository. Model files for a single model are contained in a subdirectory, and all subdirectories have the same parent directory.

- `%MM_CreateModelDataset` creates a data set that contains information for all models in a specified folder. Model information can be retrieved in a data set for all models in `MMRoot`, an organizational folder, a project, a version, and a single model.

Note: The macros are in the `modelmgr.sas7bcat` file. The location of this file for Windows is `\sasinstalldir\SASFoundation\9.4\mmcommon\sashelp`. The default value for `sasinstalldir` in Windows is `C:\Program Files\SAS`. The location of this file for UNIX is `/sasinstalldir/SASFoundation/9.4/sashelp`. The default value for `sasinstalldir` in UNIX is `/usr/local/SASHome`.

To use the Model Management access macros, you can structure your SAS program as follows:

- Use the Model Management global macro variables to define the SAS Decision Manager Service Registry URL and to define a valid SAS Decision Manager user and password.
- Create a fileref to the Model Management access macro catalog and include that fileref, using the `%INCLUDE` statement.
- Set up librefs to access the necessary directories and filerefs to access the necessary files.
- Set up macro variables as necessary.
- Execute the macro.
- Check for successful completion.

Using the Model Management Access Macros

Global Macro Variables

Your SAS program and SAS Decision Manager use global macro variables to pass information about the SAS environment and the SAS Decision Manager model repository to the access macros. Some macros set these global macro variables. You can set any of these global macro variables in your SAS program. At the end of each macro execution, the global macro variable `_MM_RC` is set to a number that indicates either that the macro executed successfully or that there was an error.

Here is a description of the Model Management global macro variables:

`_MM_CId`

contains the name of the current object identifier. `_MM_CId` is either the URL or the SAS Decision Manager path to the object in the model repository. You can use the `%MM_GetURL` to obtain a URL for any object in the model repository.

The `%MM_Register` macro sets `_MM_CId` to contain the identifier for the registered model. The `%MM_AddModelFile` macros sets `_MM_CId` to the identifier for the model to which the file was added.

`_MM_Password`

contains a password for the SAS Decision Manager user. If you do not encode the password using the `PWENCODE` procedure, the password is printed in the SAS log.

See: [“Encoding SAS Decision Manager User Passwords” on page 442](#)

_MM_RC

contains one of the following return codes after processing a Model Management access macro:

| _MM_RC Return Value | Access Macro Status |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 0 | All OK |
| 1 | Macro parameter error |
| 2 | Macro parameter processing error |
| 3 | Repository login failed |
| 4 | Repository operation failed |
| 5 | Generic critical Java error |
| 6 | Generic DATA step error |

_MM_ResourceURL

contains the URL of the **Resources** folder. the _MM_Resource URL is set by the %MM_GetURL macro when the macro returns a version URL in the _MM_URL global macro variable.

_MM_Service_Registry_URL

contains the URL for a SAS environment file that defines the SAS environment.

_MM_URL

contains a URL for a SAS Decision Manager object. The %MM_GetURL macro returns a URL in the _MM_URL global macro variable.

_MM_User

contains the name of a SAS Decision Manager user on the server that is specified by the _MM_MulticastAddress global macro variable.

Default: the value of SAS automatic macro variable &SYSUSERID.

When you use the access macros, the macros need to know the following information:

- how to access the SAS environment XML file and environment name
- a user and password for processing requests to SAS Decision Manager
- the URL or path to the SAS Decision Manager model repository

Make sure that your SAS program defines values for these macro variables when you use the access macros:

- _MM_Service_Registry_URL
- _MM_User
- _MM_Password

To secure the Model Manager user password, encode the password using the PWENCODE procedure and save it in a file on the network. You can then use a fileref to access the password file and a DATA step to assign the password to the _MM_Password

global macro variable. For more information, see [“Encoding SAS Decision Manager User Passwords” on page 442](#).

For a description of these macro variables as well as their default values, see [“Global Macro Variables” on page 294](#).

Here is a code example that uses the four macro variables to describe how to the access to the server for the Web Infrastructure Platform.

```
Filename pwfile "my-network-drive\pwfile";

%let _MM_Service_Registry_URL=
    %STR(http://abcdef.sas.com:7980/SASWIPClientAccess/remote/ServiceRegistry);
%let _MM_User = miller;
data _null_;
    infile pwfile obs=1 length=1;
    input @;
    input @1 line $varying1024. 1;
    call symput('_MM_Password', substr(line,1,1));
run;
```

See Also

[“Macro Variables” on page 333](#)

Accessing the Macros

Before you can use the access macros, your SAS program must access the catalog where the macros are located, and load the macros into memory. Here is example code to do this:

```
/******
/* Specify the macro code location          */
/******

Filename MMAccess catalog "sashelp.modelmgr.accessmacros.source";

/******
/* Load the Access macros                  */
/******

%include MMAccess;
```

Identifying SAS Decision Manager Model Repository Objects

The access macros use an identifier to specify a unique object such as the version or a model, in the SAS Decision Manager model repository. The identifier can be in the form of a Universal Unique Identifier (UUID) or a SAS Decision Manager path.

- A UUID is a case sensitive, 36-character string that uniquely identifies the repository object. An example UUID is cca1ab08-0a28-0e97-0051-0e3991080867.

If you need to find the UUID or the exact SAS Decision Manager path for an object, you can look it up in SAS Decision Manager on the **System** tab of the **Models Properties** page. The UUID and path values are listed there.

- The format for a SAS Decision Manager path is *//repositoryID/MMRoot/folder/project/version/Models/model*.

The name of *repositoryID* is defined during installation. The names of the folder, project, version, and model that follow in the path are user-defined. SAS Decision Manager path specifications always use the forward slash character (/) as a separator.

For example, a version path might look like *//MMModelRepository/MMRoot/HomeEquity/HMEQ/2013*.

You use the `_MM_Cid` global macro variable to pass a model repository identifier to an access macro. For more information, see “`_MM_Cid`” on page 294.

Identifying Files Used by Access Macros

All Model Management access macros that accept SAS file references require the file references to point to a single physical file. File references in the form *libref.filename* must resolve to a single physical file. Specific logical library references in the form *libref* must resolve to a directory or a folder.

Concatenated library references cannot be used.

Here is a list of libraries to which you must assign a libref in your SAS programs:

- the directory that contains your model files
- the directory that contains the training data
- the directory that contains your input, output, and target data sets

Model Management access macros use the libref `SMMMModel` to access model component files, as in this example:

```
libname smmmodel "c:\myModel\HMEQ\scorecode";
```

You can define the libref `SMMMModel` at the beginning of your SAS program and use it to access model component files in any of the Model Management access macros that your program executes.

Here is a list of files that you can identify with a fileref in your SAS programs:

- a catalog fileref to the Model Management access macro code
- the source path and filename for a single file to be registered by the `%MM_AddModelFile` macro
- the source path and filename for a SAS Enterprise Miner package file to be registered by the `%MM_Register` macro
- the destination path and filename for the `%MM_GetModelFile` macro

Required Tables

Whether you use SAS Decision Manager or the access macros, SAS Decision Manager must know the model input variables, the output variables, and the target variables to register a model. SAS Decision Manager uses an XML file to describe each of these types of files. Before you can register a SAS code model, you must create a SAS data set that represents the input, output, and target variables:

- The model input table contains the variables that are used as input by the model. During model registration, SAS Decision Manager uses this table to create the `inputvar.xml` file.

- The model output table is a table whose variables contain the model output values. During model registration, SAS Decision Manager uses this table to create the outputvar.xml file.
- The model target variable table is a table whose one variable is the target variable that is used in the training data. During model registration, SAS Decision Manager uses this file to create the targetvar.xml file.

Each of these tables can be a one-row table. The tables' purpose is to define and describe the variables that are used by the model.

You can create each of these tables using the training data that you used to train your model. The following example SAS program uses the training data to create all three tables:

```

/*****
/* Set the location for the model tables          */
*****/

libname hmeqtabl "c:\myModel\hmeq\tables";

/*****
/* DATA step to create the target variable table.      */
/* Because there is only one target variable, keep only */
/* that variable.                                     */
*****/

data hmeqtabl.target;
    set hmeqtabl.training(obs=1);
    keep bad;
run;

/*****
/* DATA step to create the input variable table.      */
/* Keep only the variables used for input by the model. */
*****/

data hmeqtabl.invars;
    set hmeqtabl.training (obs=1);
    keep debtinc delinq derog job loan mortdue ning reason value yoj;
run;

/*****
/* DATA step to create the output variable table.      */
/* Keep only the variables used for output by the model.*/
/* Include the score code to get the output variables. */
*****/

data hmeqtabl.outvars;
    set hmeqtabl.training;
    %include "c:\myModel\hmeq\score.sas"
    keep f_bad i_bad p_0 p_1;
run;

```

Dictionary

%MM_AddModelFile Macro

Add model component files to an existing SAS Decision Manager model.

Syntax

```
%MM_AddModelFile (
    ModelId=path-to-model,
    SASDataFile=path-to-SAS-file | SASCatalog=path-to-SAS-catalog | TextFile=path-to-text-file |
    BinaryFile=path-to-binary-file
    <, Name=alternateFileName>< >
    , Trace=OFF | ON
);
```

Arguments

ModelId=*path-to-model*

specifies an identifier of the model in the SAS Decision Manager model repository. The identifier specifies the location in the SAS Decision Manager model repository where the file is to be added. *path-to-model* can be either a SAS Decision Manager UUID or a SAS Decision Manager path. ModelId is a required argument. The default value is the value of the _MM_CId macro variable.

Examples ModelId=8904daa1-0a29-0c76-011a-f7bb587be79f

```
ModelId=//ModelManagerDefaultRepo/MMRoot/DDHMEQ/
HomeEquity/2013/Models/HMEQ%20Loan%20Project
```

SASDataFile=*path-to-SAS-file*

specifies the path to a SAS data set to add to a model in the SAS Decision Manager model repository. *path-to-SAS-file* must be a two-level path in the form *libref.filename*.

Example SASDataFile=mysascode.hmeqloan

SASCatalog=*path-to-SAS-catalog*

specifies the path to one or more SAS code model component files to add to a model in the SAS Decision Manager repository. *path-to-SAS-catalog* must be a two-level path in the form *libref.catalog*. Use the SASCatalog argument to add the catalog to a model.

Example SASCatalog=mylib.modelinput

TextFile=*path-to-text-file*

specifies the path to a SAS code model component file that is an ASCII text file. *path-to-text-file* is a one-level SAS name to a model component file.

Example `TextFile=inputxml`

BinaryFile=*path-to-binary-file*

specifies the path to a SAS code model component file that is a binary file. *path-to-binary-file* is a one-level SAS name to a model component file that is not a text file.

Example `BinaryFile=gainscsv`

Name=*alternateFileName*

specifies a name for the file that you are adding. Use the Name argument when your model component filename does not follow the SAS Decision Manager model component file naming convention that is specified in the model's template file or your model requires a file to have a particular filename. If Name is not specified, the filename that is registered is the name of the file.

Example `Name=score.sas`

Trace=ON | OFF

specifies whether to supply verbose trace messages to the SAS log.

Default `OFF`

Example `Trace=on`

Details

For models that require model component files other than the score code, you can use the %MM_AddModelFile macro to add model component files to a registered model, one file at a time. All files that are added using the %MM_AddModelFile macro are placed in the SAS Decision Manager model repository. After files have been added, you can view the files in the **Models** page of a project.

The %MM_AddModelFile macro supports two types of files, text and binary. Text files are ASCII files that contain character data. Binary files are files created by an application in a format specific to that application. If you are adding a text file, you must use the TextFile argument to specify the file. To avoid any unintentional character translations, all non-text files should be added using the BinaryFile argument.

SAS data sets and SAS catalogs are both binary files. Instead of using the BinaryFile argument to add SAS files, you can use the SASDataFile and SASCatalog arguments respectively to add files using the SAS two-level references *libref.filename* or *libref.catalog*. The TextFile and BinaryFile arguments require a single SAS filename that can be a fileref.

The ModelId argument defaults to the value of the global variable _MM_CId. For example, after a call to the %MM_Register macro, the _MM_CId variable is set to the identifier for the registered model. In this case, you can use the %MM_AddModelFile macro to add additional component files to your model without having to explicitly specify the ModelId argument.

When you use the %MM_AddModelFile macro to add a component file to your SAS Decision Manager model, the name of the added component file remains unchanged by default. If you need to change the name of the component file when you save it to a SAS Decision Manager model, you can use the Name argument to specify the new component filename. Whenever possible, you should try to follow the component file naming conventions that are specified in the model's template file. When you use the model template file naming conventions, you are less likely to be confused about filenames.

Example

```

/*****/
/* Adding a file to a registered model.          */
/*****/

Options NOMlogic NOMprint NOSpool;

/*****/
/* Get the Model Management macro code.          */
/*****/

Filename MMAccess catalog 'SASHELP.modelmgr.AccessMacros.source';
%include MMAccess;

/* Fileref to the encoded password              */

FILENAME pwfile 'my-network-path\pwfile';
/*****/
/* Set the SAS WIP Server variables.              */
/*****/

%let _MM_Service_Registry_URL=
    %STR(http://abcdef.sas.com:7980/SASWIPClientAccess/remote/ServiceRegistry);
%let _MM_User=sasdemo;
data _null_;
    infile pwfile obs=1 length=1;
    input @;
    input @1 line $varying1024. 1;
    call symput('_MM_Password',substr(line,1,1));
run;

/*****/
/* A LIBNAME for a table.                        */
/*****/

LIBNAME mtbls 'c:\mysascode';

/*****/
/* Set to detect failure in case macro load fails */
/* and add the input data source.                  */
/*****/

%let _MM_RC= -1;

%MM_AddModelFile(
    ModelId=
        //ModelManagerRepo/MMRoot/HomeEquity/HMEQ/2013/hmeqDecTree1,
    Name=modelinput.sas7bdat,
    SASDataFile=mtbls.myInputVariables,
    Trace=Off
);

/*****/
/* A FILENAME for a text file.                    */
/*****/

```

```

FILENAME tcode 'c:\myModel\inputvar.xml';

/*****
/* Set to detect failure in case macro load fails */
/* and add the xml file for the input data source */
*****/

%let _MM_RC= -1;

%MM_AddModelFile(
  ModelId=
    //ModelManagerRepo/MMRoot/HomeEquity/HMEQ/2013/hmeqDecTree1,
  TextFile=tcode,
  Trace=on);

```

%MM_GetModelFile Macro

Access files in the SAS Decision Manager model repository. This macro copies the specified model file to the specified location on a local or network computer.

Syntax

```

%MM_GetModelFile (
  ModelId=path-to-model | VersionId=path-to-version | ProjectId=path-to-project,
  SASDataFile=path-to-SAS-data-file | SASCatalog=path-to-SAS-catalog |
  TextFile=path-to-text-file | BinaryFile=path-to-binary-file
  <, Name=alternateFileName>
  <, Trace=ON | OFF>
);

```

Arguments

ModelId=*path-to-model*

specifies an identifier to the model in the SAS Decision Manager model repository. *path-to-model* can be either a SAS Decision Manager UUID or a SAS Decision Manager path that describes the location of the specific model. ModelId is a required argument. The default value is the value of the `_MM_CId` macro variable.

Examples ModelId=b2341a42-0a29-0c76-011a-f7bb7bc4f1e9

```

ModelId=//ModelManagerDefaultRepo/MMRoot/DDHMEQ/
HomeEquity/2013/Models/HMEQ%20Loan%20Project

```

VersionId

specifies an identifier of the version to where a champion model resides in the SAS Decision Manager model repository. *path-to-version* can be either a SAS Decision Manager UUID or a SAS Decision Manager path that describes the location of the version.

Examples VersionId=b23327cb-0a29-0c76-011a-f7bb3d790340

VersionId=//ModelManagerDefaultRepo/MMRoot/DDHMEQ/
HomeEquity/2013

ProjectId

specifies an identifier of the project object. The identifier specifies the location where the champion model under the default version resides in the SAS Decision Manager model repository. *path-to-project* can be either a SAS Decision Manager UUID or a SAS Decision Manager path that describes the location of the project.

Examples VersionId=b232d766-0a29-0c76-011a-f7bb50921b42

VersionId=//ModelManagerDefaultRepo/MMRoot/DDHMEQ/
HomeEquity

SASDataFile=*path-to-SAS-file*

specifies the destination path for a SAS data set. *path-to-SAS-file* must be a two-level path in the form *libref.filename*.

Example SASDataFile=mylib.modelinput

SASCatalog=*path-to-SAS-catalog*

specifies the SAS catalog to store a SAS catalog file. *path-to-SAS-catalog* must be a two-level path in the form *libref.catalog*.

Example SASCatalog=mylib.format

TextFile=*path-to-text-file*

specifies the destination path for a component file that is an ASCII text file. *path-to-text-file* is a one-level path to a model component file. The path can be a fileref.

Example TextFile=myfileref

BinaryFile=*path-to-binary-file*

specifies the destination path for a model component file that is a binary file. *path-to-binary-file* is a one-level pathname to a model component file that is not a text file. The pathname can be a fileref.

Example BinaryFile=myfileref

Name=*alternateFileName*

specifies a name for the model component file that you are retrieving. Use the Name argument when the name of the destination file does not match the name of the file in the SAS Decision Manager model repository. The Name argument is the filename within the SAS Decision Manager model repository. If Name is not specified, the filename that is registered in the SAS Decision Manager model repository is the name of the file.

Example Name=score.sas

Trace=ON | OFF

specifies whether to supply verbose trace messages to the SAS log.

Default OFF

Example Trace=on

Details

Use the %MM_GetModelFile macro to retrieve a component file for a model that has been registered in the SAS Decision Manager model repository. You can retrieve a component file for any model by specifying the repository location of the model, or you can retrieve a component file for a champion model by specifying the version or project location in the SAS Decision Manager model repository.

The %MM_GetModelFile macro supports two types of files, text and binary files. Text files are ASCII files that contain character data. Binary files are files that are created by an application in a format that is specific to that application. If you are retrieving a text file, you must use the TextFile argument to specify the file. To avoid any unintentional character translations, all non-text files should be retrieved by using the BinaryFile argument.

SAS data files and SAS catalogs are binary files. Instead of using the BinaryFile argument to retrieve model component files to store as a SAS file or in a SAS catalog, you can use the SASDataFile and SASCatalog arguments respectively to specify the SAS location to store the file. The TextFile and BinaryFile arguments require a single SAS filename.

You can use the optional Name argument if you want to save the model component file with a different name from the name within the SAS Decision Manager model repository.

After you use the %MM_GetModelFile macro to copy a model component file to its new location, you can use the model component file for any purpose. For example, a simple application might use the %MM_GetModelFile macro to copy a registered model's score code file to the SAS WORK library. After the score code is copied to WORK, you can write SAS code that includes the score code in a SAS DATA step and is executed for experimental purposes.

If the destination file argument or the two-level SAS library reference name that is invoked in the macro uses the original filename, you do not need to specify the Name argument. In other words, the macro can use the SAS logical names to determine the name of the file in the model hierarchy. If the name of the destination file needs to be different from the name of the original file that was copied, use the Name argument to specify the new name for the model component file.

Example

```

/*****/
/* Get the score code from a registered model and run */
/* it.                                              */
/*****/

Options NOMlogic NOMprint NOspool;

/*****/
/* Get the Model Management macro code.          */
/*****/

FILENAME MMAccess catalog 'sashelp.modelmgr.accessmacros.source';
%include MMAccess;

/* Fileref to the encoded password                */

```

```

FILENAME pwfile 'my-network-path\pwfile';

/*****
/* Set the SAS WIP Server variables.          */
*****/

%let _MM_Service_Registry_URL=
    %STR(http://abcdef.sas.com:7980/SASWIPClientAccess/remote/ServiceRegistry);
%let _MM_User = miller;
data _null_;
    infile pwfile obs=1 length=1;
    input @;
    input @1 line $varying1024. 1;
    call symput('_MM_Password',substr(line,1,1));
run;

/*****
/* Specify the model component file name and    */
/* destination.                                */
*****/

%let WorkPath = c:\myProject\2013;
FILENAME dest '&WorkPath.\score.sas';

/*****
/* Set to detect failure in case macro load fails.  */
*****/

%let _MM_RC = -1;

/*****
/* Get score code.                                */
*****/

%MM_GetModelFile(ModelId=//ModelManagerRepo/MMRoot/HomeEquity/HMEQ/2013/
DecisionTree, TextFile=dest);

/*****
/* Display Model Management set macro variables.    */
*****/

Options nosource;
%PUT _MM_RC = &_MM_RC;
%PUT _MM_CId = &_MM_CId;
Options source;

/*****
/* Run score code. Sepcify the LIBNAME input path.  */
*****/

LIBNAME input 'c:\mysascode\2013\DTree';
DATA score;
    set input.dTreeInp;
    %include dest;
run;

```

%MM_GetURL Macro

Translates a specified SAS Decision Manager UUID to a URL-style path address and sets the URL as the value of the `_MM_URL` and `_MM_ResourcesURL` macro variables.

Syntax

```
%MM_GetURL(UUID=UUID, <Trace=ON | OFF> );
```

Arguments

UUID=*UUID*

specifies the UUID of the object for which an URL is desired. A SAS Decision Manager UUID is a 36-character string that identifies a single object in the SAS Decision Manager model repository. The UUID argument is required.

Example UUID=cca1ab08-0a28-0e97-0051-0e3991080867

Trace=ON | OFF

specifies whether to supply verbose trace messages to the SAS log.

Default OFF

Example Trace=on

Details

The %MM_GetURL macro sets the value of the global macro variable `_MM_URL` to the URL of the specified SAS Model UUID.

If the UUID argument specifies a SAS Decision Manager version or model, then the macro sets the global macro variable `_MM_ResourcesURL` to the URL of that object's associated Resources folder.

The %MM_GetURL macro does not set a value for the global macro variable, `_MM_CID`.

Example

```

/*****
/* Get the URL for the location of a model.          */
*****/

Options nomlogic nomprint nospool;

/*****
/* Get the Model Management macro code.              */
*****/
/
FILENAME MMAccess catalog 'sashelp.modelmgr.accessmacros.source';
%include MMAccess;

/* Fileref to the encoded password                      */

```

```

FILENAME pwfile 'my-network-path\pwfile';

/*****
/* Set the SAS WIP Server variables.          */
*****/

%let _MM_Service_Registry_URL=
    %STR(http://abcdef.sas.com:7980/SASWIPClientAccess/remote/ServiceRegistry);
%let _MM_User=miller;
data _null_;
    infile pwfile obs=1 length=1;
    input @;
    input @1 line $varying1024. 1;
    call symput('_MM_Password',substr(line,1,1));
run;

/*****
/* Set to detect failure in case macro load fails */
/* and get the URL.                                */
*****/

%let _MM_RC= -1;

%let target=aef7a78e-0a28-0e97-01c0-b8a0e5ba15c7;
%MM_GetURL(Uuid=&target,Trace=on);
%put _MM_URL=&_MM_URL;
%put _MM_ResourcesURL=&_MM_ResourcesURL;

```

%MM_Register Macro

Registers a model to an existing version in the SAS Decision Manager model hierarchy.

Syntax

```
%MM_Register(
  VersionId=destination-version-UUID,
  ModelTemplate=model-template-name,
  EMModelPackage=SAS-fileref-for-EM-package-file,
  ScoreDataStepCode=fileref-to-data-step-fragment-score-code,
  ScoreProgram=fileref-to-SAS-program-score-code,
  InDataSamp=SAS-data-set-reference-to-input-data-sample-table,
  InDataInfo=SAS-data-set-reference-for-input-variable-metadata-table,
  OutDataSamp=SAS-data-set-reference-for-output-data-sample-table,
  OutDataInfo=SAS-data-set-reference-for-output-variable-metadata-table,
  TargetDataSamp=SAS-data-set-reference-for-target-data-sample-table,
  TargetDataInfo=SAS-data-set-reference-for-target-variable-metadata-table,
  TrainingDataSamp=SAS-data-set-reference-for-training-data-sample-table,
  LogisticOutModelTable=SAS-data-set-reference-for-PROC-LOGISTIC-outmodel-table,
  ReportDir=path-to-EMREPORT-directory,
  KeepInVars=keep-variable-list-for-InDataSamp,
  KeepOutVars=keep-variable-list-for-OutDataSamp,
  KeepTargetVars=keep-variable-list-for-TargetDataSamp,
  ModelName=model-name,
  Description=model-description,
  Label=model-label,
  Subject=model-subject,
  Algorithm=model-algorithm,
  Function=model-function,
  Modeler=modeler-property,
  Tool=model-tool-property,
  ToolVersion=model-tool-version,
  Trace=ON | OFF
);
```

Arguments

Note: If a %MM_Register macro parameter contains a semicolon, comma, apostrophe, or quotation mark (; , ' ") character, you must add %bquote to the macro parameter. For example, you could specify %MM_Register(..., Description=%bquote(My Division's Model), ...);

VersionId=*destination-version-UUID*

specifies the SAS Decision Manager UUID for an existing version in the SAS Decision Manager model repository.

Default the value of the _MM_CId macro variable

Note This argument is required.

ModelTemplate=*model-template-name*

specifies the SAS Decision Manager model template that was used to register and validate this model.

Defaults For models that were registered using the EMMModelPackage parameter, the template is set according to the information that is contained within the named SAS Enterprise Miner model package file.

Models that were registered using the LogisticOutModelTable parameter are registered with the Classification template.

All other registrations default to the AnalyticalModel template.

EMModelPackage=SAS-fileref-for-EM-package-file

specifies a SAS file reference that points to the Enterprise Miner model package file (SPK) that contains the model to be registered.

Note The EMMModelPackage argument is required unless you use the ReportDir argument, the ScoreDataStepCode argument, or the ScoreProgram argument to specify the model code filename.

ScoreDataStepCode=fileref-to-data-step-fragment-score-code

specifies a SAS file reference for the model score code that is a fragment of SAS code that can be included in a DATA step. A DATA step fragment contains no DATA, PROC, or RUN statements.

Note The ScoreDataStepCode argument is required unless you use the EMMModelPackage argument, the ReportDir argument, or the ScoreProgram argument to specify the model code filename.

ScoreProgram=fileref-to-SAS-program-score-code

specifies a SAS file reference for a text file containing the SAS program, including all step code that is required for successful execution of the model score code.

Note The ScoreProgram argument is required unless you use the EMMModelPackage argument, the ReportDir argument, or the ScoreDataStepCode argument to specify the model code filename.

InDataSamp=SAS-data-set-reference-to-input-data-sample-table

specifies a two-level SAS data set reference in the form *libref.filename* that points to a model input data sample table. The input data sample table is a table that contains all model input variables and is used to create the inputvar.xml file that is required for model registration. The input data sample table is not required for models that were imported as SAS Enterprise Miner package files.

Note The InDataSamp argument is required unless you use the InDataInfo argument.

Tip When you use the %MM_Register macro to register a model, the inputvar.xml file should contain only input variables for the model that you are registering. If the input data sample table includes variables that are not used by the model, use the KeepInVars argument to remove these variables. If no variables are specified by the KeepInVars argument, SAS filters the target variables from the table specified by the InDataSamp argument.

See [KeepInVars argument on page 311](#)

InDataInfo=SAS-data-set-reference-for-input-variable-metadata-table

specifies a two-level SAS data set reference in the form *libref.filename* that points to a model input variable metadata table. The input variable metadata table should be in the form of a CONTENTS procedure output file, which has the columns NAME,

TYPE, LENGTH, LABEL, FORMAT, LEVEL, and ROLE. Each row of the table is a variable. The model input variable metadata table is used to create the inputvar.xml file that is required for model registration.

Note The InDataInfo argument must be specified unless you use the InDataSamp argument.

Tip When you use the %MM_Register macro to register a model, the inputvar.xml file should contain only variables for the model that you are registering. If no variables are specified in the KeepInVars argument, SAS filters the target variables from the table specified by the InDataInfo argument.

See The CONTENTS Procedure in the *Base SAS Procedures Guide*

OutDataSamp=SAS-data-set-reference-for-output-data-sample-table

specifies a two-level SAS data set reference in the form *libref.filename* that points to a model output data sample table. The output data sample table should contain all variables that are created or modified by the model and is used to create the outputvar.xml file that is required for model registration. The output data sample table is not required for models that were imported as SAS Enterprise Miner package files.

Interaction If the output data sample table includes variables that are created or modified by the model, use the KeepOutVars argument to remove these variables. If no variables are specified in the KeepOutVars argument, SAS filters the input variables and the target variables from the table that is specified by the OutDataSamp argument.

Note The OutDataSamp argument must be specified unless you use the OutDataInfo argument.

See [KeepOutVars argument on page 311](#)

OutDataInfo=SAS-data-set-reference-for-output-variable-metadata-table

specifies a two-level SAS data set reference in the form *libref.filename* that points to a model output variable metadata table. The output variable metadata table should contain all of the variables that are created or modified by the model. The SAS file should be in the form of the CONTENTS procedure output file, which has the columns NAME, TYPE, LENGTH, LABEL, FORMAT, LEVEL, and ROLE. Each row of the table contains a variable. The output variable metadata table is used to create the outputvar.xml file that is required for model registration.

Interaction If no variables are specified by the KeepOutVars argument, SAS filters the input variables and target variables from the table that is specified by the OutDataInfo argument.

Note The OutDataInfo argument must be specified unless you use the OutDataSamp argument.

TargetDataSamp=SAS-data-set-reference-for-target-data-sample-table

specifies a two-level SAS data set reference in the form *libref.filename*. The data set reference points to a SAS table that contains the model target variable. The SAS file should contain the variable that was used as the model target during training. The SAS file is used to create the target variable information in the targetvar.xml file that is used for SAS Decision Manager model registration.

Tip If the target data sample table includes other variables that are not model target variables, use the `KeepTargetVars` argument to remove these variables.

See [KeepTargetVars argument on page 310](#)

TargetDataInfo=SAS-data-set-reference-for-target-variable-metadata-table

specifies a two-level SAS data set reference in the form *libref.filename*. The data set reference points to a SAS table that contains the model's target variable and its metadata. The SAS file should be in the form of the CONTENTS procedure output file, which has the columns NAME, TYPE, LENGTH, LABEL, FORMAT, LEVEL, and ROLE. Each row of the table contains a variable. The metadata in the SAS file is used to create the target variable information in the target.xml file that is used for SAS Decision Manager model registration.

TrainingDataSamp=SAS-data-set-reference-for-training-data-sample-table

specifies a two-level SAS data set reference in the form *libref.filename*. The data set reference points to a SAS file that contains the training data that is used for a model created by the LOGISTIC procedure. The training data sample must be an exact sample of the training data that is submitted to the LOGISTIC procedure. When the TrainingDataSamp argument and the LogisticOutModelTable argument are specified, the %MM_Register macro can derive the input, output, and target variables to create the inputvar.xml file, the outputvar.xml file, and the targetvar.xml file.

LogisticOutModelTable==SAS-data-set-reference-for-PROC-LOGISTIC-outmodel-table

specifies a two-level SAS data set reference in the form *libref.filename* that points to a LOGISTIC procedure fit table that was created by using the PROC LOGISTIC OUTMODEL= statement, and is suitable for use with the PROC LOGISTIC INMODEL statement. If the TrainingDataSamp argument is specified, then SAS generates the input, output, and target variable metadata from this table. In this case, the InDataSamp and the OutDataSamp arguments do not need to be specified.

Note This argument is required only if the model is created by the LOGISTIC procedure using the OUTMODEL statement.

ReportDir=path-to-EMREPORT-directory

specifies an absolute file path to the EMREPORT directory that was created by the SAS Enterprise Miner batch code. All SAS Enterprise Miner model packages that are named miningResult.spk and that reside in a subdirectory of the EMREPORT directory are registered to the target version. The ReportDir argument is valid only for use with SAS Enterprise Miner model package files.

KeepInVars=keep-variable-list-for-InDataSamp

specifies a list of input variables or columns that are retained in the model's inputvar.xml file. Only variables from the table that is specified by the InDataSamp argument can be specified in this list.

See [InDataSamp argument on page 309](#)

KeepOutVars==keep-variable-list-for-OutDataSamp

specifies a list of variables or columns that are retained in the model's outputvar.xml file. Only variables from the table that is specified by the OutDataSamp argument can be specified in this list.

See [OutDataSamp argument on page 310](#)

KeepTargetVars=keep-variable-list-for-TargetDataSamp

specifies a list of variables or columns that are retained in the model's targetvar.xml file. Only variables from the tables that are specified by the TargetDataSamp argument can be specified in this list.

See [TargetDataSamp argument on page 310](#)

ModelName=model-name

specifies the name of the model, which is used as the value of the model **Name** property on the **General** tab of the **Models Properties** page.

Note This argument is required.

Description=model-description

specifies a description of the model, which is used as the value of the model **Description** property on the **General** tab of the **Models Properties** page.

Label=model-label

specifies a model's label, which is used as the value for the model **Model label** property on the **Specific** tab of the **Models Properties** page. *model-label* is a text string that is used as the label for the selected model in the model assessment charts that SAS Decision Manager creates. If *model-label* is not specified, SAS Decision Manager uses the text string that is specified for the ModelName argument.

Subject=model-subject

specifies the model's subject, which is used as the value for the model **Subject** property on the **Specific** tab of the **Models Properties** page. *model-subject* provide an additional description for a model, such as a promotional or campaign code. This property is not tied to any computational action by SAS Decision Manager.

Algorithm=model-algorithm

specifies the model's computation algorithm, which is used as the value of the model **Algorithm** property on the **Specific** tab of the **Models Properties** page.

Example Algorithm=Decision Tree

Function=model-function

specifies the model's function class, which is used as the value for the model **Function** on the **Specific** tab of the **Models Properties** page. Valid values are Classification, Prediction, Association, Clustering, Sequence, Forecasting, TextMining, Transformation, and EMCreditScoring.

Modeler=model-creator

specifies the SAS Decision Manager user ID for the person who created the model, which is used as the value of the model **Modeler** property on the **Specific** tab of the **Models Properties** page.

Tool=model-tool

specifies the modeling tool that was used to create the model, and that is used as the value of the model **Tool** property on the **Specific** tab of the **Models Properties** page.

ToolVersion=model-tool-version

specifies the version of the tool that was used to create the model, and that is used as the value of the model **Tool version** property on the **Specific** tab of the **Models Properties** page.

Trace=ON | OFF

specifies whether to supply verbose trace messages to the SAS log.

Default OFF

Example `trace=on`

Details

Overview of Using the %MM_Register Macro

The %MM_Register macro registers the following types of models to an existing version in the SAS Decision Manager model repository:

- a model as a SAS Enterprise Miner package
- a SAS DATA step fragment
- a SAS program

In order to register a model using the %MM_Register macro, the macro must know the model name, the version in which the model is registered, the model source code, the model template, and the model input and output variables. If you register a SAS Enterprise Miner model, this information is included in a SAS Enterprise Miner package file (SPK file). When you register SAS code models, you must specify the model name, version, and model score code, as well as the model input and output variables in the respective macro arguments. Several %MM_Register macro arguments enable you to provide values for model property values that appear on the **Models Properties** page.

Registering SAS Enterprise Miner Models

Models that were created in SAS Enterprise Miner and saved as a SAS Enterprise Miner SPK file contain all of the information that is needed to register a model in SAS Decision Manager. Registering SAS Enterprise Miner SPK files requires you to specify the following arguments:

- ModelName
- VersionId
- EMMModelPackage or ReportDir arguments

To register one SAS Enterprise Miner model, you can specify the EMMModelPackage argument. To register multiple SAS Enterprise Miner models, you use the ReportDir argument to name a directory whose subdirectories each contain a miningResult.spk file. You can register multiple models simultaneously in SAS Decision Manager.

SAS Enterprise Miner generates a program, EMBatch, to create multiple models in a batch program. You can modify the EMBatch program to include the %MM_Register macro, using the macro variable &EMREPORT as the value of the ReportDir argument. By making this change to the EMBatch program, you can create and register SAS Enterprise Miner models in a batch program for use in SAS Decision Manager.

Registering SAS Code Models

When you register SAS code models, the information that is required is not contained in an SPK file and you must specify the required information using the %MM_Register arguments. Each model that you register must specify the model name, the model version, the model template, the model code, and the SAS data sets that describe the input, output, and target variables.

Use the following table for usage information about using the %MM_Register arguments:

| Required Information | Argument | Usage |
|--|-------------------|---|
| model name | ModelName | Specify the name of the model, which is used to identify the model in the SAS Decision Manager model repository. |
| version | VersionId | Specify the name of the version in which the model is registered. |
| model score code Specify one of the following arguments: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ScoreDataStepCode • ScoreProgram • LogisticOutModelTable | ScoreDataStepCode | <p>Specify a fileref that points to a file that contains score code that is a DATA step fragment. A DATA step fragment contains no DATA, PROC, or RUN statements.</p> <p>When you specify the ScoreDataStepCode argument, your model input and output variables can be defined using one of the following pairs of arguments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • InDataSamp and OutDataSamp • InDataInfo and OutDataInfo • InDataSamp and OutDataInfo |
| | ScoreProgram | <p>Specify a LOGISTIC procedure FIT table in the form <i>libref.filename</i> that was created by the PROC LOGISTIC OUTMODEL= statement. The FIT table can be used as the value in a PROC LOGISTIC INMODEL= statement.</p> <p>When you specify the ScoreProgram argument, your model input and output variables can be defined using one of the following pairs of arguments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • InDataSamp and OutDataSamp • InDataInfo and OutDataInfo |

| Required Information | Argument | Usage |
|----------------------|-----------------------|---|
| | LogisticOutModelTable | <p>Specify a <i>libref.filename</i> that points to a LOGISTIC procedure FIT table that was created by the PROC LOGISTIC OUTMODEL= statement, which can be used as the value to a PROC LOGISTIC INMODEL= statement.</p> <p>If the model does not contain data transmission and you specify a value for the TrainingDataSamp argument, SAS Decision Manager uses the training sample data set and the FIT table to create the model inputvar.xml file, the outputvar.xml file, and the targetvar.xml file.</p> <p>If you do not specify a value for the TrainingDataSamp argument or if your program transforms the model input before running the LOGISTICS procedure, you must provide the model input and output variables using the InDataSamp or InDataInfo argument, and the OutDataSamp or OutDataInfo argument.</p> |

| Required Information | Argument | Usage |
|----------------------|------------|---|
| input variables | InDataSamp | <p>Specify a fileref to a SAS data set whose variables contain the input variables that are used by the SAS code model. An example would be a data set that was used for training the model.</p> <p>SAS Decision Manager reads one observation in the data set that is specified by the InDataSamp argument to create the inputvar.xml file for the model. The inputvar.xml file defines the model input variables and their metadata.</p> <p>Based on the arguments that were specified, the %MM_Register macro uses arguments to filter variables from the data set to create the inputvar.xml file.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> You can use the KeepInVars argument to specify the variables in the InDataSamp data set that are used to create the inputvar.xml file. If you do not specify the KeepInVars argument, you can specify a value for the TargetDataSamp argument or the TargetDataInfo argument to filter variables based on this target data sample data set. <p>For more information, see KeepInVars argument on page 311.</p> |

| Required Information | Argument | Usage |
|----------------------|------------|--|
| | InDataInfo | <p>Specify a fileref that points to a SAS data set whose variables are NAME, TYPE, LENGTH, LABEL, FORMAT, LEVEL, and ROLE. These variables define metadata for the model input variables. Each row in this data set contains the metadata for model input variables. Such a table can be created by the CONTENTS procedure.</p> <p>SAS Decision Manager reads the data set that is specified by the InDataInfo argument to create the inputvar.xml file for the model. The inputvar.xml file defines the model input variables and their metadata.</p> <p>The variables in the data set that are specified by the TargetDataSamp argument or the TargetDataInfo argument are used as a filter to create the inputvar.xml file.</p> |

| Required Information | Argument | Usage |
|----------------------|-------------|--|
| output variables | OutDataSamp | <p>Specify a fileref that points to a SAS data set whose variables contain the output variables that are created or modified by the SAS code model. An example is a data set that was the scored output of the model.</p> <p>SAS Decision Manager reads the data set that is specified by the OutDataSamp argument to create the outputvar.xml file for the model. The outputvar.xml file defines the model output variables and their metadata.</p> <p>Based on the arguments that were specified, the %MM_Register macro uses arguments to filter variables from the data set to create the outputvar.xml file.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> You can use the KeepOutVars argument to specify the variables in the OutDataSamp data set that are used to create the outputvar.xml file. If you do not specify the KeepOutVars argument, input variables and target variables are filtered from the output table. <p>For more information, see KeepOutVars argument on page 311.</p> |

| Required Information | Argument | Usage |
|----------------------|----------------|---|
| | OutDataInfo | <p>Specify a fileref that points to a SAS data set whose variables are NAME, TYPE, LENGTH, LABEL, FORMAT, LEVEL, and ROLE. These variables define metadata for the model output variables. Each row in this data set contains the metadata for model output variables. Such a table can be created by the CONTENTS procedure.</p> <p>SAS Decision Manager reads the data set that is specified by the OutDataInfo argument to create the outputvar.xml file for the model. The outputvar.xml file defines the model output variables and their metadata. If you do not specify the KeepOutVars argument, input variables and target variables are filtered from the output table.</p> |
| target variable | TargetDataSamp | <p>Specify a fileref that points to a SAS data set whose variables contain the target variable that is created or modified by the SAS code model. An example is a data set that was the scored output of the model.</p> <p>SAS Decision Manager reads the data set that is specified by the TargetDataSamp argument to create the targetvar.xml file for the model. The targetvar.xml file defines the target output variable and its metadata.</p> <p>You can use the KeepTargetVars argument to specify the variable in the TargetDataSamp data set that is used to create the targetvar.xml file.</p> |

| Required Information | Argument | Usage |
|----------------------|----------------|---|
| | TargetDataInfo | <p>Specify a fileref that points to a SAS data set whose variables are NAME, TYPE, LENGTH, LABEL, FORMAT, LEVEL, and ROLE. These variables define metadata for the model target variable. A row in this data set contains the metadata for the model target variable. Such a table can be created by the CONTENTS procedure.</p> <p>SAS Decision Manager reads the data set that is specified by the TargetDataInfo argument to create the targetvar.xml file for the model. The targetvar.xml file defines the model target variable and its metadata.</p> |

Use the %MM_AddModelMfile macro to register other model component files that are not registered by the %MM_Register macro. For more information, see [“Model Templates” on page 395](#) and [“%MM_AddModelFile Macro” on page 299](#).

Examples

Example 1: Registering a SAS Enterprise Miner Model Package

```

/*****
/* Registering a SAS Enterprise Miner Model Package. */
*****/

Options NOMlogic NOMprint NOspool;

/*****
/* Access and load the Model Management macro code.*/
*****/

Filename MMAccess catalog 'SASHELP.modelmgr.AccessMacros.source';
%include MMAccess;

/* Fileref to the encoded password */

FILENAME pwfile 'my-network-path\pwfile';

/*****
/* Set SAS WIP Server variables. *****/
*****/

%let _MM_Service_Registry_URL=
    %STR(http://abcdef.sas.com:7980/SASWIPClientAccess/remote/ServiceRegistry);
%let _MM_User = miller;

```

```

data _null_;
  infile pwfile obs=1 length=1;
  input @;
  input @1 line $varying1024. 1;
  call symput('_MM_Password',substr(line,1,1));
run;

/*****
/* Specify the path for a SAS Enterprise          */
/* Miner Model Package file miningResult.spk.      */
*****/

FILENAME EMPak 'c:\myscorecode\EM\miningResult.spk';

/*****
/* Set to detect failure in case macro load fails  */
/* and register the Enterprise Miner model.         */
*****/

%let _MM_RC= -1;

%MM_Register(
  VersionId=
    //ModelManagerModelRepos/MMRoot/HomeEquity/HMEQ/2013,
  EMMModelPackage=EMPak,
  ModelName=HMEQ,
  Description=Home Equity Score Code,
  Modeler=Titus Groan,
  Function=Reg,
  Tool=SAS Enterprise Miner,
  ToolVersion=v12.1,
  Subject= Loan,
  Trace=ON);

/*****
/* Display MM_Register defined variables.          */
*****/

Options nosource;
%PUT _MM_RC = &_MM_RC;
%PUT _MM_CId = &_MM_CId;
Options source;

```

Example 2: Registering a Generic Model

```

/*****
/* Registering a generic model.                    */
*****/

Options nomlogic nomprint nospool;

/*****
/* Load and access the Model Management macro code. */
*****/

```

```

Filename MMAccess catalog 'SASHELP.modelmgr.AccessMacros.source';
%include MMAccess;

/* Fileref to the encoded password */

FILENAME pwfile 'my-network-path\pwfile';

/*****
/* Set the SAS WIP Server variables. */
*****/

%let _MM_Service_Registry_URL=
    %STR(http://abcdef.sas.com:7980/SASWIPClientAccess/remote/ServiceRegistry);
%let _MM_User = miller;
data _null_;
    infile pwfile obs=1 length=1;
    input @;
    input @1 line $varying1024. 1;
    call symput('_MM_Password',substr(line,1,1));
run;

/*****
/* Specify the location of the files. */
*****/

LIBNAME modelTbl 'c:\myModel\tables';
FILENAME Code 'c:\myModel\scoreCode';

/*****
/* Set to detect failure in case macro load fails */
/* and register the model in the model repository */
*****/

%let _MM_RC= -1;

%MM_Register(
    VersionId=
        //ModelManagerModelRepos/MMRoot/HomeEquity/HMEQ/2013,
    ScoreDataStepCode=CODE,
    InDataSamp=modelTbl.HMEQInput,
    OutDataSamp=modelTbl.HMEQOutput,
    TargetDataSamp=modelTbl.HMEQTarget,
    ModelName=HMEQDTree,
    Description= Home Equity model Added with a SMM Macro,
    Trace=ON);

/*****
/* Display the defined variables. */
*****/

Options nosource;
%PUT _MM_RC = &_MM_RC;
%PUT _MM_CId = &_MM_CId;
Options source;

```

Example 3: Registering a PROC LOGISTIC OUTMODEL-Style Model

```

/*****
/* Registering a PROC LOGISTIC OUTMODEL-style model. */
*****/

Options nomlogic nomprint nospool;

/*****
/* Load and access the Model Management macro code. */
*****/

Filename MMAccess catalog 'SASHELP.modelmgr.AccessMacros.source';
%include MMAccess;

/* Fileref to the encoded password */

FILENAME pwfile 'my-network-path\pwfile';

/*****
/* Set the SAS WIP Server variables. */
*****/

%let _MM_Service_Registry_URL=
    %STR(http://abcdef.sas.com:7980/SASWIPClientAccess/remote/ServiceRegistry);
%let _MM_User = miller;
data _null_;
    infile pwfile obs=1 length=1;
    input @;
    input @1 line $varying1024. 1;
    call symput('_MM_Password',substr(line,1,1));
run;

/*****
/* Specify the location of the files. */
*****/

LIBNAME modelTbl 'c:\myModel\Tables';
LIBNAME trainTbl 'c:\HomeEquity\Tables';
FILENAME ProgCode 'c:\myModel\scoreCode';

/*****
/* Set to detect failure in case macro load fails */
/* and register the model */
*****/

%let _MM_RC= -1;

%MM_Register(
    VersionId=
        //ModelManagerModelRepos/MMRoot/HomeEquity/HMEQ/2013,
    ScoreProgram=ProgCODE,
    LogisticOutModelTable=modelTbl.HMEQProcLogisticOutput,
    TrainingDataSamp=trainTbl.HMEQTraining,
    ModelName=HMEQLogisticOutmodel,
    Description=HMEQ Logistic OUTMODEL model added by macro,
    Trace=off);

```

```

/*****
/* Display the defined variables.  */
*****/

Options nosource;
%PUT _MM_RC = &_MM_RC;
%PUT _MM_CId = &_MM_CId;
Options source;

```

%MM_RegisterByFolder Macro

Register one model or multiple models simultaneously to the model repository from a single directory. Each model is located in a subdirectory under the specified directory.

Syntax

%MM_RegisterByFolder (VersionId=*path-to-version*, ReportDir=*path-to-folder*,
<Trace=ON | OFF>);

Arguments

VersionId=*path-to-version*

specifies the SAS Decision Manager UUID for an existing version in the SAS Decision Manager model repository where the models are registered. *path-to-version* can be either a SAS Decision Manager UUID or a version path.

Default the value of the _MM_CId macro variable

Note This argument is required.

Examples VersionId=b23327cb-0a29-0c76-011a-f7bb3d790340

VersionId=//ModelManagerDefaultRepo/MMRoot/DDHMEQ/
HomeEquity/2013

ReportDir=*path-to-folder*

specifies the directory that contains the models to be registered.

Note This argument is required.

Trace=ON | OFF

specifies whether to supply verbose trace messages to the SAS log.

Default OFF

Example Trace=on

Details

You can register SAS Enterprise Miner models and SAS code models using the %MM_RegisterByFolder macro. The directory that you specify in the ReportDir argument is the parent folder. Each model has its own subfolder under the parent folder.

Each type of model has requirements for the subfolder name and the contents of the subfolder:

Table A2.1 Requirements for Registering Models in a Directory

| Requirement Type | Enterprise Miner Models | SAS Code Models |
|------------------------------|---|--|
| Value of ReportDir | a valid directory name | a valid directory name |
| Model subdirectory name | the subdirectory name must be the name of the model | the subdirectory name must be the name of the model |
| Contents of the subdirectory | one file named miningResult.spk | Required files: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Modelmeta.xml ModelInput.sas7bdat Score.sas Optional files: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ModelOutput.sas7bdat ModelTarget.sas7bdat |

Here is a description of the files that reside in the model subfolders:

miningResult.spk

The miningResult.spk file contains the model component files for a model that was created in SAS Enterprise Miner.

Modelmeta.xml

The Modelmeta.xml file uses XML to define the model component files and values for model properties.

ModelInput.sas7bdat

ModelInput.sas7bdat is a table that contains the model input variables. This file is used to create the model inputvar.xml file.

Score.sas

Score.sas contains the SAS score code, which can be a DATA step fragment or a SAS program.

ModelOutput.sas7bdat

ModelOutput.sas7bdat is a SAS data set that contains one or more model output variables.

ModelTarget.sas7bdat

ModelTarget.sas7bdat is a SAS data set that contains only the target variable.

The Modelmeta.xml file is an XML file that is a mapping of SAS Decision Manager component filenames to user-defined component filenames. The <Model> element has two main sections:

- <ModelMetadata> to define model properties
See: [“Specific Properties” on page 404](#)
- <FileList> to list the model component files. This list is comparable to the **Files** section of the Local Files window, which you use to import SAS code models.

For a list of files for each model type, see [“Model Template Component Files” on page 396](#).

Within the <File> element, put the name of the file that is defined in the model template, in the <name> element. The contents of the <value> element is the filename under the model directory.

Here is an example Modelmeta.xml file for a classification model named HMEQ:

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8" ?>
<Model>
  <ModelMetadata>
    <name>hmeq</name>
    <description>Home Equity Model</description>
    <label>HMEQ</label>
    <algorithm></algorithm>
    <function>classification</function>
    <modeler></modeler>
    <tool>SASProc</tool>
    <toolversion></toolversion>
    <subject></subject>
    <modelTemplate>Classification</ModelTemplate>
    <scoreCodeType>SAS Program</scoreCodeType>
  </ModelMetadata>
  <FileList>
    <File>
      <name>score.sas</name>
      <value>myScoreFile.sas</value>
    </File>
    <File>
      <name>modelinput.sas7bdat</name>
      <value>hmeqIn</value>
    </File>
    <File>
      <name>modeloutput.sas7bdat</name>
      <value>hmeqOut</value>
    </File>
    <File>
      <name>target.sas7bdat</name>
      <value>hmeqTar</value>
    </File>
    <File>
      <name>inputvar.xml</name>
      <value></value>
    </File>
    <File>
      <name>outputvar.xml</name>
      <value></value>
    </File>
    <File>
      <name>targetvar.xml</name>
      <value></value>
    </File>
    <File>
      <name>train.sas7bdat</name>
      <value></value>
    </File>
    <File>
      <name>Training.sas</name>
      <value></value>
    </File>
  </FileList>
</Model>
```

```

</File>
<File>
  <name>Training.log</name>
  <value></value>
</File>
<File>
  <name>Training.lst</name>
  <value></value>
</File>
<File>
  <name>outest.sas7bdat</name>
  <value></value>
</File>
<File>
  <name>outmodel.sas7bdat</name>
  <value>om</value>
</File>
<File>
  <name>Output.spk</name>
  <value></value>
</File>
<File>
  <name>Format.sas7bcat</name>
  <value></value>
</File>
<File>
  <name>Dataprep.sas</name>
  <value></value>
</File>
<File>
  <name>Notes.txt</name>
  <value></value>
</File>
</FileList>
</Model>

```

Example

Example Code A2.1 Registering a Generic Model

```

/*****
/* Register a SAS Code Model By Folder */
*****/

Options nomlogic nomprint nospool;

/*****
/* Load and access the Model Management macro code. */
*****/

Filename MMAccess catalog 'SASHELP.modelmgr.AccessMacros.source';
%include MMAccess;

/* Fileref to the encoded password */

FILENAME pwfile 'my-network-path\pwfile';

```

```

/*****
/* Set the SAS WIP Server variables.          */
*****/

%let _MM_Service_Registry_URL=
    %STR(http://abcdef.sas.com:7980/SASWIPClientAccess/remote/ServiceRegistry);
%let _MM_User = miller;
data _null_;
    infile pwfile obs=1 length=1;
    input @;
    input @1 line $varying1024. 1;
    call symput('_MM_Password',substr(line,1,1));
run;

/*****
/* Specify the location of the folder.          */
*****/

%let modelFolder = c:\myModel;
%let hmeq2013 = //ModelManagerModelRepos/MMRoot/HomeEquity/HMEQ/2013;

/*****
/* Set to detect failure in case macro load fails      */
/* and register the models in the model repository.      */
*****/

%let _MM_RC= -1;

%MM_RegisterByFolder(VersionId=&hmeq2013, ReportDir=&modelFolder, Trace=ON);

/*****
/* Display the defined variables. */
*****/

Options nosource;
%PUT _MM_RC = &_amp;_MM_RC;
Options source;

```

%MM_CreateModelDataset Macro

Creates a data set that contains information about models. SAS Decision Manager can provide information for the champion model or for all models that are in the specified model repository path. The repository path that you specify can be MMRoot, an organizational folder, a project, a version, or a model. The data set contains the information for models that exist under the specified path.

Syntax

```

%MM_CreateModelDataset (mDatasetName = name-of-data-set,
    smmPath=folder-project-verion-or-model-path <isChampion=Y | N><, Trace=ON | OFF>);

```

Arguments

mDatasetName = *name-of-data-set*

specifies the name of the data set that the macro creates. The macro can be created in a data set that you specify by using a two-level name in the form *libref.filename*.

Default mDatasetName=work.models

smmPath=*folder-project-version-or-model-path*

specifies the path from which to obtain the model data. If the path is a folder, the data set contains model information for all models under that folder unless isChampion=Y. If isChampion=Y, the information that is returned is for only the champion model. If the path is a project, the data set contains model information for models under that project. If the path is a version, the data set contains model information for models under that version. If the path is a model, the data set contains model information for only that model.

Default MMRoot

isChampion=Y | N

specifies whether the information that is returned contains information for only the champion model or for all models.

Y specifies that the information that is returned is for only the champion model.

N specifies that the information that is returned is for all models.

Default Y

Trace=ON | OFF

specifies whether to supply verbose trace messages to the SAS log.

Default OFF

Example Trace=on

Details

By default, the %MM_CreateModelDataset returns data only about the champion model. If you want information about models other than the champion model, specify isChampion=N. The data set that is created contains these variables:

| | | |
|------------------|----------------|------------------|
| Algorithm | Name | ScoreCodeType |
| CreationDate | Owner | Template |
| Description | ProductionDate | TemplateFileName |
| ExpirationDate | ProjectName | Tool |
| FolderName | ProjectPath | UserProperties |
| Function | ProjectState | VersionName |
| ModelLabel | ProjectURL | VersionState |
| ModelUUID | ProjectUUID | isChampion |
| Modeler | PublishedDate | isDefaultVersion |
| ModificationDate | RetiredDate | isPublished |

Example

Example Code A2.2 Extracting Model Information

```

/*****
/* Create a data set to contain model information */
*****/

Options nomlogic nomprint nospool;

/*****
/* Load and access the Model Management macro code. */
*****/

Filename MMAccess catalog 'SASHELP.modelmgr.AccessMacros.source';
%include MMAccess;

/* Fileref to the encoded password */

FILENAME pwfile 'my-network-path\pwfile';

/*****
/* Set the SAS WIP Server variables. */
*****/

%let _MM_Service_Registry_URL=
    %STR(http://abcdef.sas.com:7980/SASWIPClientAccess/remote/ServiceRegistry);
%let _MM_User = miller;
data _null_;
    infile pwfile obs=1 length=1;
    input @;
    input @1 line $varying1024. 1;
    call symput('_MM_Password',substr(line,1,1));
run;

/*****
/* Specify the location of the data set and model */
/* path. */
*****/

libname modelDS 'c:\myModel\ModelInfo';
%let hmeq2013 = //ModelManagerModelRepos/MMRoot/HomeEquity/HMEQ/2013;

/*****
/* Set to detect failure in case macro load fails */
/* and create the model data set. */
*****/

%let _MM_RC= -1;

%MM_CreateModelDataset(mDatasetName=modelDS.models,
    smmpath=//ModelManagerDefaultRepo/MMRoot/DDHMEQ/HMEQ/2013/Models/
        Regression,
    Trace=ON);

/*****
/* Display the defined variables. */
*****/

```

```
Options nosource;  
%PUT _MM_RC = &_MM_RC;  
Options source;
```


Appendix 3

Macro Variables

SAS Environment Macro Variables

The following table lists the macro variables that are used to set the SAS environment:

| Macro Variable Name | Description | Example Value |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| <code>_MM_Service_Registry_URL</code> | the URL for a SAS environment that is defined in a SAS environment file | <code>%let _MM_Service_Registry_URL= %STR(http://abcdef.sas.com: 7980/SASWIPClientAccess/ remote/ServiceRegistry);</code> |
| <code>_MM_Password</code> | the password of the user ID that is running the macro | <code>mdlmgrpw2</code> |
| <code>_MM_User</code> | the user ID of the user that is running the macro | <code>mdlmgradmin</code> |

Scoring Test Macro Variables

The following table lists the macro variables that are used to run a scoring test:

| Macro Variable Name | Description | Example Value |
|---------------------------|---|---|
| <code>_MM_InputDS</code> | the location of the input data source file | <code>http://abc123.sas.com:8080/ SASContentServer/repository/ default/sasfolders/Shared Data/ Model Manager/MMLib/ HMEQ_SCORE_INPUT.sas7bda t</code> |
| <code>_MM_InputLib</code> | the libref that is associated with the location of the input data source file | <code>inlib</code> |

| Macro Variable Name | Description | Example Value |
|---------------------|---|--|
| _MM_ModelID | the UUID of the model | 4622bdda-ac1b-12d5-0196-021edec54347 |
| _MM_OutputDS | the location of the output data source file | http://abc123.sas.com:8080/SASContentServer/repository/default/sasfolders/Shared Data/Model Manager/MMLib/HMEQ_SCORE_OUTPUT.sas7bdat |
| _MM_OutputLib | the libref that is associated with the location of the output data source file | outdslib |
| _MM_Password | the password of the user ID that is running the report | mdlmgrpw2 |
| _MM_PerformanceDS | the location of the performance data source file | http://abc123.sas.com:8080/SASContentServer/repository/default/sasfolders/Shared Data/Model Manager/MMLib/HMEQ_perf2013Q2.sas7bdat |
| _MM_PerformanceLib | the libref that is associated with the location of the performance data source file | perflib |
| _MM_TaskDir | the URL of the stored scoring test | http://myserver.mycompany:8080/SASContentServer/repository/default/ModelManager/MMRoot/DDHMEQ/HMEQ/2013/Scoring |
| _MM_TestDS | the location of the test data source file | http://abc123.sas.com:8080/SASContentServer/repository/default/sasfolders/Shared Data/Model Manager/MMLib/HMEQ_TEST.sas7bdat |
| _MM_TestLib | the libref that is associated with the location of the test source file | testlib |
| _MM_TrainDS | the location of the train data source file | http://abc123.sas.com:8080/SASContentServer/repository/default/sasfolders/Shared Data/Model Manager/MMLib/HMEQ_train.sas7bdat |

| Macro Variable Name | Description | Example Value |
|---------------------|--|---------------|
| _MM_TrainLib | the libref that is associated with the location of the train source file | trainline |
| _MM_User | the user ID of the user that is running the report | mdlmgadmin |

Validating Model Report Macro Variables

The following tables lists the macro variables that are used to create model comparison reports, model profile reports, delta reports, dynamic lift reports, and user reports:

| Macro Variable Name | Description | Example Value |
|---------------------|--|-----------------------------|
| _MM_LocationInfo | the location information for a model | /MMRoot/Mortgages/HMEQ/2013 |
| _MM_ModelFlag | the value of the champion model flag 0 - champion model 1 - challenger model | 0 |
| _MM_ModelLabel | a label for a model | reg |
| _MM_ModelName | the name of the model | Tree |
| _MM_Password | the password of the user ID that is running the report | mdlmgrpw2 |
| _MM_PosteriorVa | the model's posterior variable name | EM_EVENTPROBABILITY |
| _MM_ProjectName | the name of the project | HMEQ |
| _MM_ReportFormat | the output format of the generated report | html |
| _MM_ReportLib | the libref for the Report node | report |
| _MM_ResourcesLib | the libref for the Resources node | resources |
| _MM_SampleSize | the size of a sample | 1000 |
| _MM_SampleSeed | the sample seed | 12345 |
| _MM_SourceCodeType | the type of score code | SAS Program |

| Macro Variable Name | Description | Example Value |
|---------------------|--|---|
| _MM_TargetEvent | the target event value | 1 |
| _MM_TargetVar | the target variable name | bad |
| _MM_TaskDir | the URL of the stored report | http://myserver.mycompany:8080/SASContentServer/repository/default/ModelManager/MMRoot/DDHMEQ/HMEQ/2013/Reports |
| _MM_User | the user ID of the user that is running the report | mdlmgradmin |

Performance Monitoring Report Macro Variables

The following table lists the macro variables that are used to create performance monitoring reports:

| Macro Variable Name | Description | Example Value |
|----------------------|--|--|
| _MM_Agg_Mail | specifies whether to send aggregated mail for performance monitoring with multiple data sources | Y or N |
| _MM_DateTime | the time that the performance task is to run | 1Sep2013:05:00:00 |
| _MM_Hpds2_Flg | enables high-performance monitoring if set it to 1, is used with the _MM_Hpdm_Performance macro variable | 1 |
| _MM_Hpdm_Performance | the configuration settings for high-performance monitoring | %nrstr(performance commit=10000 cpucount=ACTUAL dataserver='tera2650' timeout=120 host='tms2650' install='/opt/v940/ laxno/TKGrid';) |
| _MM_ModelName | the name of the champion model | reg1 |
| _MM_ModelID | the UUID of the champion model | 7514d6e- ac1b-12d5-01e4-878abeb04505 |

| Macro Variable Name | Description | Example Value |
|---------------------|--|--|
| _MM_ModelLocalPath | the location of the SAS Work library in the SAS Application Server | C:\DOCUME~1\ADMINI~1\LOCAL S~1\Temp\1\SAS Temporary Files_TD2032_BRDVM0199_ |
| _MM_Password | the password of the user ID that is running the report | mdlmgrpw2 |
| _MM_ProjectPath | the network path to the model project in the model repository | //ModelManagerDefaultRepo/MMRoot/DDHMEQ/HMEQ |
| _MM_ProjectURLPath | the URL to the model project in the model repository | http://myserver.mycompany.com:8080/SASContentServer/repository/default/ModelManager/MMRoot/HMEQ |
| _MM_ProjectUUID | the project UUID | 27514d6e-ac1b-12d5-01e4-878abeb04505 |
| _MM_Seg_Filter | filters the performance data for each sub-project from the top level performance datasource by using this macro variable | %nrstr(Location='USA') |
| _MM_ScoreCodeType | the type of score code | SAS Program |
| _MM_VersionName | the name of the default version | 2013 |
| _MM_ReportDatasrc | the project's performance data set | jun13perf.sas7bdat |
| _MM_PreCode | one or more macro variables that set values to performance variables | %let _MM_EventProbVar=score; %let _MM_TargetVar=bad; |
| _MM_ResultURLPath | the URL to the version's Resources node | http://myserver.mycompany.com:8080/SASContentServer/repository/default/ModelManager/MMRoot/HMEQ/2013/Resources |
| _MM_TimeLabel | the label that is used in reports to represent the time period of the data in the performance data set | 2013Q2 |
| _MM_Trace | indicates whether to write a trace log | ON or OFF |

| Macro Variable Name | Description | Example Value |
|---------------------|--|---------------|
| _MM_User | the user ID of the user that is running the report | mdlmgradmin |

Dashboard Report Macro Variables

The following table lists the macro variables that are used to create dashboard reports:

| Macro Variable Name | Description | Example Value |
|----------------------------|--|--|
| _MM_Dashboard_Dir | the path to the directory where the dashboard report is stored | C:\SAS\Config\Lev1\AppData\SASModelManager12.3\Dashboard |
| _MM_Force_Run_Dash_Reports | whether to force running the report and updating all tables | Y or N |
| _MM_Password | the password of the user whose user ID is running the report | mdlmgrpw2 |
| _MM_ReportFormat | the output format of the generated report | html |
| _MM_Report_Style | the style used in the generated report | Seaside |
| _MM_SAS_Locale | the SAS session locale | en_US |
| _MM_User | the user ID of the user who is running the report | mdlmgradmin |

Model Retrain Report Macro Variables

The following table lists the macro variables that are used to retrain models:

| Macro Variable | Description | Example Value |
|----------------|--|---------------|
| _MM_Hpds2_Flg | enables high-performance monitoring if set it to 1, is used with the _MM_Hpdm_Performance macro variable | 1 |

| Macro Variable | Description | Example Value |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| <code>_MM_Hpdm_Performance</code> | the configuration settings for high-performance monitoring | <code>%nrstr(performance commit=10000 cpucount=ACTUAL dataserver='tera2650' timeout=120 host='tms2650' install='/opt/v940/laxno/ TKGrid';)</code> |
| <code>_MM_Password</code> | the password of the user ID that is running the report | <code>mdlmgrpw2</code> |
| <code>_MM_Service_Registry_URL</code> | the URL for a SAS environment that is defined in a SAS environment file | <code>%let _MM_Service_Registry_URL= %STR(http://abcdef.sas.com: 7980/SASWIPClientAccess/ remote/ServiceRegistry);</code> |
| <code>_MM_User</code> | the user ID of the user who is running the report | <code>mdlmgradmin</code> |

Appendix 4

Macros for Registering Models to the SAS Metadata Repository

| | |
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Using Macros to Register Models Not Created by SAS Enterprise Miner

About the %AA_Model_Register Macro

You can use the %AAModel macro and the %AA_Model_Register macro to register the SAS Metadata Repository models that are not created by SAS Enterprise Miner. These models are created by SAS procedures and are supported by SAS Decision Manager:

- SAS/STAT item store models
- High-performance models
- PROC COUNTREG models
- PROC SEVERITY models

If you do not want to register the model, you can create SAS package files (SPK) without registering the model. After the model is registered to the SAS Metadata Repository, you can import the model to SAS Decision Manager using the import from SAS Metadata Repository method. If you create an SPK file, you would import the model using the import from SAS Model Package File method.

The %AAModel macro is an autocall macro that loads the %AA_Model_Register macro. This macro must be submitted before you submit the %AA_Model_Register macro.

You specify these types of arguments in the %AA_Model_Register macro:

- The model identification argument's name. You must also describe a model and identify a SAS/STAT item store.
- Action arguments specify whether to create an SPK file and whether to register the model in the SAS Metadata Repository.
- You specify model component arguments when a SAS/STAT procedure does not create an item store, if a model is created using high performance analytic procedures, or if you are registering PROC COUNTREG or PROC SEVERITY models. The model component arguments identify the train data set, the model level, and the score code file. The arguments also identify whether the score code is only DATA step code or a SAS program that includes DATA step code, macros, procedures.
- The Lookup=Select option if a SAS/STAT model's input variable includes non-latin1 characters. This option ensures the generation of correct score code.
- Other options are available to add information to the model or to specify whether to keep or delete the data sets that the macro produces.

For more information, see “%AA_Model_Register Autocall Macro” on page 346.

When you are registering the model to the SAS Metadata Repository, you can specify the metadata server connection system options before you run the %AAModel and %AAModel_Register macros. If these options are not specified, dialog boxes appear to prompt you for the information. Here is a sample OPTIONS statement that specifies these options:

```
options metaPort=8561
        metaServer=server-address
        metaRepository=Foundation
        metaUser=user-ID
        metaPass=password;
```

These SAS/STAT procedures can create an item store using the STORE statement:

| Procedure | Item Store Restrictions |
|-----------|--|
| GENMOD | Training code is not included |
| GLIMMIX | Training code is not included |
| GLM | Training code is not included |
| GLMSELECT | Fit statistics are not included |
| LOGISTIC | None |
| MIXED | Training code is not included |
| REG | Training code or fit statistics are not included |

If you want to retrain models using SAS Decision Manager and if the procedure item store does not include training code, you must create the SAS training code before you run the %AA_Model_Register macro.

Note: Item store restrictions have not been evaluated for other SAS/STAT procedures that have a STORE statement. Using the %AA_Model_Register macro might cause undesirable results.

Register a Model in the SAS Metadata Repository Using a SAS/STAT Item Store

After you run a SAS/STAT procedure using the STORE statement, you use the %AA_Model_Register macro to register the model to the SAS Metadata Repository.

In the following example program, the PROC LOGISTICS STORE statement creates an item store in work.logisticStore. The %AA_Model_Register macro uses the item store in work.logisticStore to create the register file.

```
/* PROC LOGISTIC specifies the STORE statement to create an item store. *
/
proc logistic data=sampsio.hmeq;
  class job;
  model bad = loan value job;
  store work.logisticStore;
run;

/* Set up the meta data connection system options. */

options metaPort=8561
        metaServer=server-address
        metaRepository=Foundation
        metaUser=user-ID
        metaPass=password;

/* Load the macros. */

%aamodel;

/* Register the model in the SAS Metadata Repository. */

%aa_model_register(modelname=LogisticTest,
                   modeldesc=%nrquote(Logistic Test),
                   itemstore=work.logisticstore,
                   register=Y,
                   mrPath=%NRBQUOTE(/User Folders/user-ID/My Folder/),
                   spk=N,
                   spkfolder=c:\temp\,
                   data=sampsio.hmeq)
;
```

The model can now be imported to SAS Decision Manager using the import from SAS Metadata Repository method.

Create a SAS Package File Using a SAS/STAT Item Store

To create a SAS package (SPK) file without registering it to the SAS Metadata Repository, you specify the Register=Y, SPK=Y, and the SPKFolder= arguments. This example shows these modifications using the previous example:

```
/* PROC LOGISTIC specifies the STORE statement to create an item store. *
```

```

proc logistic data=sampsio.hmeq;
  class job;
  model bad = loan value job;
  store work.logisticStore;
run;

/* Set up the meta data connection system options. */

options metaPort=8561
  metaServer=server-address
  metaRepository=Foundation
  metaUser=user-ID'
  metaPass=password;

/* Load the macros. */

%aamodel;

/* Create an SPK file; do not register the model in the SAS Metadata Repository. */

%aa_model_register(modelname=LogisticTest,
  modeldesc=%nrquote(Logistic Test),
  itemstore=work.logisticstore,
  register=N,
  spk=Y,
  spkfolder=c:\temp\,
  data=sampsio.hmeq)
;

```

The macro creates a folder for the model in the **c:\temp** folder. The folder name is the UUID of the model. The name of the SPK file is **miningResults.spk**. The SPK file can be imported to SAS Decision Manager using the import from SAS Model Package File method.

Register a Model in the SAS Metadata Repository Using Model Component Files

If you do not have an item store, or if you have the information and files that you need for a model, you can use the **%AA_Model_Register** macro to register the model in the SAS Metadata Repository. In addition to the macro's model identification arguments and the action arguments, you can use these arguments to register the model:

- **Data=training-data-set-name**
- **Level=Binary | Ordinal | Nominal | Interval**
- **ScoreCodeFile=filename**
- **ScoreCodeFormat=Datastep | Program**
- **Target=target-variable**

The following SAS program uses model component arguments to register the model to the SAS Metadata Repository. Other arguments identify the mining function and mining algorithm.

```

/* Train high performance model */

```

```

proc hplogistic data=gplib.hmeqid; class job reason;
  id value;
  class bad ;
  model bad = clage clno debtinc delinq derog mortdue job reason;
  output out=gplib.hpregid_score pred;
  code file='c:\temp\score.sas';
run;

/* Set up metadata connections */

options metaPort=8561
        metaServer=server-address
        metaRepository=Foundation
        metaUser=user-ID
        metaPass=password;

/* Load the macros. */

%aamodel;

/* Register the model in the SAS Metadata Repository */

%aa_model_register
  (modelname=Model1,
   modeldesc=%nrquote(First Model for registration),
   register=Y,
   mrPath=%NRQUOTE(/User Folders/user-ID/My Folder/),
   spk=N,
   spkfolder=c:\temp\,
   data=sampsio.hmeq,
   target=bad,
   level=BINARY,
   miningfunction=Classification,
   miningalgorithm=Regression,
   scorecodefile=c:\temp\score.sas)
;

```

The model can now be imported to SAS Decision Manager using the import from SAS Metadata Repository method.

Dictionary

%AAModel Autocall Macro

Loads the %AA_Model_Register macro.

Syntax

%AAModel

Details

The %AAModel macro loads the %AA_Model_Register macro. You must specify **%aamodel;** before you use the %AA_Model_Register macro. The %AAModel macro produces these messages in the SAS log:

```
NOTE: Loading the aa_model_eval macro
NOTE: Loading the aa_model_register macro
```

Note: The %AA_Model_Eval macro is used internally by SAS Decision Manager.

%AA_Model_Register Autocall Macro

Creates an SPK package file and registers models to the SAS Metadata Repository.

Syntax

```
%AA_Model_Register(
  ModelName model-name,
  ModelDesc=description,
  Register=Y | N,
  MRPath=SAS-Metadata-Repository-folder,
  SPK=Y | N,
  SPKFolder=SPK-folder-path,
  ItemStore=item-store-name,
  Data=training-data-set-name,
  Target=target-variable,
  Level=Binary | Ordinal | Nominal | Interval,
  ScoreCodeFile=filename,
  ScoreCodeFormat=Datastep | Program,
  <Score=scored-data-set-name>,
  <PMMLFile=filename>,
  <TrainFile=train-program-filename>,
  <MiningAlgorithm=algorithm>,
  <MiningFunction=mining-function>,
  <Segment=segment-variable-name>,
  <Lookup=lookup-method>,
  <Debug=Y | N>)
```

Model Identification Arguments

ModelName=*model-name*

specifies the name of the model.

Default aa_model_&sysuserid, where &sysuserid contains the user ID or login of the current SAS process.

ModelDesc=*description*

is a description of the model.

ItemStore=*item-store-name*

specifies the name of the item store that is created by some SAS/STAT procedures. The item store is used to retrieve input and target variable metadata, data set names, score code, training code, the mining algorithm, and the mining function.

Note Item store data is not available from these SAS/STAT procedures: REG, GLM, GENMOD, GLIMMIX, PHREG, and SURVEYPHREG.

Tip If you do not specify the ITEMSTORE= option, you must specify these options: DATA=, TARGET=, SCORECODEFILE=, SCORECODEFORMAT=. If you specify the ITEMSTORE= option, you do not need to specify these options.

Action Arguments**Register=Y | N**

specifies whether to register the model in the SAS Metadata Repository.

Y indicates to register the model in the SAS Metadata Repository.

N indicates not to register the model in the SAS Metadata Repository.

Default Y

MRPath=SAS-Metadata-Repository-Folder

specifies a folder, using **SAS Folders** as the root node in the SAS Metadata Repository, where the model is registered.

Default /Shared Data/

Note The forward slash (/) after the last folder in the path is not required.

Example /Shared Data/Model Manager/Models/

SPK=Y | N

specifies whether to create a SAS package file:

Y indicates to create a SAS package file.

N indicates not to create a SAS package file.

Requirement If SPK=Y, you must use the SPKFOLDER= option to specify a location to store the SPK file.

SPKFolder=SPK-folder-path

specifies the location to store the SPK file.

Requirement The option is required when you specify SPK=Y.

Model Component Arguments

These arguments must be specified if you do not specify the ITEMSTORE= option:

Data=*training-data-set-name*

specifies the name of the training data set for the model.

Level=Binary | Ordinal | Nominal | Interval

specifies the class target level of the model.

| | |
|----------|---|
| Binary | the variable can contain two discrete values (for example, Yes and No). |
| Ordinal | the variable can contain discrete values that have a logical order (for example, 1, 2, 3, 4). |
| Nominal | the variable contains discrete values that do not have a logical order (for example, car, truck, bus, and train). |
| Interval | the variable contains values across a range. For example, temperature ranges could be between 0–100. |

ScoreCodeFile=filename

specifies the name of the file that contains the score code.

Tip If you specify the ITEMSTORE= option, you do not need to specify this option.

ScoreCodeFormat=Datastep | Program

specifies the format of the score code.

| | |
|---------|--|
| DATASEP | the score code contains only DATA step statements |
| PROGRAM | the score code contains DATA step statements, procedures, or macros. |

Target=target-variable

specifies the name of the target variable for model.

Optional Arguments**Debug=Y | N**

specifies whether to prevent deletion of the generated data sets:

| | |
|---|--|
| Y | indicates to keep the generated data sets. |
| N | indicates not to keep the generated data sets. |

Lookup=lookup-method

specifies the algorithm for looking up CLASS levels in SAS/STAT models. Here are the valid lookup methods:

Auto

selects the LINEAR algorithm if a CLASS variable has fewer than five categories. Otherwise, the Binary algorithm is used. This is the default.

Binary

specifies to use a binary search. This method is fast, but it might produce incorrect results. The normalized category values might contain characters that collate in different orders in ASCII and EBCDIC, if you generate the code on an ASCII machine and execute the code on an EBCDIC machine, or vice versa.

Linear

uses a linear search with IF statements that have categories in the order of the class levels. This method is slow if there are many categories.

Select

uses a SELECT statement.

Requirement Use Lookup=Select when a SAS/STAT model contains non-latin1 characters to ensure the generation of the correct score code. If a model with non-latin1 characters is published to a database and

Lookup=Select is not specified, the scoring results might be incorrect.

MiningAlgorithm=*algorithm*

specifies the type of algorithm that is used to create the mode (for example, DecisionTree or logistic).

MiningFunction=*mining-function*

specifies one of the following mining functions:

- classification
- prediction
- segmentation

PMMLFile=*filename*

specifies the name of the file that contains the PMML score code. This option is optional.

Score=*scored-data-set-name*

specifies the name of the scored training data set. This data set is used when there is no score code available to determine the output variables.

Segment=*variable*

specifies the name of the segment variable.

TrainFile=*train-program-filename*

specifies the name of the training program file.

Appendix 5

Macros for Adding Folders, Projects, Versions, and Setting Properties

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Adding Folders, Projects, Versions, and Properties Using Macros

Overview of Using a SAS Program to Add Folders, Projects, Versions, and Properties

SAS Decision Manager provides four macros that you can use in a SAS program to add folders, project, and versions, and to set properties:

`%mdlmgr_AddFolder()`

Adds a folder under **MMRoot** or adds a subfolder.

`%mdlmgr_AddProject()`

Adds a project under a folder or a subfolder.

`%mdlmgr_AddVersion()`

Adds a version to a project.

`%mdlmgr_SetProperty()`

Sets project and version properties that appear in the **Specific Properties** section of the project or version **Properties** tab in SAS Decision Manager.

After you have added the project objects or set properties, you refresh the folder or project object o see the new objects and property settings in the SAS Decision Manager. You can then use these objects in SAS Decision Manager to further define your projects and versions.

To delete a folder, project, or version, you use the SAS Decision Manager.

Writing Your SAS Program

Include these language elements in your SAS program:

Global macro variable to set the environment

```
%let _MM_Service_Registry_URL=
    %str(http://your-server.com:7980/SASWIPClientAccess/remote/ServiceRegistry);
```

Global macro variable to define the user and a DATA step to provide the password

```
%let _MM_User = user_ID;
data _null_;
    infile pwfile obs=1 length=1;
    input @;
    input @1 line $varying1024. 1;
    call symput('_MM_Password', substr(line,1,1));
run;
```

If you are setting properties, use a DATA step to create a table that contains property and value pairs.

One of the %mdlmgr_SetProperty() arguments is the name of a table that contains property-value pairs. “[Creating the Properties Table](#)” on page 353 lists the properties that you can include in the table. When you create the table, the first column must be Name and the second column must be Value. Both columns must be character. See “[Example: Creating a Properties Table](#)” on page 356.

Access the macros by using the FILENAME and %INCLUDE statements.

```
filename file1 catalog 'sashelp.mdlmgr.accessmacros.source';
%include file1;
filename file1;

filename file2 catalog 'sashelp.mdlmgr.mdlmgr_addfolder.source';
%include file2;
filename file2;

filename file3 catalog 'sashelp.mdlmgr.mdlmgr_addproject.source';
%include file3;
filename file3;

filename file4 catalog 'sashelp.mdlmgr.logtrace.source';
%include file4;
filename file4;

filename file5 catalog 'sashelp.mdlmgr.mdlmgr_addversion.source';
%include file5;
filename file5;

filename file6 catalog 'sashelp.mdlmgr.mdlmgr_setproperty.source';
%include file6;
filename file6;
```

You can change the fileref name.

Call the macros:

```
%mdlmgr_AddFolder(ParentId=, Name=, Desc=, NewFolderId=, Trace=);

%mdlmgr_AddProject(ParentId=, Name=, Desc=, ModelFunction=,
```

```

InputVarTable=, OutputVarTable=, NewProjectId=, Trace=);

%mdlmgr_AddVersion(ParentId=, Name=, Desc=, NewVersionId=, Trace=);

%mdlmgr_SetProperty(FolderId=, Table=, PropertyType=, FolderType=, Trace=);

```

There is no requirement to call all of the macros in the same SAS program.

When SAS returns from a macro call that adds a node, the value of `NewFolderId=`, `NewProjectId=`, and `NewVersionId=` is used to create a global macro variable that can be referenced by other macros in the same SAS session. The value of the macro variable is the UUID or the model repository path for the node that is added. You can then use that macro reference as a value for the `ParentId=` argument of another macro or for the `%mdlmgr_SetProperty()` macro `FolderId=` argument. For example, in the `%mdlmgr_AddProject()` macro, if you set **NewProject=projectId**, the variable name `projectId` is used to create the global macro variable `%projectId`. The `&projectId` macro reference can now be used as the value of the `ParentId=` argument in the `%mdlmgr_AddVersion()` macro, **ParentId=&projectId**. The same macro reference can be used as a value for the `FolderId=` argument in the `%mdlmgr_SetProperty()` macro, **FolderId=&projectId**.

Creating the Properties Table

Property Table Requirements

To set project properties, you use a DATA step to create a data set that contains property-value pairs. The data set variables must be `Name` and `Value`, and they must be character variables.

In the data set, property names can be mixed case. The required appended text, **:sas-libraries**, must be lower case. For more information, see [“Specifying Data Sets” on page 353](#).

Specifying Data Sets

Some property values specify the name of a default table, such as the default train table or the default performance table. You specify tables using the form *SMRLibrary.table* for libraries in the SAS Metadata Repository and *libref.table* for SAS libraries. See the Data Sources category view for valid library and table names. In the **SAS Metadata Repository** tab, *SMRLibrary* is the folder-name where the data set is stored. In the **SAS Libraries** tab, *libref* can be one of the librefs under the **SAS Libraries** node.

When your DATA step specifies a library in the **SAS Libraries** tab, the text **:sas-library** must be appended to *libref.table* in lower case (for example, **MySASLib.Property:sas-library** and **Work.ProjProp:sas-library**). Libraries that are defined in the SAS Metadata Repository do not require the appended text.

Properties That You Can Set

Use a property in the following Property Name column as a value for the `Name` variable in the property table.

Table A5.1 Project and Version Properties That Can Be Set by %mdlmgr_SetProperty() Macro

| Property Name | Property Name As It Appears in the SAS Decision Manager | Valid Values |
|------------------------|---|---|
| ClassificationRole | Output Event Probability Variable | A text string that specifies the output event probability variable. Set for a project with a model function of classification. |
| ClassTargetEvent | Class Event Value | A number that represents the target event value. Set for a project. |
| ClassTargetEventValues | Class Target Values | A text string that represents the class target values. Set for a project. |
| ClassTargetLevel | Class Target Level | One of the following text strings: "BINARY", "NOMINAL", "ORDINAL", or "INTERVAL" Set for a project. |
| ClassTargetVar | Training Target Variable | A text string that indicates the training target variable Set for a project. |
| EventProbabilityRole | Output Event Probability Variable | A text string that specifies the output event probability variable. Specify this property only if you specify the outputVarTable= argument in the %mdlmgr_AddProject() macro. The value of EventProbabilityRole must be a variable in the project output table. Set for a project. |
| Function | Model Function | A text string that specifies the model function. Valid values are "CLASSIFICATION", "PREDICTION", "SEGMENTATION", and "ANALYTICAL". Set for project, |
| InterestedParty | Interested Party | A text string that specifies a person or group that has an interest in the project. Set for a project. |

| Property Name | Property Name As It Appears in the SAS Decision Manager | Valid Values |
|-----------------|---|---|
| MetadataLock | Lock Project Metadata | Specify "YES" or "NO" to indicate whether the project metadata is locked. Set for a project. |
| PredictionRole | Output Prediction Variable | A text string that specifies the output prediction variable. Set for a project with a model function of prediction. |
| ProjectInputDS | None, it is used to create inputvar.xml. | The project input table in the form <i>libref.table</i> . Set for a project. |
| ProjectOutputDS | None, it is used to create outputvar.xml. | The project output table in the form <i>libref.table</i> . Set for a project. |
| ResponseDS | Default Performance Table | The default performance table in the form <i>libref.table</i> . Set for projects and versions. |
| ScoreInputDS | Default Scoring Input Table | The default scoring test input table in the form <i>libref.table</i> . Set for projects and versions. |
| ScoreOutputDS | Default Scoring Output Table | The default scoring test output tablet in the form <i>libref.table</i> . Set for projects and versions. |
| SegmentRole | Output Segmentation Variable | A test string that specifies the output segmentation variable. Set for a project with a model function type of segmentation. |
| State | State | Select one: 0 Under Development 1 Active 2 Inactive 3 Retired Set for a project. |
| TestDS | Default Test Table | The default test table in the form <i>libref.table</i> . Set for projects and versions. |

| Property Name | Property Name As It Appears in the SAS Decision Manager | Valid Values |
|---------------|---|---|
| TrainDS | Default Train Table | The default train table in the form <i>libref.table</i> . Set for projects and versions. |

Example: Creating a Properties Table

Here is a sample DATA step to create a properties table:

```
data HMEQProp;
    length name $20.;
    length value $40.;
    input name $ value$;
    datalines;
TestDS MMLIB.HMEQ_TEST
ScoreInputDS MMLIB.HMEQ_SCORE_INPUT
ScoreOutputDS MMLIB.OUTPUT
TrainDS MMLIB.HMEQ_TRAIN
ResponseDS PERFDS.2013Q1:sas-library
ClassTargetEvent 1
ClassTargetLevel BINARY
EventProbabilityRole SCORE
ClassTargetVar BAD
;
run;
```

Note the difference in values for the ResponseDS property and the other table properties. In the Data Sources category view, the library MMLIB is defined in the **SAS Metadata Repository** tab and the library PERFDS is defined in the **SAS Libraries** tab. Because PERFDS is defined in the **SAS Libraries** tab, the value requires **:sas-library** to be appended to the *libref.table* value. Libraries that are defined in the SAS Metadata Repository do not require the appended text.

Dictionary

%mdlmgr_AddFolder Macro

Adds a folder to the Project Tree.

Syntax

```
%mdlmgr_AddFolder(
    ParentId=parent-UUID-or-path
    Name=folder-name
    <Desc=description>
    NewFolderId=folder-Id-variable
    <Trace=On | Off>
);
```

Required Arguments

ParentId=*parent-UUID-or-path*

specifies the UUID or the model repository path of the parent folder.

If the folder that you are creating is a subfolder, you can use the value of **NewFolderId=** that was specified during the macro call of parent folder as the value for *parent-UUID-or-path*. For example, if a parent folder exists and **NewFolderId=&folderId** was set in the macro call for the parent folder, then you can specify **ParentId=&folderId** in the subfolder macro call.

If you specify the repository path, use one of these forms:

```
//ModelManagerDefaultRepo/MMRoot/
//ModelManagerDefaultRepo/MMRoot/folder-name/
```

Restriction A folder can be added only to the **MMRoot** node or a folder in the Project Tree.

Name=*folder-name*

specified the name of the folder. The name can contain letters, spaces, the underscore (_), the hyphen (-), and the period (.).

NewFolderId=*folder-Id-variable*

specifies a variable that is used to identify the new folder.

SAS Decision Manager creates a global macro variable, %*folder-Id-variable* whose value is the folder UUID or the path in the SAS Metadata Repository. You can use *&folder-Id-variable* as the value of a ParentId= argument in the %mdlmgr_AddFolder() or %mdlmgr_AddProject() macros. For example, if **NewFolderId=folderId**, then you can use **ParentId=&folderId** in the %mdlmgr_AddProject() macro.

Optional Arguments

Desc=*description*

specifies a description of the folder.

Trace=On | Off

specifies whether to supply verbose trace messages to the SAS log.

Default Off

%mdlmgr_AddProject Macro

Adds a project to a folder.

Syntax

```
%mdlmgr_AddProject(
  ParentId=parent-UUID
  Name=folder-name
  <Desc=description>
  ModelFunction=model-function
  <InputVarTable=project-input-variable-table>
  <OutputVarTable=project-output-variable-table>
  NewProjectId=project-Id-variable
  <Trace=On | Off>
);
```

Required Arguments

ParentId=parent-UUID-or-path

specifies the UUID of the parent folder or the model repository path for the parent folder.

You can use *&folder-Id-variable* that is set for the NewFolderId= argument in the %mdlmgr_AddFolder() macro as the value of *parent-UUID-or-path*.

The model repository path is in this form:

```
//ModelManagerDefaultRepo/MMRoot/folder-name/
```

Name=project-name

specified the name of the project. The name can contain letters, spaces, the underscore (_), the hyphen (-), and the period (.).

ModelFunction=model-function

specifies the project model function type. These are the valid values:

- Classification
- Prediction
- Segmentation
- Analytical

Default Classification

NewProjectId=project-Id-variable

specifies a variable or a macro variable that is used to identify the new project.

SAS Decision Manager creates a global macro variable, *%project-Id-variable* whose value is the project UUID or the path in the SAS Metadata Repository. You can use *&project-Id-variable* as the value of a ParentID= argument in the %mdlmgr_AddVersion() macro or the FolderId= argument in the %mdlmgr_SetProperty() macro. For example, if you set **NewProjectId=projectId**, you can use **ParentId=&projectId** in the %mdlmgr_AddVersion() macro.

The SAS Decision Manager path is in this form:

```
//ModelManagerDefaultRepo/MMRoot/folder-name/project-name
```

Optional Arguments

Desc=description

specifies a description of the project.

InputVarTable=project-input-variable-table

specifies a data set that must include the input variables that are used by the champion model. If you have several candidate models for your project, make sure that all candidate model input variables are included in the project input table. The data set does not need to contain data. If you use the train table as a project input table, be sure to exclude the target variable.

The input variable table is used to create the inputvar.xml file, which describes all of the model input variables.

Requirement The data set must be a local or network file. This macro does not support project input tables in the SAS Metadata Repository.

Tip The project input table can be defined after the project is created. It must be defined before the project champion model is set.

See [“Create a Project Input Table” on page 411](#)

OutputVarTable=project-output-variable-table

specifies a data set that includes only output variables that are created or modified by the champion model. If you have several candidate models for your project, you must make sure that all project output variables are mapped to the champion model output variables. If you use the train table as the project output table, use the SET statement to specify the training table, and use the KEEP statement to specify the variables from the training table that you want in the project output table.

The output variable table is used to create the outputvar.xml file, which describes all of the model output variables.

Requirement The data set must be a local or network file. This macro does not support project output tables in the SAS Metadata Repository.

Tip The project output table can be defined after the project is created. It must be defined before the project champion model is set.

See [“Create a Project Output Table” on page 412](#)

Trace=On | Off

specifies whether to supply verbose trace messages to the SAS log.

Default Off

%mdlmgr_AddVersion Macro

Adds a version to a project.

Syntax

```
%mdlmgr_AddVersion(  
    ParentId=parent-UUID-or-path  
    <Desc=description>  
    NewVersionId=version-Id-variable  
    <Trace=On | Off>  
);
```

Required Arguments

ParentId=parent-UUID-or-path

specifies the UUID of the project for which the version is to be created.

You can use *&project-Id-variable* that is set for the NewProjectId= argument in the %mdlmgr_AddProject() macro as the value of *parent-UUID-or-path*. For example, if **NewProjectId=projectId**, you can specify **ParentId=&projectId**.

The SAS Decision Manager path is in the form

```
//ModelManagerDefaultRepo/MMRoot/folder-name/project-name
```

NewVersionId=version-Id-variable

specifies a variable name that is used to identify the new version.

SAS Decision Manager creates a global macro variable, %*version-Id-variable* whose value is the version UUID or the path in the SAS Metadata Repository. You can use *&version-Id-variable* as the value of the FolderId= argument in the

%mdlmgr_SetProperty() macro. For example, if you set

NewVersionId=versionId, then you can specify **FolderId=&versionId** in the %mdlmgr_SetProperty() macro.

The version path is in this form:

```
//ModelManagerDefaultRepo/MMRoot/folder-name/project-name/version-name
```

Optional Arguments

Desc=description

specifies a description of the version.

Trace=Of | Off

specifies whether to supply verbose trace messages to the SAS log.

Default Off

%mdlmgr_SetProperty Macro Function

Sets project properties in the Project Tree.

Syntax

```
%mdlmgr_SetProperty(
  FolderId=folder-UUID-or-path
  Table=property-value-table-name
  PropertyType=System | User
  FolderType=UUID-or-folder-type
  <Trace=On | Off>
```

Required Arguments

FolderId=*folder-UUID-or-path*

specifies the project folder UUID or path.

To add a project property, you can use *&project-Id-variable* that is set for the NewProjectId= argument in the %mdlmgr_AddProject() macro as the value of *project-folder-UUID-or-path*. For example, if **NewProjectId=projectId**, then you can specify **FolderId=&projectId**.

To add a version property, you can use *&version-Id-variable* that is set for the NewVersionId= argument in the %mdlmgr_AddVersion() macro as the value of *project-folder-UUID-or-path*. For example, if **NewVersionId=versionId**, then you can specify **FolderId=&versionId**.

Table=*property-value-data-set*

specifies the data set that contain the properties to set. *property-value-table-name* must be in the form *libref.data-set*.

See [“Creating the Properties Table” on page 353](#)

PropertyType=System | User

specifies whether the property is a SAS Decision Manager property or if the property is user-defined. Specify **system** for all SAS Decision Manager properties.

| | |
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| Default | System |
|---------|--------|

FolderType=*folder-type*

specifies the folder type for the properties that are being set. If FolderId is a UUID, this argument is optional. Here are the valid values for Folder type:

- Project
- Version

Optional Argument

Trace=On | Off

specifies whether to supply verbose trace messages to the SAS log.

| | |
|---------|-----|
| Default | Off |
|---------|-----|

Example: Add a Folder, Project, and Version; Set Properties

```
%let _MM_User=your-userID;
%let _MM_Password=your-password;
%let _MM_Service_Registry_URL=%STR(http://your-web-service.com:7980/
SASWIPClientAccess/remote/ServiceRegistry);
libname temp 'your-path';
data temp.property;
    length name $ 30 value $ 40;
    input name $ value $;
    infile datalines;
datalines;
ProjectInputDS MMLIB.HMEQ_PROJECT_INPUT
ProjectOutputDS MMLIB.HMEQ_PROJECT_OUTPUT
ScoreInputDS MMLIB.HMEQ_SCORE_INPUT
ScoreOutputDS MMLIB.HMEQ_SCORE_OUTPUT
TrainDS MMLIB.HMEQ_TRAIN
TestDS MMLIB.HMEQ_TEST
ClassTargetEvent 1
ClassTargetLevel BINARY
ClassTargetVar BAD
EventProbabilityRole SCORE
;
run;

/* Access the macros */

filename file1 catalog 'sashelp.modelmgr.accessmacros.source';
%include file1;
filename file1;

filename file2 catalog 'sashelp.modelmgr.mdlmgr_addfolder.source';
%include file2;
filename file2;

filename file3 catalog 'sashelp.modelmgr.mdlmgr_addproject.source';
%include file3;
filename file3;

filename file4 catalog 'sashelp.modelmgr.logtrace.source';
%include file4;
filename file4;

filename file5 catalog 'sashelp.modelmgr.mdlmgr_addversion.source';
%include file5;
filename file5;

filename file6 catalog 'sashelp.modelmgr.mdlmgr_setproperty.source';
%include file6;
filename file6;
```

```

/*add folder*/
%mdlmgr_AddFolder( parentId=//ModelManagerDefaultRepo/MMRoot,
                  name=Bank3,
                  desc=,
                  newFolderId=newFolderIdVar,
                  Trace=on);

/*add project*/
%mdlmgr_AddProject( parentId=&newFolderIdVar,
                   name=HMEQ,
                   desc=Home Equity,
                   modelFunction=classification,
                   inputVarTable=,
                   outputVarTable=,
                   newProjectId=newProjectIdVar1,
                   Trace=on);

/*set properties*/
%mdlmgr_SetProperty( folderId=&newProjectIdVar1,
                    table=temp.property,
                    propertyType=system,
                    folderType=project,
                    Trace=on);

/*add version*/
%mdlmgr_AddVersion( parentId=&newProjectIdVar1,

                  newVersionId=newVersionIdVar1,
                  Trace=off);

```


Appendix 6

Macros for Generating Score Code

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Generating Score Code for COUNTREG Procedure Models

The %MM_Countreg_Create_Scorecode macro creates DATA step statements to compute the predicted values of a model that you create using the COUNTREG procedure. Input to the macro is the ODS output data set ParameterEstimates that is created by the COUNTREG procedure. You can also specify the location to save the score code and other macro output files. You can specify a location for prefix values for the dependent variable and the variable for the probability of having a zero-generating process.

Note: SAS Decision Manager does not support PROC COUNTREG models when VALIDVARNAME="ANY".

The score code generation supports the following COUNTREG procedure features:

| PROC COUNTREG Feature | Supported Functionality |
|-------------------------|--|
| Categorical predictor | Character and numeric class variables |
| Continuous predictor | Variable values are used as is. |
| MODEL specification | Effect specifications that are allowed by the MODEL statement, including main effects, interactions, and powers of continuous predictors. Only one MODEL statement can be specified. |
| ZEROMODEL specification | Effect specifications that are allowed in the MODEL statement, including the intercept, main effects, interactions, and powers of continuous predictors. |

| PROC COUNTREG Feature | Supported Functionality |
|--------------------------------------|--|
| OFFSET variables | The offset variables in the MODEL and ZEROMODEL statements are retrieved from the FitSummary table. |
| ZEROMODEL statement LINK function | The LOGISTIC and the NORMAL link distribution functions that are allowed in the ZEROMODEL statement. |

BY-group processing is not supported.

After you have created the score code, you can register the score code and other COUNTREG procedure model component files by using the \$AA_Model_Register macro or you can import the model using the local files method. For more information, see [“Using Macros to Register Models Not Created by SAS Enterprise Miner” on page 341](#) and [“Import Models from Local Files” on page 159](#).

Generating Score Code for PROC SEVERITY Models

The %MM_Severity_Create_Scorecode macro generates score code for PROC SEVERITY models. Inputs to the macro are the ODS output data sets ParameterEstimates and ModelInformation that are created by the SEVERITY procedure. You can also specify the location to save the score code and other macro output files, and the prefix value for the dependent variable.

Custom distributions and BY-group processing are not supported by the macro.

After you have created the score code, you can register the score code and other SEVERITY procedure model component files by using the \$AA_Model_Register macro or you can import the model using the local files method. For more information, see [“Using Macros to Register Models Not Created by SAS Enterprise Miner” on page 341](#) and [“Import Models from Local Files” on page 159](#).

Dictionary

%MM_Countreg_Create_Scorecode Autocall Macro

Generates score code for a model that is created by the COUNTREG procedure.

Syntax

```
%MM_Countreg_Create_Scorecode (
    ParmEst=countreg-parameter-estimate-data-set
    <FileRef=output-fileref>
    <PredPrefix=dependent-variable-prefix>
    <PZPrefix=probability-zero-variable-prefix>
);
```

Arguments

ParmEst=*countreg-parameter-estimate-dataset*

specifies the name of the parameter estimations ODS output data. This ParameterEstimates data set is created when PROC COUNTREG executes. To capture this data set, use the ODS OUTPUT statement before PROC COUNTREG executes.

Tip In the PROC COUNTREG code, include the PREDICTION= and the PREOBZERO= options in the OUTPUT statement.

FileRef=*output-fileref*

specifies the fileref that defines the location of the macro output files.

Default The SAS log

PredPrefix=*dependent-variable-prefix*

specifies a prefix for the predicted dependent variable. The variable is named in the PRED= option of the PROC COUNTREG OUTPUT= statement. When is prefix is applied to the dependent variable, this new name becomes the prediction variable.

Default P_

PZPrefix=*probability-zero-variable-prefix*

specifies a prefix for the variable that indicates the probability that the response variable will take on the value of zero as a result of the zero-generating process. The variable is named in the PROBZERO= option of the PROC COUNTREG OUTPUT= statement. When the prefix is applied to the probability zero variable, this new name becomes the probability zero variable.

Default PHI_

Details

To create score code for a model that you create with PROC COUNTREG, include the following SAS code:

1. Use a LIBNAME statement to identify the location of the output that you create using PROC COUNTREG.
2. Before PROC COUNTREG, use the ODS OUTPUT statement to capture the ParameterEstimates output data set. Here is an example:

```
ods output ParameterEstimates=CntReg.ParameterEstimates;
```

3. Build your model using PROC COUNTREG and close the ODS OUTPUT destination.
4. Use the FILENAME statement to define a fileref for the macro output location.
5. Invoke the %mm_countreg_create_scorecode macro.
6. Execute the score code within a DATA step.

Example: Generate the PROC COUNTREG Score Code for Insurance Risk

Create the Sample Insurance Data

The following SAS program creates sample data that resembles an automobile policy history file for a property and casualty insurance program:

```
%let MyProj = C:\Users\myID;
%let MyProj = C:\Users\minlam\Documents\Projects;
libname CntReg "&MyProj.\CountReg\Test";
options fmtsearch = (CntReg.formats);
proc format library = CntReg cntlout = phf_fmt;
  value $ Gender_fmt
    'Male' = 'Man'
    'Female' = 'Woman';
  value HO_fmt
    0 = 'No'
    1 = 'Yes';
run;

data CntReg.phf;
  length CarType $ 5;
  label CarType = 'Type of Car';
  length Gender $ 6;
  format Gender $ Gender_fmt.;
  label Gender = 'Gender Identification';

  /* This variable name will test how the macro will resolve name conflicts */
  length Estimate $ 6;
  label Estimate = 'Gender Identification (Copy)';
  label AgeDriver = 'Driver Age';
  format HomeOwner HO_fmt.;
  call streaminit(27513);

  do PolicyId = 00001 to 99999;
    StartYr = 2000 +
      rand('table', 0.1, 0.1, 0.1, 0.1, 0.1, 0.1, 0.1, 0.1, 0.1, 0.1);
    do ExpYr = StartYr to 2011;
      EExp = rand('uniform');
      MyOffset = 0;
      select (rand('table', 0.499, 0.299, 0.199, 0.003));
        when (1)
          do;
            CarType = 'SEDAN';
            fCarType = 0;
          end;
        when (2)
          do;
            CarType = 'TRUCK';
            fCarType = 0.5;
          end;
      end;
    end;
  end;
```

```

        when (3)
        do;
            CarType = 'SPORT';
            fCarType = 1.0;
        end;
        otherwise CarType = ' ';
    end;

    AgeDriver = 18 + rand('binomial',0.375, 72);
    fAgeDriver = 0.0123 * (AgeDriver - 17);

    HomeOwner = rand('bernoulli', 0.25);
    if (HomeOwner eq 0) then fHomeOwner = 0.7;
    else if (HomeOwner eq 1) then fHomeOwner = 0;
    if (HomeOwner eq 1) then
    do;
        IS = round(rand('uniform') * 5) - 2.5;
        fIS = -0.0456 * IS * IS;
    end;
    if (EExp lt 0.5) then
    do;
        Gender = 'Male';
        fGender = 0;
    end;
    else if (EExp lt 0.9) then
    do;
        Gender = 'Female';
        fGender = -1.5;
    end;
    else Gender = ' ';
    Estimate = Gender;
    if (missing(HomeOwner) eq 0 and missing(IS) eq 0)
    then mu_zero = 0.987 + fHomeOwner + fIS;
    else mu_zero = 0.987;
    phi = cdf('normal', mu_zero, 0, 1);
    if (rand('bernoulli', phi) eq 0) then
    do;
        if (missing(CarType) eq 0 and missing(AgeDriver) eq 0 and
            missing(Gender) eq 0)
        then mu = 2 + fCarType + fAgeDriver + fGender;
        else mu = 2;
        nClaim = rand('poisson', exp(mu));
    end;
    else nClaim = 0;
    output;
end;
end;
drop fCarType fAgeDriver fHomeOwner fGender;
drop mu_zero mu;
run;

```

Run the Sample Program

Here is the sample program:

```
%let MyProj = C:\Users\emdev;
```

```

libname CntReg "&MyProj.\CountReg\Test";
options fmtsearch = (CntReg.formats);

/* Original Model */
%let model = 1;

/* Build the model and deliver the required ODS datasets */
ods output ParameterEstimates = CntReg.ParameterEstimates_&model.;

proc countreg data = CntReg.phf;
  class CarType Gender HomeOwner;
  model nClaim = CarType AgeDriver Gender / dist = poisson;
  zeromodel nClaim ~ HomeOwner IS * IS / link = normal;
  output out = CntReg.phf_pred_&model.
    predicted = Pred_nClaim probzero = Phi_nClaim;
run;

ods output close;

/* Define the fileref for the output syntax */
filename ThisFile "&MyProj.\CountReg\Test\ScoreCode_&Model..sas";

/* Invoke the macro */
%mm_countreg_create_scorecode(
  ParamEst = CntReg.ParameterEstimates_&Model.,
  FileRef = ThisFile,
  PredPrefix = MyPred_,
  PZPrefix = MyPhi_,
);

/* Execute the score codes within a DATA STEP */
data CntReg.phf_pred_compare;
  set CntReg.phf_pred_&Model.;
  %include ThisFile;
  IsMiss_Pred_nClaim = missing(Pred_nClaim);
  IsMiss_Phi_nClaim = missing(Phi_nClaim);
  IsMiss_MyPred_nClaim = missing(MyPred_nClaim);
  IsMiss_MyPhi_nClaim = missing(MyPhi_nClaim);
  if (IsMiss_Pred_nClaim eq 0 and IsMiss_MyPred_nClaim eq 0)
    then MyDiffPred = MyPred_nClaim - Pred_nClaim;
  if (IsMiss_Phi_nClaim eq 0 and IsMiss_MyPhi_nClaim eq 0)
    then MyDiffPhi = MyPhi_nClaim - Phi_nClaim;
run;

proc contents data = CntReg.phf_pred_compare;
run;

/* If the score codes work correctly, then the MyDifference variable should be
   a constant variable of all zero values */
proc freq data = CntReg.phf_pred_compare;
  tables _WARN_;
run;

proc tabulate data = CntReg.phf_pred_compare;
  class IsMiss_Pred_nClaim IsMiss_MyPred_nClaim

```

```
IsMiss_Phi_nClaim IsMiss_MyPhi_nClaim;
var Pred_nClaim MyPred_nClaim MyDiffPred Phi_nClaim
    MyPhi_nClaim MyDiffPhi;
table IsMiss_Pred_nClaim * IsMiss_MyPred_nClaim *
    (n nmiss mean*f=e22. stddev*f=e22. min*f=e22. max*f=e22.),
    (Pred_nClaim MyPred_nClaim MyDiffPred);
table IsMiss_Phi_nClaim * IsMiss_MyPhi_nClaim *
    (n nmiss mean*f=e22. stddev*f=e22. min*f=e22. max*f=e22.),
    (Phi_nClaim MyPhi_nClaim MyDiffPhi);

run;
quit;
```

The Generated Score Code and Output Tables

Output A6.1 Generated Score Code

```

/*****
/* Begin scoring code for COUNTREG
/* Model: ZIP
/* Created By: emdev
/* Date: April 26, 2013
/* Time: 09:27:39
*****/

LENGTH _WARN_ $ 4;
_WARN_ = ' ';
LABEL _WARN_ = &quot;Warnings&quot; ;

_nInputMiss = 0;

/*****
/* Check the continuous predictors
*****/

IF ( MISSING( AgeDriver ) EQ 1 ) THEN _nInputMiss = _nInputMiss + 1;

IF ( MISSING( IS ) EQ 1 ) THEN _nInputMiss = _nInputMiss + 1;

_nInputOutOfRange = 0;

/*****
/* Check the CLASS predictors
*****/

LENGTH _UFormat_1 $ 5 ;
LABEL _UFormat_1 = &quot;Formatted Value of CarType&quot; ;
IF ( MISSING( CarType ) EQ 0 ) THEN DO;
    _UFormat_1 = STRIP( PUT( CarType , $5. ) );
    IF ( _UFormat_1
        NOTIN ( &quot;SEDAN&quot;
                , &quot;SPORT&quot;
                , &quot;TRUCK&quot;
                )
        ) THEN _nInputOutOfRange = _nInputOutOfRange + 1;
    END;
ELSE _nInputMiss = _nInputMiss + 1;

LENGTH _UFormat_2 $ 5 ;
LABEL _UFormat_2 = &quot;Formatted Value of Gender&quot; ;
IF ( MISSING( Gender ) EQ 0 ) THEN DO;
    _UFormat_2 = STRIP( PUT( Gender , $GENDER_FMT5. ) );
    IF ( _UFormat_2
        NOTIN ( &quot;Man&quot;
                , &quot;Woman&quot;
                )
        ) THEN _nInputOutOfRange = _nInputOutOfRange + 1;
    END;
ELSE _nInputMiss = _nInputMiss + 1;

```



```

LENGTH _UFormat_3 $ 3 ;
LABEL _UFormat_3 = &quot;Formatted Value of HomeOwner&quot; ;
IF ( MISSING( HomeOwner ) EQ 0 ) THEN DO;
  _UFormat_3 = STRIP( PUT( HomeOwner , HO_FMT3. ) );
  IF ( _UFormat_3
    NOTIN ( &quot;No&quot;
          , &quot;Yes&quot;
          )
    ) THEN _nInputOutOfRange = _nInputOutOfRange + 1;
END;
ELSE _nInputMiss = _nInputMiss + 1;

/*****
/* Set _WARN_ value
*****/

_VALID2SCORE = 1;
LABEL _VALID2SCORE = &quot;Is this record valid to be scored? 1=Yes, 0=No&quot; ;

IF ( _nInputMiss GT 0 ) THEN DO;
  SUBSTR(_WARN_,1,1) = 'M';
  _VALID2SCORE = 0;
END;
IF ( _nInputOutOfRange GT 0 ) THEN DO;
  SUBSTR(_WARN_,2,1) = 'U';
  _VALID2SCORE = 0;
END;

/*****
/* Calculate scores only if current record contains valid values
*****/

IF ( _VALID2SCORE EQ 1 ) THEN DO;

  _NU_MODEL = 0 ;
  _NU_ZEROMODEL = 0 ;

  _NU_MODEL = _NU_MODEL + 7.889048183464800E-01
  ;

  IF ( _UFormat_1 EQ &quot;SEDAN&quot;
    ) THEN DO;
    _NU_MODEL = _NU_MODEL - 4.983426513164500E-01
    ;
  END;

  IF ( _UFormat_1 EQ &quot;SPORT&quot;
    ) THEN DO;
    _NU_MODEL = _NU_MODEL + 4.985885591940500E-01
    ;
  END;

  _NU_MODEL = _NU_MODEL + 1.227923016048900E-02
  * AgeDriver
  ;

  IF ( _UFormat_2 EQ &quot;Man&quot;
    ) THEN DO;
    _NU_MODEL = _NU_MODEL + 1.503894036936300E+00
    ;
  END;

  _NU_ZEROMODEL = _NU_ZEROMODEL + 9.925866013120000E-01
  ;

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```

IF ( _UFormat_3 EQ &quot;No&quot;;
  ) THEN DO;
  _NU_ZEROMODEL = _NU_ZEROMODEL + 6.905739218180000E-01
  ;
END;

_NU_ZEROMODEL = _NU_ZEROMODEL - 4.346588113784800E-02
  * IS
  * IS
  ;

_LOG_TAIL_P_ = LOGSDF( 'NORMAL' , _NU_ZEROMODEL );

IF ( ( _NU_MODEL + _LOG_TAIL_P_ ) LE 709.780 )
THEN MyPred_nClaim = EXP( _NU_MODEL + _LOG_TAIL_P_ );
ELSE MyPred_nClaim = .;

MyPhi_nClaim = 1 - EXP( _LOG_TAIL_P_ );

END; /* END ( _VALID2SCORE EQ 1) IF BLOCK */

LABEL MyPred_nClaim = &quot;Predicted value of nClaim&quot;;
LABEL MyPhi_nClaim = &quot;Probability of nClaim being zero as a result
of the zero-generating process&quot;;

DROP _nInputMiss _VALID2SCORE _NU_MODEL;
DROP _NU_ZEROMODEL _LOG_TAIL_P_;
DROP _nInputOutOfRange
  _UFormat_1
  _UFormat_2
  _UFormat_3
  ;

/*****
/* End scoring code for COUNTREG */
*****/

```

Output A6.2 The Tables Created by the Sample Program

The SAS System

The COUNTREG Procedure

| Class Level Information | | |
|-------------------------|--------|-------------------|
| Class | Levels | Values |
| CarType | 3 | SEDAN SPORT TRUCK |
| Gender | 2 | Man Woman |
| HomeOwner | 2 | No Yes |

| Model Fit Summary | |
|---------------------------|----------------|
| Dependent Variable | nClaim |
| Number of Observations | 582162 |
| Missing Values | 67258 |
| Data Set | CNTREG.PHF |
| Model | ZIP |
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| Parameter Estimates | | | | | |
|---------------------|----|-----------|----------------|---------|----------------|
| Parameter | DF | Estimate | Standard Error | t Value | Approx Pr > t |
| Intercept | 1 | 0.788905 | 0.015473 | 50.99 | <.0001 |
| CarType SEDAN | 1 | -0.498343 | 0.003396 | -146.76 | <.0001 |
| CarType SPORT | 1 | 0.498589 | 0.003280 | 151.99 | <.0001 |
| CarType TRUCK | 0 | 0 | . | . | . |
| AgeDriver | 1 | 0.012279 | 0.000329 | 37.27 | <.0001 |
| Gender Man | 1 | 1.503894 | 0.003976 | 378.23 | <.0001 |
| Gender Woman | 0 | 0 | . | . | . |
| Inf_Intercept | 1 | 0.992587 | 0.004642 | 213.84 | <.0001 |
| Inf_HomeOwner No | 1 | 0.690574 | 0.004973 | 138.87 | <.0001 |
| Inf_HomeOwner Yes | 0 | 0 | . | . | . |
| Inf_IS*IS | 1 | -0.043466 | 0.001068 | -40.70 | <.0001 |

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| Obs | NAME | _LABEL_ | _VALUE_1 | _VALUE_2 | _VALUE_3 | MacVar |
|-----|---------|-------------|----------|----------|----------|---------|
| 1 | CARTYPE | Type of Car | SEDAN | SPORT | TRUCK | CarType |

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| Obs | NAME | _LABEL_ | _VALUE_1 | _VALUE_2 | MacVar |
|-----|--------|-----------------------|----------|----------|--------|
| 1 | GENDER | Gender Identification | Man | Woman | Gender |

The SAS System

| Obs | NAME | _VALUE_1 | _VALUE_2 | MacVar |
|-----|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| 1 | HOMEOWNER | No | Yes | HomeOwner |

The SAS System

The CONTENTS Procedure

| | | | |
|---------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|--------|
| Data Set Name | CNTREG.PHF_PRED_COMPARE | Observations | 649420 |
| Member Type | DATA | Variables | 25 |
| Engine | V9 | Indexes | 0 |
| Created | 04/25/2013 16:49:55 | Observation Length | 192 |
| Last Modified | 04/25/2013 16:49:55 | Deleted Observations | 0 |
| Protection | | Compressed | NO |
| Data Set Type | | Sorted | NO |
| Label | | | |
| Data Representation | WINDOWS_64 | | |
| Encoding | wlatin1 Western (Windows) | | |

| Engine/Host Dependent Information | |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| Data Set Page Size | 65536 |
| Number of Data Set Pages | 1911 |
| First Data Page | 1 |
| Max Obs per Page | 340 |
| Obs in First Data Page | 321 |
| Number of Data Set Repairs | 0 |
| ExtendObsCounter | YES |
| Filename | C:\Users\lemdev\CountReg\Test\phf_pred_compare.sas7bdat |
| Release Created | 9.0401B0 |
| Host Created | X64_S08R2 |

| Alphabetic List of Variables and Attributes | | | | | |
|---|----------------------|------|-----|---------------|---|
| # | Variable | Type | Len | Format | Label |
| 6 | AgeDriver | Num | 8 | | Driver Age |
| 3 | CarType | Char | 5 | | Type of Car |
| 11 | EExp | Num | 8 | | |
| 5 | Estimate | Char | 6 | | Gender Identification (Copy) |
| 10 | ExpYr | Num | 8 | | |
| 4 | Gender | Char | 6 | \$GENDER_FMT. | Gender Identification |
| 7 | HomeOwner | Num | 8 | HO_FMT. | |
| 13 | IS | Num | 8 | | |
| 23 | IsMiss_MyPhi_nClaim | Num | 8 | | |
| 22 | IsMiss_MyPred_nClaim | Num | 8 | | |
| 21 | IsMiss_Phi_nClaim | Num | 8 | | |
| 20 | IsMiss_Pred_nClaim | Num | 8 | | |
| 25 | MyDiffPhi | Num | 8 | | |
| 24 | MyDiffPred | Num | 8 | | |
| 12 | MyOffset | Num | 8 | | |
| 19 | MyPhi_nClaim | Num | 8 | | Probability of nClaim being zero as a result of the zero-generating process |
| 18 | MyPred_nClaim | Num | 8 | | Predicted value of nClaim |
| 2 | Phi_nClaim | Num | 8 | | Probability of nClaim being zero |
| 8 | PolicyId | Num | 8 | | |
| 1 | Pred_nClaim | Num | 8 | | Predicted value of nClaim |
| 9 | StartYr | Num | 8 | | |
| 17 | _WARN_ | Char | 4 | | Warnings |
| 14 | flS | Num | 8 | | |
| 16 | nClaim | Num | 8 | | |
| 15 | phi | Num | 8 | | |

The SAS System

The FREQ Procedure

| Warnings | | | | |
|----------------------------|-----------|---------|----------------------|--------------------|
| _WARN_ | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative Frequency | Cumulative Percent |
| M | 67258 | 100.00 | 67258 | 100.00 |
| Frequency Missing = 582162 | | | | |

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| | | | Predicted value of nClaim | Predicted value of nClaim | MyDiffPred |
|--------------------|----------------------|--------|---------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|
| IsMiss_Pred_nClaim | IsMiss_MyPred_nClaim | | | | |
| 0 | 0 | N | 582162 | 582162 | 582162 |
| | | NMiss | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | Mean | 9.429365968097200E-01 | 9.429365968097100E-01 | -2.495081706328000E-14 |
| | | StdDev | 1.064955276559700E+00 | 1.064955276559700E+00 | 4.181980199999600E-14 |
| | | Min | 9.128948368471800E-02 | 9.128948368471800E-02 | -3.437250484239400E-13 |
| | | Max | 7.825944704397700E+00 | 7.825944704397300E+00 | 3.053113317719100E-16 |
| | 1 | N | 67258 | 0 | 0 |
| | | NMiss | 0 | 67258 | 67258 |
| | | Mean | 3.362464926679000E-01 | . | . |
| | | StdDev | 3.193524985874900E-01 | . | . |
| | | Min | 9.128948368471800E-02 | . | . |
| | | Max | 4.525549373539800E+00 | . | . |

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| | | | Probability of nClaim being zero | Probability of nClaim being zero as a result of the zero-generating process | MyDiffPhi |
|-------------------|---------------------|--------|----------------------------------|---|------------------------|
| IsMiss_Phi_nClaim | IsMiss_MyPhi_nClaim | | | | |
| 0 | 0 | N | 582162 | 582162 | 582162 |
| | | NMiss | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | Mean | 9.104499873516800E-01 | 9.104499873516800E-01 | -8.436792562164200E-16 |
| | | StdDev | 5.836674095312900E-02 | 5.836674095312900E-02 | 3.895804002996700E-16 |
| | | Min | 7.645221218601200E-01 | 7.645221218601200E-01 | -1.443289932012700E-15 |
| | | Max | 9.527668240990100E-01 | 9.527668240990000E-01 | -2.220446049250300E-16 |
| | 1 | N | 67258 | 0 | 0 |
| | | NMiss | 0 | 67258 | 67258 |
| | | Mean | 9.105934041870400E-01 | . | . |
| | | StdDev | 5.811672446138200E-02 | . | . |
| | | Min | 7.645221218601200E-01 | . | . |
| | | Max | 9.527668240990100E-01 | . | . |

%MM_Severity_Create_Scorecode Autocall Macro

Creates DATA step statements to compute the predicted values of a model that you create using the SEVERITY procedure.

Syntax

```
%MM_Severity_Create_Scorecode (
    ParmEst=severity-parameter-estimate-data-set
    ModelInfo=model-info-data-set<FileRef=output-fileref>
    <PredPrefix=dependent-variable-prefix>
) / store secure;
```

Arguments

ParmEst=*severity-parameter-estimate-dataset*

specifies the name of the parameter estimations output data. This data set is created when you specify the OUTEST= option in the PROC SEVERITY statement.

ModelInfo=*model-info-data-set*

specifies the name of the model information output data set. This data set is created when you specify the OUTMODELINGINFO= option in the PROC SEVERITY statement.

FileRef=*output-fileref*

specifies the fileref that defines the location of the macro output files.

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PredPrefix=*dependent-variable-prefix*

specifies a prefix for the predicted dependent variable. The variable is named in the PROC SEVERITY LOSS= statement. When a prefix is applied to the dependent variable, this new name becomes the prediction variable.

Default P_

Details

To create score code for a model that you create with PROC SEVERITY, include the following SAS code:

1. Use a LIBNAME statement to identify the location of the output that you create using PROC SEVERITY.
2. Build your model using PROC SEVERITY. Specify the OUTEST= option to create the ParameterEstimates data. Specify OUTMODELINGINFO= option to create the ModelInformation data set. Close the ODS OUTPUT destination.
3. Use the FILENAME statement to define a fileref for the macro output location.
4. Invoke the %MM_Severity_Create_Scorecode Macro.

Example: Generate the PROC SEVERITY Score Code for Insurance Risk

Create the Sample Insurance Data

```
%let MyProj = C:\Users\myID;
%let MyProj = C:\MyJob\Projects;
libname Severity &quot;&amp;MyProj.\Severity\Test&quot;;

data Severity.phf;

    /* Regression Coefficient for the Intercept Term */
    retain fIntercept 6.8024;

    /* Regression Coefficient for continuous AgeDriver */
    retain fAgeDriver 0.01234;

    /* Regression Coefficient for the three dummy indicators for nominal CarType */
    retain fCarType_SEDAN 0;
    retain fCarType_SPORT 1.0;
    retain fCarType_TRUCK 0.5;

    /* Regression Coefficient for the two dummy indicators for nominal Gender */
    retain fGender_Female -1.5;
    retain fGender_Male 0;

    /* Regression Coefficient for the two dummy indicators for nominal HomeOwner */
    retain fHomeOwner_NO 0;
    retain fHomeOwner_YES 0.7;

    /* Regression Coefficient for continuous IS */
    retain fIS -0.00456;

    /* Regression Coefficient for continuous MileageDriven */
    retain fMileageDriven 0.013579;

    /* Variable Labels */
    label AgeDriver = 'Age of Driver';

    label AmountLoss = 'Amount of Loss in Dollars';
    format AmountLoss dollar.;

    label CarType_SEDAN = 'Indicator of Car Type is Sedan';
    label CarType_SPORT = 'Indicator of Car Type is Sport';
    label CarType_TRUCK = 'Indicator of Car Type is Truck';

    label EExp = 'Earned Exposure in Units of One Year';

    label ExpYr = 'Exposure Year';

    label Gender_Female = 'Indicator of Gender is Female';
    label Gender_Male = 'Indicator of Gender is Male';
```

```

label HomeOwner_NO = 'Indicator of Home Ownership is No';
label HomeOwner_YES = 'Indicator of Home Ownership is Yes';

label IS = 'Insurance Score of Driver';

label MileageDriven = 'Mileage Driven in Units of 1,000 Miles';

label PolicyId = 'Policy Identifier';

call streaminit(27513);
do PolicyId = 00001 to 99999;
  StartYr = 2000 +
    rand('table', 0.1, 0.1, 0.1, 0.1, 0.1, 0.1, 0.1, 0.1, 0.1, 0.1);
  do ExpYr = StartYr to 2011;
    EExp = rand('uniform');

    AgeDriver = 18 + rand('binomial', 0.375, 72);

    CarType_SEDAN = 0;
    CarType_SPORT = 0;
    CarType_TRUCK = 0;
    select (rand('table', 0.4999, 0.2999, 0.1999, 0.0003));
      when (1) CarType_SEDAN = 1;
      when (2) CarType_SPORT = 1;
      when (3) CarType_TRUCK = 1;
      otherwise
      do;
        CarType_SEDAN = .;
        CarType_SPORT = .;
        CarType_TRUCK = .;
      end;
    end;
  end;

  Gender_Female = 0;
  Gender_Male = 0;
  if (EExp lt 0.4999) then Gender_Female = 1;
  else if (EExp lt 0.9999) then Gender_Male = 1;
  else
  do;
    Gender_Female = .;
    Gender_Male = .;
  end;

  HomeOwner_NO = 0;
  HomeOwner_YES = 0;
  if (rand('bernoulli', 0.25) eq 1) then HomeOwner_YES = 1;
  else HomeOwner_NO = 1;

  IS = round(rand('gamma', 600));
  if (IS gt 800) then IS = 800;
  else if (IS lt 1) then IS = 1;

  MileageDriven = rand('gamma', 12);
  /* Annual Mileage Driven in unit of 1000 miles */

```

```

        if (nmiss(MileageDriven, AgeDriver, CarType_SEDAN, CarType_TRUCK,
                  CarType_SPORT,
                  Gender_Male, Gender_Female,
                  HomeOwner_YES, HomeOwner_NO, IS) eq 0)
        then
        do;
            mu = fIntercept
                + fAgeDriver * (28 - AgeDriver)
                + fCarType_SEDAN * CarType_SEDAN + fCarType_SPORT
                  * CarType_SPORT
                + fCarType_TRUCK * CarType_TRUCK
                + fGender_Female * Gender_Female + fGender_Male
                  * Gender_Male
                + fHomeOwner_NO * HomeOwner_NO + fHomeOwner_YES
                  * HomeOwner_YES
                + fIS * IS
                + fMileageDriven * (MileageDriven - 12);
            AmountLoss = exp(mu) * rand('gamma', 25);
        end;
        else AmountLoss = .;
        output;
    end;
end;
drop fAgeDriver fCarType_SEDAN fCarType_TRUCK fCarType_SPORT fGender_Male
    fGender_Female fHomeOwner_YES fHomeOwner_NO fIntercept fIS fMileageDriven;
drop mu StartYr;
run;

```

Run the Sample Program

```

%let MyProj = C:\Users\emdev;
%let MyProj = C:\Users\minlam\Documents\Projects;
libname Severity "&MyProj.\Severity\Test";

title "SCALEMODEL and all applicable distributions";

%let model = 1;
%let predlist = AgeDriver CarType_SEDAN CarType_TRUCK CarType_SPORT
    Gender_Male Gender_Female HomeOwner_YES HomeOwner_NO IS MileageDriven;

/* Build the model and obtain the required datasets */
proc severity data = Severity.phf
    outest = Severity.ParamEst_&Model.
    outmodelinfo = Severity.ModelInfo_&model.;
    loss AmountLoss;
    dist _predefined_ stweedie;
    scalemodel &predlist.;
    nloptions maxiter = 1000;
run;

/* Define the fileref for the output syntax */
filename ThisFile "&MyProj.\Severity\Test\ScoreCode_&Model..sas";

/* Invoke the macro */
%mm_severity_create_scorecode
(

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        ParamEst = Severity.ParamEst_&Model.,
        ModelInfo = Severity.ModelInfo_&model.,
        FileRef = ThisFile,
        PredPrefix = MyPred_,
    );

    /* Execute the score codes within a DATA STEP */
    data Severity.phf_wPrediction;
        set Severity.phf;
        %include ThisFile;
    run;

    proc contents data = Severity.phf_wPrediction;
    run;

```

The Generated Score Code and Output Tables

Output A6.3 Generated Score Code

```

/*****
/* Begin scoring code for SEVERITY                                     */
/* Created By: emdev                                                  */
/* Date: May 15, 2013                                                */
/* Time: 12:06:28                                                    */
*****/

LENGTH _WARN_ $ 4;
_WARN_ = '      ';
LABEL _WARN_ = "Warnings" ;

_nInputMiss = 0;

/*****
/* Check the SCALEMODEL regression variables                         */
*****/

IF ( MISSING( MileageDriven ) EQ 1 ) THEN _nInputMiss = _nInputMiss + 1;

IF ( MISSING( IS ) EQ 1 ) THEN _nInputMiss = _nInputMiss + 1;

/* NOTE: HomeOwner_NO is not checked for missing values because it is a redundant
regressor. */

IF ( MISSING( HomeOwner_YES ) EQ 1 ) THEN _nInputMiss = _nInputMiss + 1;

IF ( MISSING( Gender_Female ) EQ 1 ) THEN _nInputMiss = _nInputMiss + 1;

/* NOTE: Gender_Male is not checked for missing values because it is a redundant
regressor. */

IF ( MISSING( CarType_SPORT ) EQ 1 ) THEN _nInputMiss = _nInputMiss + 1;

IF ( MISSING( CarType_TRUCK ) EQ 1 ) THEN _nInputMiss = _nInputMiss + 1;

/* NOTE: CarType_SEDAN is not checked for missing values because it is a
redundant regressor. */

```

```

IF ( MISSING( AgeDriver ) EQ 1 ) THEN _nInputMiss = _nInputMiss + 1;

/*****
/* Calculate scores only if current record contains valid values */
*****/

IF ( _nInputMiss EQ 0 ) THEN DO;

/*****
/* Distribution: BURR */
*****/

_XBETA_ = 0;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 1.344413338897300E-02 * MileageDriven ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 4.570022585401000E-03 * IS ;
/* NOTE: HomeOwner_NO is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 7.004995716974000E-01 * HomeOwner_YES ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 1.499608973328200E+00 * Gender_Female ;
/* NOTE: Gender_Male is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 9.997068084571000E-01 * CarType_SPORT ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 4.992376225576000E-01 * CarType_TRUCK ;
/* NOTE: CarType_SEDAN is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 1.240862927421100E-02 * AgeDriver ;

/* NOTE: MyPred_AmountLoss_BURR = GAMMA(1 + 1/Gamma) * GAMMA(Alpha - 1/
Gamma) / GAMMA(Alpha) * Theta * EXP(_XBETA_) */
MyPred_AmountLoss_BURR = 2.729080537097400E+04 * EXP(_XBETA_);

/*****
/* Distribution: EXP */
*****/

_XBETA_ = 0;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 1.344997925413300E-02 * MileageDriven ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 4.570912461736200E-03 * IS ;
/* NOTE: HomeOwner_NO is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 7.006247728147500E-01 * HomeOwner_YES ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 1.499520049919700E+00 * Gender_Female ;
/* NOTE: Gender_Male is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 9.998154659889200E-01 * CarType_SPORT ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 4.991760040523900E-01 * CarType_TRUCK ;
/* NOTE: CarType_SEDAN is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 1.240552808055000E-02 * AgeDriver ;

/* NOTE: MyPred_AmountLoss_EXP = 1 * Theta * EXP(_XBETA_) */
MyPred_AmountLoss_EXP = 2.730403090782800E+04 * EXP(_XBETA_);

/*****
/* Distribution: GAMMA */
*****/

_XBETA_ = 0;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 1.344997933121800E-02 * MileageDriven ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 4.570912459089100E-03 * IS ;
/* NOTE: HomeOwner_NO is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 7.006247729158700E-01 * HomeOwner_YES ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 1.499520049929900E+00 * Gender_Female ;
/* NOTE: Gender_Male is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 9.998154662540800E-01 * CarType_SPORT ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 4.991760039384900E-01 * CarType_TRUCK ;
/* NOTE: CarType_SEDAN is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 1.240552804902500E-02 * AgeDriver ;

/* NOTE: MyPred_AmountLoss_GAMMA = Alpha * Theta * EXP(_XBETA_) */
MyPred_AmountLoss_GAMMA = 2.730405549354900E+04 * EXP(_XBETA_);

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/*****
/* Distribution: GPD
*****/

_XBETA_ = 0;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 1.345090198095600E-02 * MileageDriven ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 4.569987445112400E-03 * IS ;
/* NOTE: HomeOwner_NO is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 7.006260117108500E-01 * HomeOwner_YES ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 1.499518185889600E+00 * Gender_Female ;
/* NOTE: Gender_Male is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 9.998173115643000E-01 * CarType_SPORT ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 4.991779592407300E-01 * CarType_TRUCK ;
/* NOTE: CarType_SEDAN is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 1.240306956097400E-02 * AgeDriver ;

/* NOTE: MyPred_AmountLoss_GPD = 1 / (1 - Xi) * Theta * EXP(_XBETA_) */
MyPred_AmountLoss_GPD = 2.728530960810300E+04 * EXP(_XBETA_);

/*****
/* Distribution: IGAUSS
*****/

_XBETA_ = 0;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 1.344333259472700E-02 * MileageDriven ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 4.572143035437300E-03 * IS ;
/* NOTE: HomeOwner_NO is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 7.006130278360900E-01 * HomeOwner_YES ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 1.499413162869200E+00 * Gender_Female ;
/* NOTE: Gender_Male is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 9.997768449055400E-01 * CarType_SPORT ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 4.991467916958200E-01 * CarType_TRUCK ;
/* NOTE: CarType_SEDAN is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 1.241894446056000E-02 * AgeDriver ;

/* NOTE: MyPred_AmountLoss_IGAUSS = 1 * Theta * EXP(_XBETA_) */
MyPred_AmountLoss_IGAUSS = 2.734200065401500E+04 * EXP(_XBETA_);

/*****
/* Distribution: LOGN
*****/

_XBETA_ = 0;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 1.344165732039300E-02 * MileageDriven ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 4.571943993968500E-03 * IS ;
/* NOTE: HomeOwner_NO is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 7.006057373962000E-01 * HomeOwner_YES ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 1.499427525786600E+00 * Gender_Female ;
/* NOTE: Gender_Male is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 9.997737501240600E-01 * CarType_SPORT ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 4.991635085860000E-01 * CarType_TRUCK ;
/* NOTE: CarType_SEDAN is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 1.241995587270100E-02 * AgeDriver ;

/* NOTE: MyPred_AmountLoss_LOGN = EXP(Sigma*Sigma/2) * EXP(Mu) * EXP(_XBETA_)
*/
MyPred_AmountLoss_LOGN = 2.734808258530300E+04 * EXP(_XBETA_);

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/*****
/* Distribution: PARETO
*****/

_XBETA_ = 0;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 1.344702841631400E-02 * MileageDriven ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 4.573870525107900E-03 * IS ;
/* NOTE: HomeOwner_NO is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 7.006208104018000E-01 * HomeOwner_YES ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 1.499526007562500E+00 * Gender_Female ;
/* NOTE: Gender_Male is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 9.998095632861300E-01 * CarType_SPORT ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 4.991697518801100E-01 * CarType_TRUCK ;
/* NOTE: CarType_SEDAN is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 1.241339040886400E-02 * AgeDriver ;

/* NOTE: MyPred_AmountLoss_PARETO = 1 / (Alpha - 1) * Theta * EXP(_XBETA_) */
MyPred_AmountLoss_PARETO = 2.736400276713000E+04 * EXP(_XBETA_);

/*****
/* Distribution: STWEEDIE
*****/

_XBETA_ = 0;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 1.345898239828500E-02 * MileageDriven ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 4.570041179676800E-03 * IS ;
/* NOTE: HomeOwner_NO is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 7.006207334939600E-01 * HomeOwner_YES ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 1.499496885374900E+00 * Gender_Female ;
/* NOTE: Gender_Male is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 9.998043617045600E-01 * CarType_SPORT ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 4.991607418998200E-01 * CarType_TRUCK ;
/* NOTE: CarType_SEDAN is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 1.239129336545400E-02 * AgeDriver ;

/* NOTE: MyPred_AmountLoss_STWEEDIE = Lambda * (2 - P) / (P - 1) * Theta *
EXP(_XBETA_) */
MyPred_AmountLoss_STWEEDIE = 2.726265339822600E+04 * EXP(_XBETA_);

/*****
/* Distribution: WEIBULL
*****/

_XBETA_ = 0;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 1.350103959448200E-02 * MileageDriven ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 4.569462924201300E-03 * IS ;
/* NOTE: HomeOwner_NO is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 7.007182928623600E-01 * HomeOwner_YES ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 1.499697786981000E+00 * Gender_Female ;
/* NOTE: Gender_Male is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 1.000109511872200E+00 * CarType_SPORT ;
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ + 4.989436512356800E-01 * CarType_TRUCK ;
/* NOTE: CarType_SEDAN is skipped because it is a redundant regressor. */
_XBETA_ = _XBETA_ - 1.233857684563600E-02 * AgeDriver ;

/* NOTE: MyPred_AmountLoss_WEIBULL = GAMMA(1 + 1/Tau) * Theta * EXP(_XBETA_) */
MyPred_AmountLoss_WEIBULL = 2.707248194039600E+04 * EXP(_XBETA_);

END;

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```

ELSE DO;

    /*****
    /* Set _WARN_ value
    *****/

    SUBSTR(_WARN_,1,1) = 'M';
END;

LABEL MyPred_AmountLoss_BURR = "Predicted Mean for the Burr Distribution" ;

LABEL MyPred_AmountLoss_EXP = "Predicted Mean for the Exponential Distribution" ;

LABEL MyPred_AmountLoss_GAMMA = "Predicted Mean for the Gamma Distribution" ;

LABEL MyPred_AmountLoss_GPD = "Predicted Mean for the Generalized Pareto
Distribution" ;

LABEL MyPred_AmountLoss_IGAUSS = "Predicted Mean for the Inverse Gaussian
Distribution" ;

LABEL MyPred_AmountLoss_LOGN = "Predicted Mean for the Lognormal Distribution" ;

LABEL MyPred_AmountLoss_PARETO = "Predicted Mean for the Pareto Distribution" ;

LABEL MyPred_AmountLoss_STWEEDIE = "Predicted Mean for the Tweedie Distribution
with Scale Parameter" ;

LABEL MyPred_AmountLoss_WEIBULL = "Predicted Mean for the Weibull Distribution" ;

DROP _nInputMiss _XBETA_;

/*****
/* End scoring code for SEVERITY
*****/

```

The following tables are a sampling of the output tables that are created by the example. For each distribution type, PROC SEVERITY creates these tables: Distribution

Information, Convergence Status, Optimization Summary, Fit Statistics, and Parameterization Estimation. The output displays the tables for the stweddie distribution.

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The SEVERITY Procedure

Input Data Set

| | |
|-------------|--------------|
| Name | SEVERITY.PHF |
|-------------|--------------|

Model Selection

| Distribution | Converged | -2 Log Likelihood | Selected |
|--------------|-----------|-------------------|----------|
| stweddie | Yes | 8686129 | No |
| Burr | Yes | 8690692 | No |
| Exp | Yes | 10242371 | No |
| Gamma | Yes | 8681780 | Yes |
| Igauss | Yes | 8686498 | No |
| Logn | Yes | 8686067 | No |
| Pareto | Yes | 10242384 | No |
| Gpd | Yes | 10242371 | No |
| Weibull | Yes | 8749362 | No |

**The SEVERITY Procedure
stweedie Distribution**

| Distribution Information | |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Name | stweedie |
| Description | Tweedie Distribution with Scale Parameter |
| Distribution Parameters | 3 |
| Regression Parameters | 7 |

| Convergence Status |
|---|
| Convergence criterion (GCONV=1E-8) satisfied. |

| Optimization Summary | |
|-------------------------------|--------------|
| Optimization Technique | Trust Region |
| Iterations | 4 |
| Function Calls | 22 |
| Log Likelihood | -4343064.7 |

| Fit Statistics | |
|---------------------------|-----------|
| -2 Log Likelihood | 8686129 |
| AIC | 8686149 |
| AICC | 8686149 |
| BIC | 8686263 |
| Kolmogorov-Smirnov | 273.53175 |
| Anderson-Darling | 9096662 |
| Cramer-von Mises | 30389 |

| Parameter Estimates | | | | |
|---------------------|----------|----------------|---------|----------------|
| Parameter | Estimate | Standard Error | t Value | Approx Pr > t |
| Theta | 40.79128 | 10.38232 | 3.93 | <.0001 |
| Lambda | 25.99009 | 0.25302 | 102.72 | <.0001 |
| P | 1.03743 | 0.00951 | 109.07 | <.0001 |
| AgeDriver | -0.01239 | 0.0000599 | -206.80 | <.0001 |
| CarType_TRUCK | 0.49916 | 0.0006506 | 767.27 | <.0001 |
| CarType_SPORT | 0.99980 | 0.0005676 | 1761.48 | <.0001 |
| Gender_Female | -1.49950 | 0.0004918 | -3049.2 | <.0001 |
| HomeOwner_YES | 0.70062 | 0.0005680 | 1233.52 | <.0001 |
| IS | -0.00457 | . | . | . |
| MileageDriven | 0.01346 | 0.0000709 | 189.82 | <.0001 |

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The CONTENTS Procedure

| | | | |
|---------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|--------|
| Data Set Name | SEVERITY.PHF_WPREDICTION | Observations | 648370 |
| Member Type | DATA | Variables | 24 |
| Engine | V9 | Indexes | 0 |
| Created | 05/15/2013 12:06:28 | Observation Length | 192 |
| Last Modified | 05/15/2013 12:06:28 | Deleted Observations | 0 |
| Protection | | Compressed | NO |
| Data Set Type | | Sorted | NO |
| Label | | | |
| Data Representation | WINDOWS_64 | | |
| Encoding | wlatin1 Western (Windows) | | |

| Engine/Host Dependent Information | |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| Data Set Page Size | 65536 |
| Number of Data Set Pages | 1908 |
| First Data Page | 1 |
| Max Obs per Page | 340 |
| Obs in First Data Page | 318 |
| Number of Data Set Repairs | 0 |
| ExtendObsCounter | YES |
| Filename | C:\Users\lemdev\Severity\phf_wprediction.sas7bdat |
| Release Created | 9.0401B0 |
| Host Created | X64_S08R2 |

| Alphabetic List of Variables and Attributes | | | | | |
|---|----------------------------|------|-----|---------|--|
| # | Variable | Type | Len | Format | Label |
| 1 | AgeDriver | Num | 8 | | Age of Driver |
| 2 | AmountLoss | Num | 8 | DOLLAR. | Amount of Loss in Dollars |
| 3 | CarType_SEDAN | Num | 8 | | Indicator of Car Type is Sedan |
| 4 | CarType_SPORT | Num | 8 | | Indicator of Car Type is Sport |
| 5 | CarType_TRUCK | Num | 8 | | Indicator of Car Type is Truck |
| 6 | EExp | Num | 8 | | Earned Exposure in Units of One Year |
| 7 | ExpYr | Num | 8 | | Exposure Year |
| 8 | Gender_Female | Num | 8 | | Indicator of Gender is Female |
| 9 | Gender_Male | Num | 8 | | Indicator of Gender is Male |
| 10 | HomeOwner_NO | Num | 8 | | Indicator of Home Ownership is No |
| 11 | HomeOwner_YES | Num | 8 | | Indicator of Home Ownership is Yes |
| 12 | IS | Num | 8 | | Insurance Score of Driver |
| 13 | MileageDriven | Num | 8 | | Mileage Driven in Units of 1,000 Miles |
| 16 | MyPred_AmountLoss_BURR | Num | 8 | | Predicted Mean for the Burr Distribution |
| 17 | MyPred_AmountLoss_EXP | Num | 8 | | Predicted Mean for the Exponential Distribution |
| 18 | MyPred_AmountLoss_GAMMA | Num | 8 | | Predicted Mean for the Gamma Distribution |
| 19 | MyPred_AmountLoss_GPD | Num | 8 | | Predicted Mean for the Generalized Pareto Distribution |
| 20 | MyPred_AmountLoss_IGAUSS | Num | 8 | | Predicted Mean for the Inverse Gaussian Distribution |
| 21 | MyPred_AmountLoss_LOGN | Num | 8 | | Predicted Mean for the Lognormal Distribution |
| 22 | MyPred_AmountLoss_PARETO | Num | 8 | | Predicted Mean for the Pareto Distribution |
| 23 | MyPred_AmountLoss_STWEEDIE | Num | 8 | | Predicted Mean for the Tweedie Distribution with Scale Parameter |
| 24 | MyPred_AmountLoss_WEIBULL | Num | 8 | | Predicted Mean for the Weibull Distribution |
| 14 | PolicyId | Num | 8 | | Policy Identifier |
| 15 | _WARN_ | Char | 4 | | Warnings |

Appendix 7

Model Templates

What is a Model Template?

Models that you import into SAS Decision Manager are associated with a specific model template. A model template has properties and component files that define a type of model. SAS Decision Manager processes four types of models: analytical, classification, prediction, and segmentation. You can create your own model template if your model requires files other than those named in the SAS Decision Manager templates.

A model template is an XML file that has three sections. The **General** section names and describes the model template. The **Properties** section provides properties to name the model algorithm, the modeler, and a model label. The **Files** section contains the component files that can be used in the template for that model function type. You associate your component file with the appropriate model template component file. Your component file filenames do not need to be the same name as the filenames in the model template.

Model templates provide you with a way to define metadata about your own model. Most users do not need to write model templates because SAS Decision Manager delivers a list of model templates that handle SAS Enterprise Miner models as well as analytical, prediction, classification, and segmentation models. However, you can write your own model templates if the model templates that are provided do not satisfy your requirements. For more information, see [“Manage Templates” on page 129](#).

Model Types

SAS Decision Manager provides model templates for analytical, classification, prediction, and segmentation models.

| Model Type | Description |
|----------------|---|
| Analytical | The Analytical model template is the most generic template that is designed for models whose model function does not fall in the prediction, classification, and segmentation category. |
| Classification | You use the Classification model template if your model is a prediction model that has a categorical, ordinal, or binary target, or if your model is a LOGISTIC procedure regression model. Examples of classification models are models that might classify a loan applicant as Approved or Not Approved, or models that might assess a potential customer's risk of default as Low, Medium, or High. |

| Model Type | Description |
|--------------|---|
| Prediction | The Prediction model template is used for predictive models. Predictive models declare in advance the outcome of an interval target. A model that assigns a numeric credit score to an applicant is an example of a prediction model. |
| Segmentation | The Segmentation model template is used for segmentation or cluster models that are written in SAS code. Segmentation models are unsupervised models that have no target variable. A segmentation or cluster model is designed to identify and form segments, or clusters, of individuals or observations that share some affinity for an attribute of interest. The output from a segmentation model is a set of cluster IDs. R models cannot have segmentation model function. |

Model Template Component Files

Here is a list of the component files that are associated with the model templates:

| Filename | Analytical | Classification | Prediction | Segmentation |
|--|------------|----------------|------------|--------------|
| IGN_STATS.csv on page 398 | — | ✓ | — | — |
| EMPublishScore.sas on page 398 | — | ✓ | — | — |
| Scorecard_GainsTable.csv on page 398 | — | ✓ | — | — |
| score.sas on page 398 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| modelinput.sas7bdat on page 398 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| modeloutput.sas7bdat on page 398 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| target.sas7bdat on page 399 | — | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| inputvar.xml on page 399 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| outputvar.xml on page 400 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| targetvar.xml on page 400 | — | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| smmpostcode.sas on page 401 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |

| Filename | Analytical | Classification | Prediction | Segmentation |
|---|------------|----------------|------------|--------------|
| trainingvariables.csv on page 401 | — | ✓ | — | — |
| training.sas on page 401 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| training.log on page 401 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| training.lst on page 401 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| outest.sas7bdat on page 401 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| outmodel.sas7bdat on page 401 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| output.spk on page 402 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| miningResult.spk on page 402 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| layout.xml on page 402 | — | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| format.sas7bcat on page 402 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| dataprep.sas on page 402 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| batch.sas on page 402 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| pmml.xml on page 402 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| training.r on page 402 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| outmodel.rda on page 402 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| score.r on page 402 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| fitstats.xml on page 402 | — | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| HPDMForest_VARIMPOR T.csv on page 402 | — | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| HPDMForest_ITERATIO N.csv on page 402 | — | ✓ | ✓ | — |
| outmdlfile.bin on page 402 | — | ✓ | ✓ | — |

IGN_STATS.csv

The value of IGN_STAT.csv is the name of a file whose values are separated by commas, and whose values are bin definitions for input variables. This is a component file that is generated by SAS Enterprise Miner for a scorecard model and is not needed for SAS code models.

EMPublishScore.sas

The value of EMPublishScore.sas is the name of a SAS code file that is used to change input variables into bins and is a component of a SAS Enterprise Miner scorecard model. This file is needed to define a performance task. This file is not needed for SAS code models.

Scorecard_GainsTable.csv

This file includes the bin score definitions and is not used in reporting by SAS Decision Manager. The file's content can be viewed by users.

score.sas

The value of score.sas is the name of a filename for the SAS score code for the model.

For R models, this file transforms a scoring data set to an R data frame.

The score.sas file is DATA step score code and is used as input by the SAS Scoring Accelerator when publishing a model to a database. When you are using the scoring function publish method, some SAS language elements and syntax are not supported when you create or modify your score code. Only the SAS language elements and syntax that are required to run critical data transformations and model scoring functions are available. If you use a statement or function that is not supported, an error occurs and your model is not published to the database. For more information, see “Considerations When Creating or Modifying DATA Step Score Code” in Chapter 2 of *SAS In-Database Products: User's Guide*.

modelinput.sas7bdat

The value of modelinput.sas7bdat is the name of a sample data set that is used to create an inputvar.xml file for the model if one does not exist. When no inputvar.xml file exists for the model, SAS Decision Manager creates the inputvar.xml file using the variable name and attributes in the modelinput.sas7bdat file. Observation values are not used. Therefore, the sample data set can have no observations or it can have any number of observations. If an inputvar.xml is specified in the model template, modelinput.sas7bdat is ignored.

When you import a SAS code model, the data set that you used to test your score code can be used as the value for the modelinput.sas7bdat file.

Note: If the same variables appear in your modelinput.sas7bdat file and your modeloutput.sas7bdat file, when you import the model, SAS Decision Manager removes the duplicate variables in the outputvar.xml file.

modeloutput.sas7bdat

The value of modeloutput.sas7bdat is the name of a sample data set that is used to create an outputvar.xml file for the model if one does not exist. When no outputvar.xml file exists for the model, SAS Decision Manager creates the outputvar.xml file using the variable name and attributes in the modeloutput.sas7bdat file. Observation values are not used. Therefore, the sample data set can have no observations or it can have any number of observations. If an outputvar.xml is specified in the model template, modeloutput.sas7bdat is ignored.

You can create a modeloutput.sas7bdat file by running the score.sas file against the modelinput.sas7bdat file.

target.sas7bdat

The value of target.sas7bdat is the name of a sample data set that is used to create a targetvar.xml file for the model if one does not exist. When no targetvar.xml file exists for the model, SAS Decision Manager creates the targetvar.xml file using the variable name and attributes in the target.sas7bdat file. Data set values are not used. Therefore, the sample data set can have no observations or it can have any number of observations. If a targetvar.xml file is specified in the model template, target.sas7bdat is ignored.

You can create a target.sas7bdat file by creating a data set that keeps only the target variables that are taken from the training data set, as in this example:

```
data mydir.target;
    set mydir.myModelTraining (obs=1)
    keep P_BAD;
run;
```

inputvar.xml

The value of inputvar.xml is the name of an XML file that defines the model input variables. When your model template includes a file for modelinput.sas7bdat, SAS Decision Manager creates the model inputvar.xml file. Otherwise, you must create the XML file.

The following XML file is a sample inputvar.xml file that has one variable, CLAGE. You can use this model to create an inputvar.xml file that contains a VARIABLE element for each model input variable.

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<TABLE>
  <VARIABLE>
    <NAME>CLAGE</NAME>
    <TYPE>N</TYPE>
    <LENGTH>8</LENGTH>
    <LABEL Missing=""/>
    <FORMAT Missing=""/>
    <LEVEL>INTERVAL</LEVEL>
    <ROLE>INPUT</ROLE>
  </VARIABLE>
</TABLE>
```

NAME

specifies the variable name.

TYPE

specifies the variable type. Valid values are N for numeric variables and C for character variables.

LENGTH

specifies the length of the variable.

LABEL Missing=""

specifies the character to use for missing values. The default character is a blank space.

FORMAT Missing=""

specifies a SAS format to format the variable.

LEVEL

specify either NOMINAL, ORDINAL, INTERVAL, or BINARY.

ROLE

specify INPUT for input variables.

outputvar.xml

The value of outputvar.xml is the name of an XML file that defines the model output variables. When your model template includes a file for modeloutput.sas7bdat, SAS Decision Manager creates the model outputvar.xml file. Otherwise, you must create the XML file.

The following XML file is a sample outputvar.xml file that has one variable, I_BAD. You can use this model to create an outputvar.xml file that contains a VARIABLE element for each model output variable.

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<TABLE>
  <VARIABLE>
    <NAME>I_BAD</NAME>
    <TYPE>C</TYPE>
    <LENGTH>12</LENGTH>
    <LABEL>Into: BAD</LABEL>
    <FORMAT Missing=" "/>
    <LEVEL>NOMINAL</LEVEL>
    <ROLE>CLASSIFICATION</ROLE>
  </VARIABLE>
</TABLE>
```

NAME

specifies the variable name.

TYPE

specifies the variable type. Valid values are N for numeric variables and C for character variables.

LENGTH

specifies the length of the variable.

LABEL Missing=""

specifies a label for the output variable.

FORMAT Missing=""

specifies a SAS format to format the variable.

LEVEL

specify either NOMINAL, ORDINAL, INTERVAL, or BINARY.

ROLE

specify the type of model output. Valid values are CLASSIFICATION, PREDICT, SEGMENT, and ASSESS.

targetvar.xml

The value of targetvar.xml is the name of an XML file that defines the model target variables. When your model template includes a file for target.sas7bdat, SAS Decision Manager creates the targetvar.xml file. Otherwise, you must create the XML file.

The following XML file is a sample targetvar.xml file that has one variable, I_BAD. You can use this model to create an outputvar.xml file that contains a VARIABLE element for each model output variable.

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<TABLE>
  <VARIABLE>
    <NAME>BAD</NAME>
    <TYPE>N</TYPE>
    <LENGTH>8</LENGTH>
```

```

        <LABEL>Missing="" />
        <FORMAT Missing="" />
        <LEVEL>BINARY</LEVEL>
        <ROLE>TARGET</ROLE>
    </VARIABLE>
</TABLE>

```

NAME

specifies the variable name.

TYPE

specifies the variable type. Valid values are N for numeric variables and C for character variables.

LENGTH

specifies the length of the variable.

LABEL Missing=""

specifies a label for the target variable.

FORMAT Missing=""

specifies a SAS format to format the variable.

LEVEL

specify either NOMINAL, ORDINAL, INTERVAL, or BINARY.

ROLE

specify TARGET.

smmpostcode.sas

SAS Decision Manager creates this file to document the mapping that the user specified between the model variables and the project variables.

trainingvariables.csv

This optional file contains a list of the training variables.

training.sas

This file is the optional SAS code that was used to train the model that you are importing. If at some time, SAS Decision Manager reporting utilities detect a shift in the distribution of model input data values or a drift in the model's predictive capabilities, the training.sas code can be used to retrain the model on the newer data. If it is not available at import time, the training.sas code can be added at a later point using the Add Local Files feature.

training.log

This file is the optional log file that was produced when the model that you are importing was trained. The information in the optional SAS training log can be helpful if the model must be retrained in the future.

training.lst

This file is the optional text output that is produced when the training.sas code is run. The information in the optional SAS training.lst table can be helpful if the model must be retrained in the future.

outest.sas7bdat

This data set contains output estimate parameters that are produced by a few SAS procedures, including the LOGISTIC procedure.

outmodel.sas7bdat

This data set contains output data that is produced by a few SAS procedures, including the LOGISTIC procedure and the ARBORETUM procedure. It contains complete information for later scoring by the same SAS procedure using the SCORE statement.

output.spk

This file is the SAS package file that contains the SPK collection of model component files.

miningresult.spk

This is a SAS package file that stores detailed information about SAS Enterprise Miner nodes in the flow from which the model is created and the detailed information for SAS/STAT item store models.

layout.xml

This optional file contains information about the SAS Enterprise Miner diagram topology.

format.sas7bcat

This file is the optional SAS formats catalog file that contains the user-defined formats for their training data. If the model that you are importing does not use a user-defined format, then you do not need to import a format.sas7bcat catalog file.

dataprep.sas

This file contains optional SAS code that is intended to be executed before each run of score code.

batch.sas

This file is created by SAS Enterprise Miner and is used for model retraining by SAS Decision Manager.

pmml.xml

This file contains score code in PMML format.

training.r

This is an optional R script file that is used to retrain R models in SAS Decision Manager.

outmodel.rda

SAS Decision Manager requires this file to save the output parameter estimate for R models.

score.r

This file is an R script that is used to predict new data.

fitstats.xml

This file is created by SAS Enterprise Miner and contains the basic Fit Statistics for the model.

HPDMForest_VARIMPORT.csv

This CSV file contains the variable importance data for a PROC HPFOREST model.

HPDMForest_ITERATION.csv

This CSV file contains statistics across each iteration of a PROC HPFOREST model.

OUTMDLFILE.bin

This is a binary file that contains the PROC HPFOREST model information to be used for scoring.

For information about preparing R model component files, see [Appendix 10, “R Model Support,” on page 447](#).

Model Template Properties

Template Properties

Here is a list of the general properties that define the model template.

| Property Name | Description |
|------------------------|---|
| Name | Identifies the name of the template. This property is required. The characters @ \ / * % # & \$ () ! ? < > ^ + ~ ` = { } [] ; : ' " cannot be used in the name. |
| Description | Specifies user-defined information about the template. |
| Type | Specifies the type of the model. SAS Decision Manager supports the following model types: <p>Analytical Model specifies the type of model that is associated with the Analytical model function.</p> <p>Classification Model specifies the type of model that is associated with the Classification model function.</p> <p>Prediction Model specifies the type of model that is associated with the Prediction model function.</p> <p>Clustering Model specifies the type of model that is associated with the Segmentation model function.</p> |
| Tool | Specifies a text value that describes which tool is used to produce this type of model. |
| Validate | Indicates that SAS Decision Manager verifies that all of the required files are present when users try to import a model. If validation fails, the model will not be successfully imported. |
| Display name | Specifies a text value that is displayed as the name of the model template. |
| Score code type | Specifies whether the imported model score code runs by using a DATA Step fragment, SAS Program code, or PMML . |

File List Properties

Here is a list of the File List properties that specify the files that are contained in a model.

| Property Name | Definition |
|--------------------|--|
| Name | Identifies the name of the file. This property is required. |
| Description | Specifies user-defined information about the file. |
| Required | When it is selected, indicates that the file is a required component file of the model that must be imported before using the model. |
| Report | When it is selected, indicates that the file is to be included in a SAS package file when a model is published to a channel. |

| Property Name | Definition |
|----------------|--|
| Type | Specifies a file whose type is text or binary. |
| Fileref | Specifies an eight-character (or fewer) SAS file reference to refer to this file in score.sas code. The fileref is assigned by SAS Decision Manager when a SAS job is submitted. |

Note: All user-defined models must have three files.

- score.sas is the model's score code.
- modelinput.sas7bdat is a SAS data set whose variables are used by the model score code. The contents of the data set is not used by SAS Decision Manager.
- modeloutput is a resulting data set when a user runs score.sas against modelinput.sas7bdat. The data set provides output variables that the model creates after a scoring test is executed. The contents of the data set is not used by SAS Decision Manager.

System and User Properties

Here is a list of the system-defined and user-defined properties for a model template. Users can set these properties when they import a model.

| Property Name | Description |
|----------------------|--|
| Name | Identifies the name of the property. This is a required field. |
| Description | Specifies user-defined information about the property. |
| Type | Specifies a property whose type is String or Date. |
| Edit | Indicates that the property can be modified when importing a model or after the model is imported. |
| Required | Indicates that the property is required. |
| Initial value | Specifies a text string for the initial value for the property. |
| Display name | Specifies a text value that is displayed as the name of the property. |

Specific Properties

Here is a list of specific properties for a model that identify the fundamental model data structures and some of the critical model life cycle dates. Where applicable, project-based or version-based data structures automatically populate properties for model-based data structures.

| Property Name | Description |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| Default scoring input table | Specifies a default SAS data set that is used as the input data table for all of scoring tests within the project. The model's Default scoring input table property inherits the property value from the associated version or project, if one is specified. |
| Default scoring output table | Specifies a default SAS data set that defines the variables to keep in the scoring results table and the scoring test output table. The model's Default scoring output table property inherits the property value from the associated version or project, if one is specified. |
| Default performance table | <p>Specifies the default performance table for all model performance monitoring tasks within a project.</p> <p>A model's Default performance table property inherits the property value from the associated version or project, if one is specified. If you do not specify a performance table, some of the monitoring reports might not be enabled.</p> |
| Default train table | The train table is optional and is used only as information. However, when a value is specified for a model's Default train table property. |
| Expiration date | Specifies a date property by which the selected model is obsolete or needs to be updated or replaced. This property is for informational purposes and is not associated with any computational action. This property is optional. |
| Model label | Specifies a text string that is used as a label for the selected model in model assessment charts. If no value is provided for the Model Label property, the text string that is specified for the Model Name property is used. The Model Label property can be useful if the Model Name property that is specified is too long for use in plots. This property is optional. |
| Subject | Specifies a text string that is used to provide an additional description for a model, such as a promotional or campaign code. This property is for informational purposes and is not associated with any computational action. This property is optional. |
| Algorithm | Specifies the computational algorithm that is used for the selected model. This property cannot be modified. |
| Function | Specifies the function class that was chosen when the associated project was created. The Function property specifies the type of output that models in the predictive model project generate. |

| Property Name | Description |
|---------------------------|---|
| Modeler | Specifies the Modeler ID or, when Modeler ID is missing, specifies the user ID of the individual who created the model that is stored in the SPK file for SAS Enterprise Miner models. Otherwise, the modeler can be specified during model import for local files. |
| Tool | Specifies whether the imported model came from SAS Enterprise Miner or from other modeling tools. |
| Tool version | Specifies the version number of the tool that is specified in the Tool property. |
| Score code type | <p>Specifies whether the imported model score code is a DATA step fragment, ready-to-run SAS code, or a PMML file. Valid values are DATA step, SAS Program, and PMML.</p> <p><i>Note:</i> If the model is created using PMML 4.0, the Score Code Type is DATA step and not PMML.</p> <p><i>Note:</i> SAS Decision Manager cannot publish models to a database whose Score Code Type model property is set to SAS Program and PMML.</p> |
| Template | Specifies the model template that was used to import the model and to create pointers to its component files and metadata. |
| Copied from | Specifies where the original model is if this model is copied from another model repository. |
| Target variable | Specifies the name of the target variable for a classification or prediction model. This property can be ignored for segmentation, cluster, and other models that do not use target variables. For example, if a model predicts when GENDER=M, then the target variable is GENDER . |
| Target event value | Specifies a value for the target event that the model attempts to predict. This property is used only when a value is specified for the Target Variable property. For example, if a model predicts when GENDER=M, then the target event value is M . |

Appendix 8

Project Tables

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Descriptions of Project Tables

Project Control Tables

A project control table is a data set that contains the projects, models, and segments that are used to create the structure of the projects within a portfolio. The project control table must at least contain a project variable with the name of project_name. If you want to monitor the performance of the champion models within a portfolio, then the project control table must also contain a segment ID variable. The segment ID variable must

also be in the performance tables that are used to monitor performance. If you want to include the models for each project when creating a portfolio, then the control table must also contain the model variable.

Project Input Tables

A project input table is an optional SAS data set that contains the champion model input variables and their attributes. It is a prototype table that can be used to define the project input variables and the variable attributes such as data type and length. A project can have numerous candidate models that use different predictor variables as input. Because the project input table must contain all champion model input variables, the variables in the project input table are a super set of all input variables that any candidate model in the project might use.

A project input table can have one or more observations. Data that is in a project input table is not used by SAS Decision Manager.

If you use a prototype table to define the project input variables, either create the table and register the table to the SAS Metadata Repository in the Data category view or by using SAS Management Console. Tables that are registered using the SAS Management Console must be made available to SAS Decision Manager using the Data category view.

The project input variables must be available to SAS Decision Manager either by specifying a project input table or by defining individual variables before you set a champion model. You can view input variables for a project on the **Input** tab of the project's **Variables** page, or in the Data category view.

Note: An alternative to using prototype tables to define the project input and output variables is to copy the variables from the champion or challenger model, or to modify the project variables. For more information, see [“Defining Project Input and Output Variables” on page 126](#).

See Also

- [“Defining Project Input and Output Variables” on page 126](#)
- [“Creating Project Input and Output Tables” on page 411](#)

Project Output Tables

A project output table is an optional SAS data set or database table that defines project output variables and variable attributes such as data type and length. It is a prototype table that contains a subset of the output variables that any model in the project might create.

A project output table can have one or more observations. Data that is in a project output table is not used by SAS Decision Manager.

If you use a prototype table to define the project output variables, either create the table and register the table to the SAS Metadata Repository in the Data category view or by using SAS Management Console. Tables that are registered using the SAS Management Console must be made available to SAS Decision Manager using the Data category view. For more information, see [Chapter 4, “Managing Data Tables,” on page 49](#).

The project output variables must be available to SAS Decision Manager either by specifying a project output table or by defining individual variables before you set a

champion model. You can view output variables for a project on the **Output** tab of the project's **Variables** page or in the Data category view.

Note: An alternative to using prototype tables to define the project input and output variables is to copy the variables from the champion or challenger model, or to modify the project variables. For more information, see [“Defining Project Input and Output Variables” on page 126](#).

See Also

- [“Defining Project Input and Output Variables” on page 126](#)
- [“Creating Project Input and Output Tables” on page 411](#)

Scoring Input Tables

A scoring input table is a SAS data set that contains the input data that is used in a scoring test.

Before you can create a scoring test, you must create a scoring input table and register it in the SAS Metadata Repository in the Data category view or by using SAS Management Console. Tables that are registered using the SAS Management Console must be made available to SAS Decision Manager using the Data category view. In SAS Decision Manager, you can view scoring input tables in the Data category view.

See Also

[“Creating Scoring Input and Output Tables” on page 413](#)

Scoring Output Tables

A scoring output table is used by a scoring test to define the variables for the scoring results table.

Depending on the mode in which a scoring test is run, the scoring output table can be a prototype table or a physical data table. A scoring test can run in test mode, which is the default mode, or it can run in production mode. In both test mode and production mode, a scoring test output table is used by the scoring test to define the structure of the scoring results table. When the scoring test runs, it creates a scoring results table. In test mode, the scoring results table is stored in the SAS Decision Manager model repository or on a local or network drive. You can view the scoring results table on the **Results** tab of the **Scoring** page for a project. The scoring output table in the SAS Metadata Repository or on a local or network drive is not updated in test mode. In production mode, the contents of the scoring output table in the SAS Metadata Repository or the local or network drive are replaced by the contents of the scoring results table. The scoring results table is not stored in the SAS Decision Manager model repository or on a local or network drive.

Before you can create a scoring test, the scoring output table must be added and accessible from the Data category view. To add the scoring output table to SAS Decision Manager, perform one of the following actions:

- Add the table manually by creating the table. Then, register the table in the SAS Metadata Repository in the Data category view or by using SAS Management Console.
- Use the Create a Scoring Output Table feature that is available from the toolbar on the project's **Models** page. When you use the Create a Scoring Output Table window, SAS Decision Manager creates the table in the library that is specified in the

Library box. The table is registered in the SAS Metadata Repository and is available in the Data category view.

You can view scoring output tables in the Data category view.

See Also

[“Creating Scoring Input and Output Tables” on page 413](#)

Train Tables

A train table is used to build predictive models. Whether your predictive models are created using SAS Enterprise Miner or you created SAS code models, you used a train table to build your predictive model. SAS Decision Manager uses this same train table. The train table must be registered in the SAS Metadata Repository and accessible to SAS Decision Manager in the Data category view.

You specify a train table as a version-level property. When you define the train table at the version level, the table can be used to build all predictive models that are defined on the **Models** page for a project.

In SAS Decision Manager, train tables are used for information purposes only with one exception. SAS Decision Manager uses train tables to validate scoring results immediately after you publish a scoring function or model scoring files, and if the **Validate scoring results** box is selected when you publish scoring functions or model scoring files to a database.

Note: A train table cannot contain an input variable name that starts with an underscore.

For information about registering a train table using the Data category view, see [Chapter 4, “Managing Data Tables,” on page 49](#).

Test Tables

A test table is used to create the Dynamic Lift report and the Interval Target Variable report that can be used to identify the champion model. Test tables are typically a subset of a train table, and they are identical in table structure to the corresponding train table. Update test tables by creating a new subset of the corresponding train table.

To view test tables in SAS Decision Manager, the tables must be registered in the SAS Metadata Repository. In SAS Decision Manager, you can view test tables in the Data category view.

After a test table is added to SAS Decision Manager, you can specify the table in the **Default test table** field in the project properties.

For information about registering test tables using the Data category view, see [Chapter 4, “Managing Data Tables,” on page 49](#).

See Also

[“Creating a Test Table” on page 414](#)

Performance Tables

A performance table is a SAS data set that is used as the input table for each SAS Decision Manager performance definition. A performance definition is used to monitor a champion model's performance by comparing the observed target variable values with the predicted target variable values. A performance table is a sampling of operational

data that is taken at a single point in time. Each time you run a performance definition, you use a new performance table to take a new sampling of the operational data. For example, a champion model is deployed to a production environment for the first time in March 2013. You might want to take a new sampling of the operational data in June 2013, September 2013, and January 2014. These new tables are performance tables in the context of SAS Decision Manager.

To view a performance table in SAS Decision Manager, you must register the tables in the SAS Metadata Repository using the Data category view or by using SAS Management Console. You can view performance tables in the Data category view. After a performance table is registered, you can specify the table in the **Default performance table** field in the project properties. The default performance table value at the project level is the default value for the **Performance data source** field in the Edit Performance Definition wizard.

Note: If you run SAS Decision Manager report macros outside of SAS Decision Manager to monitor a champion model's performance, the macros cannot access the performance tables in SAS Decision Manager to create model performance monitoring reports.

See Also

[“Creating a Performance Table” on page 414](#)

See Also

[“Remove a Table” on page 56](#)

Creating Project Input and Output Tables

Create a Project Input Table

You can create a project input table either from the train table that you used to develop your model, or you can define the project variables in a DATA step. The project input table must include the input variables that are used by the champion model. Therefore, if you have several candidate models for your project, make sure that all candidate model input variables are included in the project input table. If you create the project input table from the train table, be sure to exclude the target variable from the project input table.

Here is one method that you can use to create the project input table from the train table. Use the SET statement to specify the train table and the DROP or KEEP statements to specify the variables from the train table that you want in the project input table. You can drop the target variable or keep all variables except the target variable.

This DATA step creates the project input table from the train table and drops the target variable Bad:

```
data hmeqtabl.invars;
    set hmeqtabl.training (obs=1);
    drop bad;
run;
```

This DATA step creates the project input table from the train table and keeps all variables except for the target variable Bad:

```
data hmeqtabl.invars;
```

```

set hmeqtabl.training (obs=1);
keep mortdue reason delinq debinc yoj value ninq job clno derog clag loan;
run;

```

You can also create the project input table using the LENGTH statement to specify the variables and their type and length. You could also specify the LABEL, FORMAT, or INFORMAT statements, or the ATTRIB statement to specify additional variable attributes. The following DATA step uses the LENGTH statement to specify the project input variables in the table:

```

data hmeqtabl.invars;
  length mortdue 8 reason $7 delinq 8
        debinc 8 yoj 8 value 8
        ninq 8 job $7 clno 8 derog 8
        clag 8 loan 8;
run;

```

If you find that you need to modify the project input variables after you have created a project input table, you can use the project's **Variables** page to modify the project variables. For more information, see [“Defining Project Input and Output Variables” on page 126](#).

See Also

- *SAS 9.4 Statements: Reference*
- *SAS 9.4 Language Reference: Concepts*

Create a Project Output Table

You can create a project output table either from the train table that you used to develop your model, or you can define the project variables in a DATA step. The project output table includes only output variables that are created or modified by the champion model. Therefore, if you have several candidate models for your project, you must make sure that all project output variables are mapped to the champion model output variables.

To create the project output table using the training table, use the SET statement to specify the training table, and use the KEEP statement to specify the variables from the training table that you want in the project output table. The following DATA step creates the project output table Hmeqtabl.Outvars:

```

data hmeqtabl.outvars;
  set hmeqtabl.training (obs=1);
  %include "c:\temp\score.sas";
  keep score;
run;

```

The following DATA step creates the same project output table using the LENGTH statement to specify the output variable and its type and variable length:

```

data hmeqtabl.outvars;
  length score 8;
run;

```

If you find that you need to modify the project output variables after you have created a project output table, you can use the project's **Variables** page to modify the project variables. For more information, see [“Defining Project Input and Output Variables” on page 126](#).

Creating Scoring Input and Output Tables

About Scoring Input and Output Tables

The scoring input table is a data table whose input is used by the scoring test to score a single model. The scoring input table must contain the variables and input data for the variables that the model requires. Typically, a scoring table is identical to its corresponding train table except that the target variables in the train table are not included in the scoring table.

A scoring output table contains the data that is produced when you execute a scoring test. You can provide a scoring output table or you can create a scoring output table definition in SAS Decision Manager. When a scoring test is executed, SAS Decision Manager uses the scoring output table definition to create the scoring output table. The name of the scoring output table definition is used as the name of the scoring output table.

You can create a scoring output table definition by using the Create a Scoring Output Table function on the **Models** page. In the Create a Scoring Output Table window, you select variables from a scoring input table as well as variables from the model's output. The variables in the **Input Variables** table are variables from the scoring input table if one is specified for the **Default scoring input table** property for a project or model property. Otherwise, the **Input Variables** table is empty. The **Output Variables** that appear in the window are model output variables. You use the variables from both tables to create the scoring output table.

SAS Decision Manager saves the table definition as metadata in the SAS Metadata Repository. The location of the metadata is defined by the SAS library that you specify when you create the output table definition. After SAS Decision Manager creates the table definition, the table can be selected as the output table for subsequent scoring tests.

A SAS Decision Manager scoring test can run in test mode, which is the default mode, or it can run in production mode. When the test runs, it populates a scoring output table. In test mode, the scoring output table is stored in the SAS Decision Manager model repository. You view the table under the scoring test on the project's **Scoring** page. In production mode, if the scoring output table is a table that you provided, that table is updated. If you created a scoring test output definition, the scoring output table is located in the designated SAS library that you specified when you created the table definition in the Create a Scoring Output Table window. The production scoring output table is not stored in the SAS Decision Manager repository.

Create a Scoring Input Table

This DATA step creates a scoring test input table from customer data, keeping 500 rows from the train table:

```
data hmeqtabl.scorein;
    set hmeqtabl.customer (obs=500);
    keep mortdue reason delinq debinc yoj value ninq job clno derog clage loan;
run;
```

Create a Scoring Output Table

You can create a scoring output table using the Create a Scoring Output Table window that you open from the project's **Models** page. The Create a Scoring Output Table window enables you to select the variables that you want to include in your scoring output table. If the library that you select in the Create a Scoring Output Table window is a folder in the SAS Metadata Repository, SAS Decision Manager registers the table in the repository. You can view the table in the Data category view of SAS Decision Manager. For information, see [“Create Scoring Output Tables” on page 170](#).

You can also create a scoring output table using a DATA step to keep or drop variables from the train table.

The input variables that you might want to keep in the output data set are key variables for the table. Key variables contain unique information that distinguishes one row from another. An example would be a customer ID number.

This DATA step keeps the input variable CLNO, the client number, which is the key variable, and the output variable SCORE:

```
data hmeqtabl.scoreout;
    length clno 8 score 8;
run;
```

Creating a Test Table

The test table is used during model validation by the Dynamic Lift report. You can create a test table by taking a sampling of rows from the original train table, updated train table, or any model validation table that is set aside at model training time. This DATA step randomly selects approximately 25% of the train table to create the test table:

```
data hmeqtabl.test;
    set hmeqtabl.train;
    if ranuni(1234) < 0.25;
run;
```

See Also

[“Create a Dynamic Lift Report” on page 184](#)

Creating a Performance Table

About Performance Tables

Here are the requirements for a performance table:

- the input variables that you want reported in a Characteristic report
- if you have score code:
 - all input variables that are used by the champion model or challenger models
 - all output variables that are used by the champion model or challenger models

- if you have no score code:
 - the actual value of the dependent variable and the predicted score variable
 - all output variables that you want reported in a Stability Report

You create a performance table by taking a sampling of data from an operational data mart. Make sure that your sampling of data includes the target or response variables. The data that you sample must be prepared by using your extract, transform, and load business processes. When this step is complete, you can then use that data to create your performance table.

As part of the planning phase, you can determine how often you want to sample operational data to monitor the champion model performance. Ensure that the operational data that you sample and prepare represents the period that you want to monitor. For example, to monitor a model that determines whether a home equity loan could be bad, you might want to monitor the model every six months. To do this, you would have two performance tables a year. The first table might represent the data from January through June, and the second table might represent the data from July through December.

Here is another example. You might want to monitor the performance of a champion model that predicts the delinquency of credit card holders. In this case, you might want to monitor the champion model more frequently, possibly monthly. You would need to prepare a performance table for each month in order to monitor this champion model.

In addition to planning how often you sample the operational data, you can also plan how much data to sample and how to sample the data. Examples in this section show you two methods of sampling data and naming the performance tables. You can examine the sampling methods to determine which might be best for your organization.

Naming a Performance Table for Use with the Edit Performance Definition Wizard

The Edit Performance Definition wizard is a graphical interface to assist you in creating a performance definition to monitor the champion model performance. When you run the Edit Performance Definition wizard, you specify a performance table that has been registered to the SAS Metadata Repository. When you create a performance table, you can collect and name the performance table using a method that is most suitable for your business process.

See Also

[“Overview of Performance Monitoring” on page 217](#)

Create a Performance Table

You can use the following DATA steps as examples to create your performance tables.

This DATA step creates a performance table using 5,000 sequential observations from the operational data:

```
data hmeqtabl.perform;
    set hmeqop.JulDec (firstobs=12001 obs=17000);
run;
```

This DATA step creates a performance table from operational data for the past six months of the year. The IF statement creates a random sampling of approximately 10% of the operational data:

```
data hmeqtabl.perform;
  set hmeqop.JulDec;
  if ranuni(1234) < 0.1;
run;
```

Using Tables from a Local or Network Drive

About Using Tables from a Local or Network Drive

If you have migrated or upgraded from a previous release of SAS Decision Manager, the start-up code that enabled you to use tables from the local SAS Workspace Server or network drive is still available. In SAS Decision Manager 2.2 you can no longer use the Edit Start-up Code feature to define a libref to use tables on a local or network drive. In SAS Decision Manager 2.2 tables must be registered in the SAS Metadata Repository and accessible in the Data category view. If the libref was defined before you migrated or upgraded you can use the local or network tables to complete these SAS Decision Manager tasks:

- Create a project
- Create projects from a control table
- Specify project input and output variables
- Create a scoring test
- Create a model retrain definition
- Create reports
- Create a performance definition

The migrated start-up code that was migrated can be viewed using the Edit Start-up Code window. You can access this window from the **Actions** menu on the toolbar in the Projects and Portfolios category views.



Here is an example LIBNAME statement:

```
libname SalesLib 's:\sales\2013\october';
```

Edit Start-Up Code

To edit the start-up code:

1. Select **Actions** ⇒ **Edit Start-up Code**. The Edit Start-up Code window appears.



2. Enter the SAS code.
3. Click **Run Now**.
4. Click the **Log** tab to see the SAS log.
5. Click **OK**. The SAS code is saved in the Edit Start-up Code window.

Note: If you save the code without running it by clicking **OK**, the code automatically runs the next time the middle-tier server starts.

Delete a Libref

You delete a libref using the Edit Start-up Code window.

1. Select **Actions** ⇒ **Edit Start-up Code**
2. Type `libname libref clear.`
3. Click **Run Now**.

Appendix 9

Create Performance Reports Using Batch Programs

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Overview of SAS Programs to Monitor Model Performance

A SAS program that creates performance monitoring reports consists of three conceptual sections:

- The first section defines the report specifications that identify the project, the types of reports that you want to create, alert and warning conditions, and the date and time to run the batch jobs.
- The second section extracts the champion model from a publishing channel. Any batch job that creates performance monitoring reports must extract models from a publishing channel. The champion model must have been published to the channel from the project folder.
- The third section defines the operating environment and the performance data set. This section calls a SAS macro that creates the reports.

Note: SAS programs for performance monitoring reports can be run only for champion models. Performance monitoring reports for challenger models can be run only by creating a performance definition using SAS Decision Manager.

You define the report specifications by writing four DATA steps:

- `mm_jobs.project` defines the project specifications.
- `mm_jobs.emailaddr` defines the e-mail address where you send job, alert, and warning notifications.
- `mm_jobs.reportdef` defines which type of reports you want to create, and the alert and warning conditions for those reports.
- `mm_jobs.jobtime` defines the date and time to run the batch jobs.

After the report specification data sets have been created, you extract the champion model from the publishing channel to the local computer using the `%MM_GetModels()` macro. You set macro variables to define the operating environment, specify the performance data set, and run the `%MM_RunReports()` macro to create the reports.

You view the reports by selecting the project's **Performance** page in SAS Decision Manager. The reports are saved at the version level.

SAS Decision Manager provides the following performance monitoring macros:

- `%MM_GetModels()` extracts models from a publishing channel.
- `%MM_UpdateCharacteristicTable` creates a Characteristic report.
- `%MM_UpdateStabilityTable` creates a Stability report.
- `%MM_UpdateAssessmentTable` creates model monitoring reports.
- `%MM_RunReports()` sets the operating environment and runs the macros to create the reports.

Note: The macros are in the `modelmgr` catalog. The location of this catalog for Windows is `\sasinstalldir\SASFoundation\9.4\mmcommon\sashelp`. The default value for `sasinstalldir` in Windows is `C:\Program Files\SASHome`. The location of this file for UNIX is `/sasinstalldir/SASFoundation/9.4/sashelp`. The default value for `sasinstalldir` in UNIX is `/usr/local/SASHome`.

SAS provides example SAS programs in the sashelp.modelmgr catalog that you can modify for your environment.

Prerequisites for Running Batch Performance Reports

Overview of Prerequisites for Running Batch Performance Reports

Batch performance reporting requires you to complete several tasks before you can modify the example programs. After the following tasks have been completed, you are ready to modify the example programs:

- Ensure that the champion model has been published from the project folder.
- Create a folder structure on the local computer.

Note: The local computer and the folder that are used in the process of creating batch performance reports must be accessible to the batch performance program.

- Store performance data sets on the local computer.
- If you are using SAS example programs, copy the example programs to the local computer.
- Determine the channel that is used to publish the project or model.
- Determine a SAS Decision Manager user ID and password to authorize the batch processing.

Publish the Champion Model from the Project Folder

In order to run performance reports in batch, you must publish the champion model from the project folder. The SAS Decision Manager performance macros use project metadata when running performance reports.

Whenever you have a new champion model, you must publish the new champion model again.

Create a Folder Structure

Create a folder structure on your local computer to contain the report monitoring files. First, create a root folder to contain performance reporting files for one or more SAS Decision Manager projects. You might further organize your file structure by project. The examples in the following table use a classification of HMEQ for the files that are used to create home equity performance monitoring reports. Create folders to contain the following types of files:

| Folder Contents | Description | Example |
|-----------------|---|----------------------------------|
| job local path | Specifies the folder that contains the reporting specification data sets that are used by the %MM_RunReports() macro. | c:\mmReports\HMEQ \reportJobs |

| Folder Contents | Description | Example |
|------------------|--|--|
| report output | Specifies the folder that contains data sets and auxiliary files that are created during the creation of the performance reports when the %MM_RunReports() macro is run in test mode. | c:\mmReports\HMEQ\testReportOutput |
| performance data | Specifies the folder that contains the performance data sets for each time period. Performance data sets can be stored in a DBMS as well. If your performance data set is in a DBMS, then this folder is not necessary. | c:\mmReports\HMEQ\scoreIn |
| channel | Specifies the folder on the local computer to save the SPK file that is created during the processing of the %MM_GetModels() macro. The SPK file contains the model. When you publish a model to a channel, the published package is placed in this folder. A channel can be shared by multiple model projects. You can define the channel to any location as long as it can be accessed by the %MM_GetModels() macro. | c:\mmReports\HMEQ\channel2 |
| model | Specifies the folder to where the SPK model is extracted to by the %MM_GetModels() macro. The macro creates a \scorecode folder that contains the model score code and saves the data set current.sas7bdat, logs.sas7bdat, and processingspk.sas7bdat in the model folder. The current.sas7bdat data set contains project and model information that is used to create the performance monitoring reports. | c:\mmReports\HMEQ\model c:\mmReports\HMEQ\model\scorecode |

To ensure that your report data is not lost, regularly back up these report folders.

See Also

[“Report Output in Test and Production Modes” on page 424](#)

Obtain Performance Data

The performance data set is a snapshot of a data set that includes scoring input variables and one or more target variables. After the snapshot is available, store the data set in a performance data folder on the local computer.

See Also

[“Creating a Performance Table” on page 414](#)

Determine the Publish Channel

You can determine the channel that was used to publish the model by using one of these methods:

- Select the model and click the **History** tab. Look for a publish model entry. In this example, the channel name is **MMChannel**: May 29, 2013 4:55:11 PM[mdlmgradmin] "Tree1" was published to "MMChannel(sas-oma://RDCESX09147.race.sas.com:8561/reposid=A5DB5KPY/ITChannel;id=A5DB5KPY.BC000001)" successfully.
- Select the **MMRoot**, project, or version folder, and then select the **Publish History** tab. Look for the publish model entry and then select the entry to view the publish details. In this example, the channel name **MMChannel** that can be found from the value of **SAS destination location**. Here is an example: **/Channels/Model Manager Channels/MMChannel**.
- In SAS Management Console, click the **Plug-ins** tab and expand the following nodes under **SAS Management Console** to find the publishing channels that are used by SAS Decision Manager: **Environment Management** ⇒ **Publishing Framework** ⇒ **Foundation** ⇒ **Channels** ⇒ **Model Manager Channels**. You can attempt to extract the model using each of the publishing channels. Right-click the channel and select **Properties**. The channel path is located on the **Persistent Store** tab.

Note: If the **Plug-ins** tab does not appear in your view of SAS Management Console, contact your SAS administrator.

Note: A publish channel can be shared by multiple projects.

Copy Example Batch Programs

SAS provides several example programs that you can use to create a batch program that monitors the performance of the champion model. You can find the example programs in the sashelp.modelmgr catalog. The catalog includes these example programs:

| | |
|----------------|--|
| reportExample1 | contains example SAS code to extract a project or model from the channel using the %MM_GetModels() macro. |
| reportExample2 | contains DATA steps to create performance data that can be used to test the batch programs that create performance monitoring reports. |
| reportExample3 | contains example DATA steps to create the SAS data sets that contain report specifications, such as the project UUID and path, various input variables, the location of the performance data |

source, alert and warning conditions, and e-mail addresses for report notifications.

`reportExample4` contains an example program that are used to define the operating environment using macro variables. This program also contains the DATA steps that are used to create the reports.

You can copy these example programs to the job local path folder and you can modify them for your operating environment.

Determine SAS Decision Manager User ID and Password

The performance monitoring reports must specify a valid SAS Decision Manager user ID and password. The user ID can have any of the following roles:

- Model Manager User
- Model Manager Advanced User
- Model Manager Administrator

See Also

Chapter 5, “Configuring Users, Groups, and Roles,” in *SAS Decision Manager: Administrator's Guide*

Report Output in Test and Production Modes

Report Output in Test Mode

When you run the `%MM_RunReports()` macro, you can either run the report in Test mode or Production mode, by using the `_MM_ReportMode` macro variable.

To run in Test mode, ensure that you make the following assignments:

- In the DATA step `mm_jobs.project`, set the variable `testDestination=reportOutputPath`, where `reportOutputPath` is the report output folder on the local computer or network. This is the location that you defined when you completed the prerequisites for running batch performance jobs.
- In the `%MM_RunReports()` macro, set the macro variable `_MM_ReportMode=TEST`.

Test report output is then written to the local computer or network location. You can test your `%MM_RunReports()` macro any number of times without corrupting the integrity of your model repository. You can delete the contents of the report output folder and resubmit your macro as necessary.

To view the report output, you can copy the files from the report output folder to any version folder whose **Resources** folder is empty. A best practice would be to create a test version and copy the files to the test version **Resources** folder. After the files are in the **Resources** folder, you can select the **Performance** folder in the version to view the test output. If you do not create a test version, ensure that you delete the files from the **Resources** folder when you no longer need these files.

See Also

- [“Prerequisites for Running Batch Performance Reports” on page 421](#)

- “Manage Performance Data Sets” on page 239

Report Output in Production Mode

When you run the %MM_RunReports() macro in Production mode, ensure that you complete the following code changes:

- In the DATA step mm_jobs.project, remove the assignment of the variable testDestination=reportOutputPath.
- In the %MM_RunReports() macro, set the macro variable _MM_ReportMode=Production.

Production report output is written to the **Resources** folder in the default version of the project. To view the report output, you select the **Performance** folder in the default version.

Define the Report Specifications

Overview of Code to Define Report Specifications

Before you can create a monitoring report for a project, you must create several data sets that define the report specifications:

| | |
|-------------------|--|
| mm_jobs.project | defines the project information, such as the project UUID, project variables, and the model repository URL for the project. It is recommended that you create only one observation in this data set. |
| mm_jobs.emailaddr | defines the e-mail addresses for the recipients of job status and the notification flags for alert and warning notifications. |
| mm_jobs.reportdef | defines the types of reports to create and the warning and alert conditions that are associated with those reports. |
| mm_jobs.jobtime | defines the date and time to run the reports and a label that describes the time performance data set period. |

The code that you write to create the report specifications might need to be run only after it is created and only whenever it is modified. These data sets might not need to be created every time you want to create reports.

Required Libref

To create the report specifications, you need to define the following libref:

mm_jobs
defines the local path to the folder that contains the report job files.

Example: libname mm_jobs "c:\mmReports\HMEQ";

Project Specifications

DATA Step *mm_jobs.project*

This DATA step defines the project specifications.

```

/*****
/* DATA step mm_jobs.project          */
/*                                     */
/* Create a data set to initialize the  */
/* performance monitoring batch program */
/* project specifications              */
*****/

DATA mm_jobs.project;
    length testDestination %150
           projectuuid $36
           projectpath $2000
           projectAlias $50
           precode $32000
           isActive $1
           notes $500;

    isActive='Y';

/*****
/* Specify the destination for the report */
/* output when the report is run in TEST mode */
*****/

testDestination='reportOutputPath';

/*****
/* Specify the project UUID              */
*****/

projectuuid='projectuuid';

/*****
/* Map project specification variables to */
/* macro variables                      */
*****/

precode='
    %let _MM_EventProbVar=eventProbabilityVariable;
    %let _MM_TargetVar=targetVariable;
    %let _MM_TargetEvent=targeEventValue;
    %let _MM_ReportDataSrc=scoreIn.dataSetName;
    %let _MM_KeepVars=variablesToKeep;
    %let _MM_DropVars=variableToDrop;';

/*****
/* Specify the URL to the project in the model */
/* repository and a description of the project */
*****/

```

```

/*****/

projectPath='projectURL';
projectAlias='alternateProjectName';

run;

```

Variable Descriptions for mm_jobs.project

The following variables are used in the mm_jobs.project DATA step:

isActive='Y | N'

specifies whether to enable the project definitions. Valid values are Y (yes) and N (no). Specifying N means that project files do not need to be removed from the local computer to deactivate a project entry. Enclose the value of isActive in quotation marks.

Interaction: Always set isActive='Y' when the data set mm_jobs.project has only one observation.

testDestination='reportOutputPath';

specifies the local path that contains the output files that are created when the %MM_RunReports() macro report mode macro variable _MM_ReportMode is set to TEST. Enclose the value of testDestination in quotation marks.

Example: testDestination='c:\mmReports\HMEQ\testOutput';

See: [“Report Output in Test and Production Modes” on page 424](#)

projectuuid

specifies the universally unique identifier for a SAS Decision Manager modeling project. To obtain the project UUID, in the SAS Decision Manager, open a project and select System on the **Properties** page. You can copy the UUID from the UUID property. projectuuid is used to redirect reporting job output data sets to the appropriate project folders in the model repository when the %MM_RunReports() macro is run in Production mode.

Note: If you copy the UUID from SAS Decision Manager, you might need to remove leading text and spaces that are copied with the UUID.

precode='macroVariableDefinitions'

specifies the macro variables that are used by the %MM_RunReports() macro. Enclose the value of the precode variable in quotation marks.

%let _MM_EventProbVar=outputEventProbabilityVariable;

specifies the output event probability variable name. To obtain the name, select the project in the Project Tree and expand **Specific Properties**. Use one of the values for the **Output Event Probability Variable** property list box.

%let _MM_TargetVar=targetVariable;

specifies the target variable name. To obtain the name, select the project in the Project Tree and expand **Specific Properties**. The target event variable is found in the property **Training Target Variable**. If a target variable is not specified, see your performance data set or the model for the name of the target variable.

%let _MM_TargetEvent=targetEventValue;

specifies the target event value. To obtain the name, select the project in the Project Tree and expand **Specific Properties**. The value is found in the property **Target Event Value**. If a target event value is not specified, see your performance data set or the model to determine the value.

Requirement: The value of `_MM_TargetEvent` must be an unformatted, raw value even if the original target variable has a SAS format applied to it.

```
%let _MM_ReportDataSrc=scoreIn.dataSetName;
```

specifies the libref and the data set name for the performance data set that is being analyzed.

If you process multiple data sets at one time, you can specify a generic data set name in this macro definition. The generic data set name is used to process all performance data sets. Before you run the `%MM_RunReports()` macro, you should create a DATA step with the name `scoreIn.genericDataSetName`, where the only statement in the DATA step is the SET statement that specifies the performance data set to process.

```
%let _MM_KeepVars=variablesToKeep;
```

specifies one or more output variables, separated by a space, that are kept in the performance data source to create the Stability report data set.

```
%let _MM_DropVars=variablesToDrop;
```

specifies one or more input variables, separated by a space, that are dropped from the performance data source to create the Characteristic report data set.

```
projectPath='projectURL'
```

specifies the project URL. To obtain the project URL, select the project in the Project Tree and expand **System Properties**. You can copy the URL from the **URL** property. The project URL is used for information purposes only; it is not used to access project resources. `projectURL` is dynamically retrieved when the `%MM_RunReports()` macro runs. Enclose the value of `projectPath` in quotation marks.

Note: If you copy the URL from the window, you might need to remove leading text and spaces that are copied with the URL.

```
projectAlias='alternateProjectName'
```

specifies an alternate project name. The alternate project name can be used to help identify the project when the `projectPath` is long. If you do not have an alternate project name, you can leave this variable blank. Enclose the value of `projectAlias` in quotation marks.

```
notes='userNotes'
```

specifies any notes that the user might want to add to the project specifications. Enclose the value of `notes` in quotation marks.

E-mail Recipient Specifications

DATA Step `mm_jobs.emailaddr`

This DATA step defines the e-mail recipient specifications:

```

/*****/
/* DATA mm_jobs.emailaddr */
/* */
/* Create a data set that specifies the e-mail */
/* addresses of the users who will receive job */
/* status notification as well as warnings and */
/* alerts. */
/*****/

```

```
DATA mm_jobs.emailaddr;
```



```

length address $50 sendAlertWarning sendJobStatus $1;
address='e-mailAddress';
    sendAlertWarning='Y';
    sendJobStatus='N';
    output;
address='e-mailAddress';
    sendAlertWarning='Y';
    sendJobStatus='Y';
    output;
run;

```

Variable Descriptions for mm_jobs.emailaddr

The following variables are used in the mm_jobs.emailaddr DATA step:

address='e-mailAddress'

specifies the e-mail address of the user to receive job, alert, and warning notices. Enclose the value of address in quotation marks.

sendAlertWarning='Y | N'

specifies whether alert warning notifications are sent to the e-mail address specified in address. Valid values are Y (yes) and N (no). Enclose the value of sendAlertWarning in quotation marks.

sendJobStatus='Y | N'

specifies whether the job status report is sent to the e-mail address specified in address. Valid values are Y (yes) and N (no). Enclose Y or N in quotation marks.

Report Specifications

DATA Step mm_jobs.reportdef

This DATA step defines the type of reports to create, provides the macro syntax for the report type, and defines alert and warning specifications. You can specify one, two, or three report types in the DATA step. The %MM_RunReports() macro runs the reports that are defined in the mm_jobs.reportdef data set. For each type of report, assign the reportName, the macro, and alert and warning conditions.

```

/*****
/* DATA set mm_jobs.reportdef */
/*
/* Create a data set that defines the report */
/* metadata and alarm thresholds for the */
/* Characteristic, Stability, and Model Assessment */
/* reporting jobs. */
*****/

```

```

DATA mm_jobs.reportdef;
    length reportName $20
    macro $1000
    alertCondition $200
    warningCondition $200
    isActive $1
    notes $500;

    isActive='Y';

```

```

/*****
/* Characteristic Report */
*****/

reportName='Characteristic';
macro='
  %MM_UpdateCharacteristicTable(
    datasrc=&_MM_ReportDatasrc,
    dropVars=&_MM_DropVars;';

alertCondition='alertConditions';
warningCondition='warningConditions';
output;

/*****
/* Stability Report */
*****/

reportName='Stability';
macro='
  %MM_UpdateStabilityTable(
    datasrc=&_MM_ReportDatasrc,
    keepVars=&_MM_KeepVars;';

alertCondition='alertConditions';
warningCondition='warningConditions';
output;

/*****
/* Model Assessment Report */
*****/

reportName='Model Assessment';
macro='
  %MM_UpdateAssessmentTable(
    datasrc=&_MM_ReportDatasrc);';

alertCondition='alertConditions';
warningCondition='warningConditions';
output;
run;

```

Variable Descriptions for mm_job.reportdef

The following variable definitions are used in the mm_jobs.reportdef DATA step:

isActive

specifies whether to enable the report definitions. Valid values are Y (yes) and N (no). Specifying N means that a report definition file does not need to be removed from the local computer to deactivate a report definition entry.

Interaction: Always set isActive='Y' when the data set mm_jobs.project has only one observation.

reportName='reportName'

specifies the name of the report. The following are valid report types:

- Characteristic
- Stability
- Model Assessment

Enclose *reportName* in quotation marks. This argument is required.

`macro='macroDefinition';`

specifies the report macro that is executed when the %MM_RunReports() macro is executed. This argument is required.

`alertConditions='alertConditions';`

specifies an alert condition for the type of report. Enclose *alertConditions* in quotation marks. Here are example alert conditions for each type of report:

| Report Type | Example Alert Condition |
|------------------|---|
| Characteristic | <code>alertCondition='p1>5 or p25>0';</code> |
| Stability | <code>alertCondition='outputDeviation > 0.03';</code> |
| Model Assessment | <code>alertCondition='lift5Decay>0.15 and lift10Decay>0.12) or giniDecay>0.1 or ksDecay>0.1';</code> <code>alertCondition='msedecay > 20';</code> |

See also: see [“Performance Index Warnings and Alerts” on page 226](#).

`warningConditions='warningConditions';`

specifies a warning condition for the type of report. Enclose *warningConditions* in quotation marks.

| Report Type | Example Warning Condition |
|------------------|---|
| Characteristic | <code>warningCondition='p1>2';</code> |
| Stability | <code>alertCondition='outputDeviation > 0.01';</code> |
| Model Assessment | <code>warningCondition='lift5Decay>0.05';</code> <code>warningCondition='msedecay >10';</code> |

See also: see [“Performance Index Warnings and Alerts” on page 226](#).

`notes='userNotes';`

specifies a note to add to the report definition data set. Enclose *userNotes* in quotation marks.

%MM_UpdateCharacteristicTable() Macro

Here is the syntax for the %MM_UpdateCharacteristicTable() macro:

```
%MM_UpdateCharacteristicTable(datasrc=&_MM_ReportDatasrc,
<dropvars=&_MM_DropVars>);
```

`datasrc=&_MM_ReportDatasrc`
 specifies the macro variable that defines the performance data set that is used to create the Characteristic report.

`dropvars=&_MM_DropVars`
 specifies the macro variable that defines the input variables to drop from the performance data set. Consider dropping variables from the performance data set whose values do not need to be monitored.

%MM_UpdateStabilityTable() Macro

Here is the syntax for the %MM_UpdateStabilityTable() macro:

```
%MM_UpdateStabilityTable(datasrc=&_MM_ReportDatasrc,
<keepvars=&_MM_KeepVars>);
```

`datasrc=&_MM_ReportDatasrc`
 specifies the macro variable that defines the performance data set that is used to create the Stability report.

`keepvars=&_MM_KeepVars`
 specifies the macro variable that defines the output variables to keep in the performance data set. Consider keeping only the variables in the performance data set whose values are to be monitored.

%MM_UpdateAssessmentTable() Macro

Here is the syntax for the %MM_UpdateAssessmentTable() macro:

```
%MM_UpdateAssessmentTable(datasrc=&_MM_ReportDatasrc);
```

`datasrc=&_MM_ReportDatasrc`
 specifies the macro variable that defines the performance data set that is used to create the Model Assessment reports.

Job Scheduling Specifications

DATA Step mm_jobs.jobtime

This DATA step defines the dates and times that the data sets that underlie the performance monitoring reports are to be created or updated.

```

/*****
/* DATA step mm_jobs.jobtime                               */
/*                                                             */
/* Define the report schedule by specifying the               */
/* dates and times for each incremental reporting            */
/* interval. You can schedule as many jobs as you           */
/* would like. The following jobs are scheduled to          */
/* run one second before midnight on the dates              */
/* listed below.                                             */
*****/

```

```

DATA mm_jobs.jobtime;
  length scheduledTime $18 time $10;
  scheduledTime='dateTime';time='timePeriodLabel';output;
run;

```

Variable Descriptions for *mm_jobs.jobtime*

Here are the variables that are used in the DATA step *mm_jobs.jobtime*:

scheduledTime='dateTime'

specifies the date and time to run the report. The value of *scheduledTime* must be in the form *ddmmmyyyy:hh:mm:ss* where *dd* is a two-digit year, *mmm* is the first three letters of the month, *yyyy* is a four-digit year, *hh* is a two-digit hour, *mm* is a two-digit minute, and *ss* is a two-digit second. Enclose *dateTime* in quotation marks.

The values of *scheduledTime* are used by the %MM_RunReports() macro, rather than by your job scheduler. Each time that the %MM_RunReports() macro runs, it checks the values of the *scheduleTime* variable. If the scheduled time has passed, the report runs. If it has not passed, the performance data sets are not created.

Example: **scheduledTime='03Jun2012:23:59:00';**

time='timePeriodLabel'

specifies a label that represents the time period for which the performance data was collected. Enclose *timePeriodLabel* in quotation marks. Use short and clear labels to create charts that can be easily read.

Example: **time='2012Q4';**

Example Code to Create the Report Specifications

This example creates a single SAS program to create the report specification data sets. After you copy the example code from the sashelp.modelmgr library, you providing values for the required variables and macros. The variable and macro names are highlighted in the example code to identify the values that you would modify to create the report specifications.

```
/* Source file name: sashelp.modelmgr.reportExample3.source */

LIBNAME mm_jobs 'c:\mm.test\report.auto';

/*****
/* DATA step mm_jobs.project                               */
/*                                                         */
/* Create a data set to initialize the                      */
/* performance monitoring report batch                     */
/* job project specification metadata and                  */
/* report precode metadata.                                */
*****/

DATA mm_jobs.project;
  length testDestination $50
         projectuuid $36
         projectpath $200
         projectAlias $50
         precode $32000
         isActive $1
         notes $500;

  isActive='Y';

/*****
/* Specify the destination path for the report */
/* and the universal unique ID for the project */
```

```

/*****/

testDestination=
    'c:\mm.test\report.test.output\project_123';
projectuuid=
    '8817ea06-0a28-0c10-0034-68f4ba396538';

/*****/
/* The precode section uses macro variables to */
/* map individual model metadata components */
/* to their respective variables, target event */
/* values, and data used to create the report. */
/*****/

precode='
    %let _MM_EventProbVar=p_bad1;
    %let _MM_TargetVar=bad;
    %let _MM_TargetEvent=1;
    %let _MM_ReportDataSrc=scoreIn.hmeq0;
    %let _MM_KeepVars=p_bad1;
    %let _MM_DropVars=bad job;
';

/*****/
/* Specify the path to the project and provide */
/* an Alias name for the project reports. */
/*****/

projectPath=
    'http://myserver:8080/ModelManager/MMRoot/demo/Creditcardpromotion';
projectAlias=
    'credit risk for younger customers';
run;

/*****/
/* DATA set mm_jobs.emailaddr */
/* */
/* Create a data set that specifies the e-mail */
/* recipient notification list, and whether to */
/* send the alert, warning, and job status */
/* notifications. */
/*****/

DATA mm_jobs.emailaddr;
    length address $50 sendAlertWarning sendJobStatus $1;
    address='recipient1@mail.com';
    sendAlertWarning='Y';
    sendJobStatus='N';
    output;
    address='recipient2@mail.com';
    sendAlertWarning='Y';
    sendJobStatus='Y';
    output;
run;

/*****/

```

```

/* DATA set mm_jobs.reportdef */
/* */
/* Create a data set that defines the report */
/* metadata and alarm thresholds for the */
/* Characteristic, Stability, and Model Assessment */
/* reporting jobs. */
/*****/

DATA mm_jobs.reportdef;
  length reportName $20
    macro $1000
    alertCondition $200
    warningCondition $200
    isActive $1
    notes $500;

  isActive='Y';

  /*****/
  /* Characteristic Report */
  /*****/

  reportName='Characteristic';
  macro='
    %MM_UpdateCharacteristicTable(
      datasrc=&_MM_ReportDatasrc,
      dropVars=&_MM_DropVars;';

  alertCondition='p1>5 or p25>0';
  warningCondition='p1>2';
  output;

  /*****/
  /* Stability Report */
  /*****/

  reportName='Stability';
  macro='
    %MM_UpdateStabilityTable(
      datasrc=&_MM_ReportDatasrc,
      keepVars=&_MM_KeepVars;';

  alertCondition='outputDeviation > 0.03';
  warningCondition='outputDeviation > 0.01';
  output;

  /*****/
  /* Model Assessment Report */
  /*****/

  reportName='Model Assessment';
  macro='
    %MM_UpdateAssessmentTable(
      datasrc=&_MM_ReportDatasrc);';

  alertCondition='

```

```

(lift5Decay>0.15 and lift10Decay>0.12)
or giniDecay>0.1
or ksDecay>0.1';
warningCondition='lift5Decay>0.05';
output;
run;

/*****
/* DATA step mm_jobs.jobtime
/*
/* Define the report schedule by specifying the
/* dates and times for each incremental reporting
/* interval. The jobs below are scheduled to run
/* one second before midnight on the dates listed
/* below.
/*
/* For each scheduledTime variable you need a
/* separate DATA step to execute whose SET
/* statement names the appropriate performance
/* data source.
*****/

DATA mm_jobs.jobtime;
    length scheduledTime $18 Time $10;
    scheduledTime='01OCT2012:23:59:59';time='2012Q3';output;
    scheduledTime='01JAN2013:23:59:59';time='2012Q4';output;
    scheduledTime='01APR2013:23:59:59';time='2013Q1';output;
    scheduledTime='01JUL2013:23:59:59';time='2013Q2';output;
    scheduledTime='01OCT2013:23:59:59';time='2013Q3';output;

run;

```

See Also

- [“Extracting the Champion Model from a Channel” on page 436](#)
- [“SAS Code to Run Performance Reports” on page 439](#)

Extracting the Champion Model from a Channel

Using the %MM_GetModels() Macro

Before you run the %MM_RunReports() macro, you must extract the model from the publishing channel to a local computer. The model must have been published to the channel from the project folder. The %MM_GetModels() macro extracts models and auxiliary files from a SAS Publishing Framework SPK file to the local computer. All models that were published to the specified channel are included in the SPK file for a given modeling project. If a model has been published multiple times over the channel, the latest model is used in the extraction. The macro then extracts the files from the SPK file to their respective folders on the local computer. The auxiliary files are extracted to the model folder and the model score code is extracted to a folder named \scorecode, which the macro creates as a subfolder of the model folder.

Note: You can run the %MM_GetModels() macro when no new model has been published to the channel for a modeling project.

The auxiliary files include three SAS data sets:

- current.sas7bdat contains project and model metadata
- logs.sas7bdat contains the SAS logs that were created during the model extraction process
- processingspk.sas7bdat contains information that is necessary to process the SPK file

The models in the \scorecode folder are named using the project UUID as the model folder name. The %MM_RunReports() macro uses the mm_jobs.project data set to determine the project UUID. The project UUID is then used as the name of the model on the local computer for scoring when the performance monitoring reports are created.

The current data set contains project and model information and is used by the %MM_RunReports() macro. To ensure that the %MM_RunReports() macro is using the most current project and model metadata, always run the %MM_GetModels() macro before you run the %MM_RunReports() macro. For a list of the information that is contained in the current data set, see “[The current.sas7bdat Data Set](#)” on page 438.

Accessing Model Management Report Macros

The %MM_RunReports() macro, the %MM_GetModel() macro, and all other Model Management macros are available in the catalog sashelp.modelmgr.reportmacros.source. Use the following FILENAME statement to make these macros available to your program:

```
filename repmacro catalog 'sashelp.modelmgr.reportmacros.source';
%inc repmacro;
```

%MM_GetModels() Macro Syntax

Here is the syntax for the %MM_GetMacros() macro:

%MM_GetModels(channel=channelPathlocalPath=localModelPath);

channel=channelPath

specifies the path of the channel to extract the models from. To obtain the channel path, see “[Determine the Publish Channel](#)” on page 423. Do not enclose the value of channel in quotation marks.

Note: The %MM_GetModels() macro supports only publishing channels that have a persistent store type of **Archive**.

localPath=localModelPath

specifies a folder on the local computer to where the model and auxiliary files are extracted from the SPK file. Do not enclose localModelPath in quotation marks.

Example Program to Extract a Model from a Channel

The following SAS code uses the %MM_GetModel macro to extract a champion model from a channel.

```
%let _MM_Service_Registry_URL=
  %nrstr(http://myServer:80/SASWIPClientAccess/remote/Ser
```

```

viceRegistry);

/* Source file name: sashelp.modelmgr.reportExample1.source */

FILENAME mmmac
    catalog 'sashelp.modelmgr.reportmacros.source';
%inc mmmac;

%MM_GetModels(
    channel=\\network1\MMChampion\channel1,
    localPath=c:\mm.test\model.extraction);

```

The current.sas7bdat Data Set

When models are extracted from a publishing channel, the current.sas7bdat data set contains the following information for each model:

| Variable Name for the Project or Model Information | Description |
|--|---|
| algorithm | The algorithm that was used to create the model |
| fileName | Not used |
| isChampionModel | True or False to indicate whether the model is the champion model |
| keyWords | Keywords |
| miningFunction | The type of mining function, such as classification, prediction, segmentation |
| model | Not used |
| modeler | The name of the person who created the model |
| modelName | The name of the model |
| modelProductionTimestamp | The time at which the model was declared as a production model |
| modelTool | The name of the tool that was used to train the model |
| modelUUID | The UUID for the model |
| nodeDescription | Not used |
| projectPath | The project URL |
| project UUID | The UUID for the project |
| repository | The repository URL |

| Variable Name for the Project or Model Information | Description |
|--|--|
| scoreCodeType | DATA Step or SAS Program |
| subject | The subject name |
| targetName | The Training Target Variable name |
| userAttr | User-defined attributes, such as "MODELER='sasguest' MODELPROJECTVARMAP='predictedProbability eq P_BAD1; predictedClass eq I_BAD'; " |
| versionName | The name of the version that contains the model |
| whenPublished | The date and time at which the project or model was published to the channel |
| whoPublished | The user who published the model |

See Also

- [“Define the Report Specifications” on page 425](#)
- [“SAS Code to Run Performance Reports” on page 439](#)

SAS Code to Run Performance Reports

Overview of the SAS Code to Run the Performance Reports

After you have created the data sets that define the report specifications and have extracted the model from the publishing channel, you then run the %MM_RunReports() macro to create the reports for one or more time periods. Using the data sets that were created to define the report specifications, the %MM_RunReports() macro uses the report specifications to create the reports. The report specifications include the type of report to create, such as characteristic, stability, or model assessment. Other report specifications include the target variable, the libref, and the data set name that is used as the performance data source, variables to keep and drop from reports, e-mail addresses to send report notifications, and performance index warnings and alerts.

To run the %MM_RunReports() macro, your code must accomplish the following tasks:

- access the reporting macros
- define the librefs and the macro variables that are required by the %MM_RunReports() macro
- specify the performance data set to process. To do this, execute a DATA step before each %MM_RunReports() macro

To ensure that you have the latest model, extract the model from the channel each time you create the performance reports. For this reason, you could combine into one SAS program the extraction process and the code to run the reports.

If you run a set of batch jobs every night, you could include this batch job with that set of batch jobs. The reports would be created only after the scheduled date and time that is specified in the `mm_jobs.jobtime` data set.

The following sections describe each of these components of your SAS program. The last section is an example of a program that is used to test the `%MM_RunReports()` macro.

Accessing Model Management Report Macros

The `%MM_RunReports()` macro, the `%MM_GetModel()` macro, and all other Model Management macros are available in the catalog `sashelp.modelmgr.reportmacros.source`. Use the following `FILENAME` statement to make these macros available to your program:

```
filename repmacro catalog 'sashelp.modelmgr.reportmacros.source';
%inc repmacro;
```

Required Librefs

The following librefs are required in your report monitoring program:

`mm_jobs`

defines the local path to the folder that contains the report job files.

Example: `libname mm_jobs "c:\mmReports\HMEQ";`

`mm_meta`

defines the local path to the folder that stores the data sets that are created from running the `%MM_GetModels()` macro. The value of this libref must have the same value as the `localPath` argument for the `%MM_GetModels()` macro.

Example: `libname mm_meta "c:\mmReports\HMEQ\model";`

`scoreIn`

specifies a user-defined libref that points to the local path that contains the performance data sources.

Interaction: You can use this libref when you set the value of Model Management macro variables, such as `_MM_ReportDataSrc`, in the precode variable of the `mm_jobs.project` data set. Here is an example: `%let _MM_ReportDataSrc=scoreIn.foo.`

Example: `libname scoreIn "c:\mmReports\project1\perfdatasets";`

Macro Variables to Define Report Local Folders and Data Sets

Define the following macro variables in your report monitoring program. Then define the location of the job and model on the local computer:

`_MM_JobLocalPath`

specifies the path on the local computer that contains the root folder for the reporting files of a given modeling project.

Example: `%let _MM_JobLocalPath=c:\mmReports\HMEQ1;`

_MM_ModelLocalPath

specifies the path on the local computer that contains the model after it has been extracted from the SAS Metadata Repository.

Example: `%let _MM_ModelLocalPath=c:\mmReports\HMEQ\model;`

mapTable

specifies a libref and data set in the form *libref.dataSet* that contains the mapping of the project output variables to the model output variables. When the model is extracted from the channel, the data set `current.sas7bdat` is extracted to the folder that contains the model. Use this data set as the value of `mapTable`.

Example: `mapTable=mm_meta.current`. The data set name `current` is arbitrary. It is recommended that you use the name `current`.

For a description of the macro variables, see [“Macro Variables” on page 333](#).

Macro Variables That Are Used by the %MM_RunReports() Macro

Required Macro Variables

The following macro variables are required to run the `%MM_RunReports()` macro:

_MM_ServiceRegistry_URL

specifies the service registry to set the environment.

Example: `%let _MM_Service_Registry_URL=%nrstr(http://myServer:80/SASWIPClientAccess/remote/ServiceRegistry);`

_MM_User

specifies a valid user.

_MM_Password

specifies the password for the user who is identified in the `_MM_User` macro variable.

See: [“Encoding SAS Decision Manager User Passwords” on page 442](#)

For a description of the macro variables, see [“Macro Variables” on page 333](#).

Optional Macro Variable

The example programs use the following global macro variable, which you might find useful in your report monitoring program:

_MM_ReportMode

specifies the mode to run the `%MM_RunReports()` macro. Valid values are `TEST` and `PRODUCTION`. The default value is `PRODUCTION`. You might want to use a value of `TEST` while you are testing your program. When the value is `TEST`, the report output files are written to the local computer. When the value is `PRODUCTION`, the report output files are written to the appropriate project folders in the model repository.

Interaction: If `_MM_ReportMode` is set to `TEST`, you must supply a value for the `testDestination` variable in the `mm_jobs.project` data set.

Example: `%let _MM_ReportMode=TEST;`

For a description of the macro variables, see [“Macro Variables” on page 333](#).

Encoding SAS Decision Manager User Passwords

Each time that you run a SAS program to be processed by SAS Decision Manager, you specify a user ID and assign the user's password to the global macro variable `_MM_Password`. In order to not store passwords in clear text, you can use the `PWENCODE` procedure to encode a password and store it in a file, in a network-accessible directory. Then, in your SAS program, you create a fileref to the network file that contains the encoded password and you use a `DATA` step to assign the encoded password to the `_MM_Password` global macro variable.

In a separate SAS program, encode your password:

```
filename pwfile "my-network-path\pwfile";

proc pwencode in="12345" out=pwfile;
run;
```

In your SAS program, use a `DATA` step to access the encoded password file:

```
filename pwfile "my-network-path\pwfile";
%let _MM_User=mmuser1;
data _null_;
  infile pwfile obs=1 length=1;
  input @;
  input @1 line $varying1024. 1;
  call symput('_MM_Password', substr(line,1,1));
run;
```

The DATA Step to Access the Performance Data Set

You use a `DATA` step to access the performance data set before you run the `%MM_RunReports()` macro:

```
DATA libref.dataStepName;
  set libref.performanceDataSetName;
run;
```

Here is an example of a `DATA` step to access the performance data set:

```
DATA scoreIn.hmeq;
  set scoreIn.hmeq_2013q1;
run;
```

The %MM_RunReports() Macro**Description of the %MM_RunReports() Macro**

You use the `%MM_RunReports()` macro to create or update the data sets that underlie the performance monitoring reports. Before each `%MM_RunReports()` macro that you specify in your program, you might want to update the performance data set by including a `DATA` step that accesses the performance data set input file.

The `%MM_RunReports()` macro uses the data sets that are stored in the library that is specified by the `mm_jobs` libref. These data sets define the report specifications and are the data sets that are created in the report specification program. For more information about the report specification program, see [“Define the Report Specifications” on page 425](#).

Syntax

Use the following syntax for the %MM_RunReports() macro:

```
%MM_RunReports(localPath=&_MM_JobLocalPath, mapTable=&mapTable,
               user=&_MM_User, password=&_MM_Password, <currentTime=&currentTime>);
```

Syntax Description

localPath=&_MM_ModelLocalPath

specifies the path on the local computer to the location where the %MM_GetModels() macro stores the files extracted from the channel. The %MM_RunReports() macro retrieves the score code from the score code folder, which is a subfolder of &_MM_ModelLocalPath.

Example: **localPath=&_MM_ModelLocalPath**

mapTable=&mapTable

specifies the name of the data set that contains metadata about the extracted model. mapTable is the data set named current.sas7bdat that is created when the model is extracted using the %MM_GetModels() macro. No modification of this argument is necessary.

Example: **mapTable=&mapTable**

user=&_MM_User

specifies a valid user. Use the macro variable that defines the valid user.

Example: **user=&_MM_User**

password=&_MM_Password

specifies the password for _MM_User. Use the _MM_Password global macro variable that defines the password for the user. The value of _MM_Password is a text string.

Example: **password=&_MM_Password**

See: [“Encoding SAS Decision Manager User Passwords” on page 442](#)

currentTime=currentTime

specifies a time to use for the current time. Use this argument for testing the %MM_RunReports() macro. You do not need to specify an argument for currentTime when you run the macro in a production environment, where the system timestamp is used as a value for currentTime.

The value of currentTime must be in the form *ddmmmyyyy:hh:mm:ss* where *dd* is a two-digit year, *mmm* is the first three letters of the month, *yyyy* is a four-digit year, *hh* is a two-digit hour, *mm* is a two-digit minute, and *ss* is a two-digit second.

Example: **currentTime=03Jul2013:12:15:30**

Example %MM_RunReports() Macro

The following code is an example of using the %MM_RunReports() macro:

```
%MM_RunReports(
  localPath=&_MM_ModelLocalPath,
  mapTable=&mapTable,
  user=&_MM_User,
  password=&_MM_Password);
```

Example Code to Run the Reports

The following example program defines the librefs and macro variables to test the %MM_RunReports() macro's ability to assess home equity performance data for multiple time periods. Before this section of code can be run, the report specifications must be defined in SAS data sets and the model must be extracted from the publishing channel. For more information, see [“Define the Report Specifications” on page 425](#) and [“Extracting the Champion Model from a Channel” on page 436](#).

The example program sets the current time to a time that would trigger the creation of data sets or the updating of data sets that underlie the model monitoring reports. When you run your batch program in a production environment, you do not need a variable to set the current time. When no value is set for the current time, the %MM_RunReports() macro uses the system timestamp as the value of the current time variable.

The highlighted values are user-supplied values.

```
/* Source file name: sashelp.modelmgr.reportExample4.source */

FILENAME repmacro catalog 'sashelp.modelmgr.reportmacros.source';
%inc repmacro;

/* Fileref to the encoded password */

FILENAME pwfile "my-network-path\pwfile";

/*****
/* Specify the report execution metadata and */
/* configure the _MM_ macro variables to run the */
/* report job in TEST mode. */
*****/

%let _MM_ReportMode=TEST;
%let _MM_User=mmuser1;
data _null_;
    infile pwfile obs=1 length=1;
    input @;
    input @1 line $varying1024. 1;
    call symput('_MM_Password',substr(line,1,1));
run;
;

%let _mm_Service_Registry_URL=
    %nrstr(http://myServer:80/SASWIBClientAccess/remote/ServiceRegistry);
%let _MM_PathMayChange=Y;

%let _MM_JobLocalPath=c:\mm.test\report.auto;
%let _MM_ModelLocalPath=c:\mm.test\model.extraction;

LIBNAME mm_jobs "&_MM_JobLocalPath";
LIBNAME mm_meta "&_MM_ModelLocalPath";
LIBNAME scoreIn 'c:\mm.test\score.in';

%let mapTable=mm_meta.current;

/*****/
```



```

/* DATA step scoreIn.hmeq0 */
/* */
/* First, run the 2012Q4 report. It is necessary to */
/* artificially declare a "currentTime" argument */
/* of 01Jan2013 in order to trigger the report */
/* execution scheduled for the 2012Q4 interval. */
/* ***** */

DATA scoreIn.hmeq0;
    set scoreIn.hmeq_2012Q4;
run;

%let currentTime=01Jan2013:12:30:15;
%MM_RunReports(
    localpath=&_MM_JobLocalPath,
    currentTime=&currentTime,
    mapTable=&mapTable,
    user=&_MM_User,
    password=&_MM_Password);

/* ***** */
/* Now, run the 2012Q1 report. It is necessary to */
/* artificially declare a "currentTime" argument */
/* of 03Apr2012 in order to trigger the report */
/* execution scheduled for the 2012Q1 interval. */
/* ***** */

DATA scoreIn.hmeq0;
    set scoreIn.hmeq_2012q1;
run;

%let currentTime=03Apr2012:12:30:15;
%MM_RunReports(
    localpath=&_MM_JobLocalPath,
    currentTime=&currentTime,
    mapTable=&mapTable,
    user=&_MM_User,
    password=&_MM_Password);

/* ***** */
/* Now, run the 2012Q2 report. It is necessary to */
/* artificially declare a "currentTime" argument */
/* of 03Jul2012 in order to trigger the report */
/* execution scheduled for the 2012Q2 interval. */
/* ***** */

DATA scoreIn.hmeq0;
    set scoreIn.hmeq_2012q2;
run;

%let currentTime=03Jul2012:12:30:15;
%MM_RunReports(
    localpath=&_MM_JobLocalPath,
    currentTime=&currentTime,
    mapTable=&mapTable,
    user=&_MM_User,

```

```

password=&_MM_Password);

/*****
/* Now, run the 2012Q3 report. It is necessary to */
/* artificially declare a "currentTime" argument */
/* of 03Oct2012 in order to trigger the report */
/* execution scheduled for the 2012Q3 interval. */
*****/

DATA scoreIn.hmeq0;
    set scoreIn.hmeq_2012q3;
run;

%let currentTime=03Oct2012:12:30:15;
%MM_RunReports(
    localpath=&_MM_JobLocalPath,
    currentTime=&currentTime,
    mapTable=&mapTable,
    user=&_MM_User,
    password=&_MM_Password);

/*****
/* Now, run the 2012Q4 report. It is necessary to */
/* artificially declare a "currentTime" argument */
/* of 03Jan2013 in order to trigger the report */
/* execution scheduled for the 2012Q4 interval. */
*****/

DATA scoreIn.hmeq0;
    set scoreIn.hmeq_2012q4;
run;

%let currentTime=03Jan2013:12:30:15;
%MM_RunReports(
    localpath=&_MM_JobLocalPath,
    currentTime=&currentTime,
    mapTable=&mapTable,
    user=&_MM_User,
    password=&_MM_Password);

```

See Also

- [“Define the Report Specifications” on page 425](#)
- [“Extracting the Champion Model from a Channel” on page 436](#)

Appendix 10

R Model Support

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Overview of Using R Models with SAS Decision Manager

R is a freely available language and environment for statistical computing and graphics. Using the open architecture of SAS Decision Manager, you can register and import R models. SAS Decision Manager requires a model template file and model component files that are created specifically for R models.

The following SAS components are required to use R models in SAS Decision Manager:

- Ensure that the installed R language version is 2.13.0 or later.
- SAS/IML. You must license SAS/IML because the IML procedure is required to export SAS data sets to R and to submit R code.
- the RLANG system option. You must set this system option.

SAS Decision Manager supplies three R model templates that you can use, or you can create your own template as well. The R model templates that are provided by SAS Decision Manager support the analytic, classification, and prediction model functions. The segmentation model function is not supported for R models.

After the model component files are registered, you can perform all SAS Decision Manager functions except for exporting an R model to the SAS Metadata Repository.

To use R models in SAS Decision Manager, do the following tasks:

1. Ensure that the RLANG system option is set. To have the RLANG system option set when SAS starts, have your site administrator add the RLANG system option to the SAS configuration file.
2. Build an R model. For more information, see [“Build an R Model” on page 448](#).
SAS/IML must be installed before you build an R model.
3. Ensure that you have a model template file. For more information, see [“Prepare an R Model Template File” on page 449](#).

4. Ensure that you have the required model component files. For more information, see [“Prepare R Model Component Files” on page 450](#).
5. Import the R model. For more information, see [“Import Models from Local Files” on page 159](#).

Preparing R Model Files to Use with SAS/IML

Build an R Model

Use the following SAS code to create an R model and save it in the outmodel.rda model component file:

```
/* Define the libref to the SAS input data set.    */

libname libref "path-to-input-data-set";

/* Use PROC IML to export the SAS input data set to the R input data set. */

proc iml;
    run ExportDatasetToR("input-data-set" , "R-matrix-input");

/* Submit the model-fitting R code.    */

submit /R;
    attach(R-matrix-input)

    # -----
    # FIT THE MODEL
    # -----
    model-name<- model-fitting-function

    # -----
    # SAVE THE PARAMETER ESTIMATE TO LOCAL FILE OUTMODEL.RDA
    # -----
    save(model-name, file="path/outmodel.rda")
endsubmit;

run;
quit;
```

Supply the following values:

path-to-input-data-set

is the path to the library where the input data set is stored.

input-data-set

is the name of the input data set.

R-matrix-input

is the R input data.

model-name

is the name of the model.

model-fitting-function

is the R formula that is used to fit the model.

path

is the path to where outmodel.rda is to be stored.

Here is an example of creating an R model using the HMEQ train data set as the SAS input data set:

```
libname mmsamp "!sasroot\mmcommon\sample";
proc iml;
  run ExportDatasetToR("mmsamp.hmeq_train" , "mm_inds");
  submit /R;
    attach(mm_inds)

    # -----
    # FIT THE LOGISTIC MODEL
    # -----
    logiten<- glm(BAD ~ VALUE + factor(REASON) + factor(JOB) + DEROG +
                  CLAGE + NINQ + CLNO , family=binomial)



    # -----
    # SAVE THE PARAMETER ESTIMATE TO LOCAL FILE OUTMODEL.RDA
    # -----
    save(logiten, file="c:/RtoMMfiles/outmodel.rda")
  endsubmit;
run;
quit;
```

Prepare an R Model Template File

SAS Decision Manager provides three R model templates that you can use as a model template for your R model:

- RClassification
- RPrediction
- RAnalyticalmodel

To view these model templates:

1. From the Projects category view, Click  and select **Manage Templates**. The Manage Templates appears.
2. Select an R model template and click .
3. Review the model template to make sure that it contains all of the model component files and properties for your model. If it does, you can use this template to import your R model. To customize the model template, you can copy the XML content from one of the supplied template files and make modifications using a text editor. You can then create a new model template using the modified XML content and the model template to the SAS Content Server.

To create a custom R model template, see [“Model Template Component Files” on page 396](#) and [“User-Defined Model Templates” on page 164](#).

Prepare R Model Component Files

R Model Component Files for Executing R Models Using SAS/IML

To submit R models from SAS Decision Manager using SAS/IML, you need several model component files:

- modelinput.sas7bdat
- modeloutput.sas7bdat
- target.sas7bdat
- inputvar.xml
- outputvar.xml
- targetvar.xml
- outmodel.rda
- score.r
- score.sas
- training.r (not required if you do not retrain your R model)
- training.sas (not required if you do not retrain your R model)

You create the modelinput.sas7bdat, modeloutput.sas7bdat, target.sas7bdat, inputvar.xml, outputvar.xml, and targetvar.xml files as you would for importing a SAS code file. For more information, see [“Model Template Component Files” on page 396](#).

The remaining files, outmodel.rda, score.r, score.sas training.r, and training.sas require additional file preparation.

Create outmodel.rda

The outmodel.rda file contains the output parameter estimate. This file is used by SAS Decision Manager to register and score the model. You create outmodel.rda when you build an R model. See [“Build an R Model” on page 448](#). The outmodel.rda file uses the R function save() to save the scoring results.

Here is the syntax of an outmodel.rda file:

```
save(model-name, file="path/outmodel.rda")
```

Supply the following values:

model-name

is the name of the R model.

path

is the system path to the location where outmodel.rda is stored.

Here is an example outmodel.rda file:

```
save(logiten, file="c:/temp/outmodel.rda")
```

Create score.r

The score.r script is an R script that is used to score data. You can use the following R script to create score.r:

```
attach(R-matrix-input)
```

```

# -----
# LOAD THE OUTPUT PARAMETER ESTIMATE FROM FILE OUTMODEL.RDA
# -----
load('&_mm_scorefilesfolder/outmodel.rda')

# -----
# SCORE THE MODEL
# -----
score<- predict(model-name, type="response", newdata=R-matrix-input)

# -----
# MERGING PREDICTED VALUE WITH MODEL INPUT VARIABLES
# -----
mm_outds <- cbind(R-matrix-input, score)

```

Supply the following values:

R-matrix-input

is the name of the input R matrix file that you specified in the ExportDatasetToR function in the IML procedure. See [“Build an R Model” on page 448](#).

score

is the output variable. The value for *score* must match the output variable that is defined in modeloutput.sas7bdat and outputvar.xml.

model-name

is the name of the R model. The value of *model-name* must match the R save function *model-name* argument that is specified in the outmodel.rda file.

Here is an example score.r file:

```

attach(mm_inds)

# -----
# LOAD THE OUTPUT PARAMETER ESTIMATE FROM FILE OUTMODEL.RDA
# -----
load('&_mm_scorefilesfolder/outmodel.rda')

# -----
# PREDICT
# -----
score<- predict(logiten, type="response", newdata=mm_inds)

# -----
# MERGE THE PREDICTED VALUE WITH MODEL INPUT VARIABLES
# -----
mm_outds <- cbind(mm_inds, score)

```

Create score.sas

The score.sas program defines the score test information in a data set and calls the %mmbatch macro. When you submit the %mmbatch macro, the task mm_r_model_train_main completes the following tasks:

- transforms a scoring data set to an R data frame
- generates and submits R code for scoring
- transforms the scored output to a SAS data set for reporting in SAS Decision Manager

Here is the score.sas program:

```
filename tmp catalog "sashelp.modelmgr.mm_include.source";
%include tmp;
filename tmp;

data work.mm_score_task_information;
  length role $ 8;
  length name $ 80;
  length value $ 200;

  role = "input";
  name = "importedData";
  value = "&_mm_inputds";
  output;

  role = "input";
  name = "modelID";
  value = "&_mm_modelID";
  output;

  role = "output";
  name = "exportedData";
  value = "&_mm_outputds";
  output;

  role = "input";
  name = "dataRole";
  value = "output-variable-name";
  output;

  role = "input";
  name = "p_Target";
  value = "output-variable-name";
  output;
run;

/* mm_r_model_score_main is a SAS Decision Manager process flow that is used to run */
/* R model scripts using PROC IML. */

%mmbatch(task=mm_r_model_score_main, taskprops= mm_score_task_information);
```

Supply the following value:

output-variable-name

is the output variable that is defined in modeloutput.sas7bdat or modeloutput.xml.

To print verbose SAS logs, add the following lines before the RUN statement in the previous DATA step:

```
role = "input";
name = "_mm_trace";
value = "ON";
output;
```


Create training.r

The training.r script is an R script that is used to build a train model. Use the following script for the training.r file. In the R save function, the path in the file= argument must be &_MM_TrainResultFolder.

You can use the following script to create training.r:

```
attach(R-matrix-input)

# -----
# FIT THE LOGISTIC MODEL
# -----
model-name<- model-fitting-function

# -----
# SAVE THE OUTPUT PARAMETER ESTIMATE TO LOCAL FILE OUTMODEL.RDA
# -----
save(model-name, file="&_MM_TrainResultFolder/outmodel.rda")
```

Supply the following values:

R-matrix-input

is the name of the R matrix that is specified in the ExportMatrixToR function that is used to build a model using the IML procedure.

model-name

is the name of the R model.

model-fitting-function

is an R model fitting function, such as lm() or glm().

Here is an example training.r R script to build the HMEQ R train model:

```
attach(mm_inds)

# -----
# FIT THE LOGISTIC MODEL
# -----
logiten<- glm(BAD ~ VALUE + factor(REASON) + factor(JOB) + DEROG + CLAGE +
              NINQ + CLNO , family=binomial)

# -----
# SAVE THE OUTPUT PARAMETER ESTIMATE TO LOCAL FILE OUTMODEL.RDA
# -----
save(logiten, file="&_MM_TrainResultFolder/outmodel.rda")
```

Create training.sas

If you do not need to retrain your R model in SAS Decision Manager, you do not need this file.

The training.sas program defines the train task information in a data set and calls the %mmbatch macro. When you submit the %mmbatch macro, the task mm_r_model_train_main completes the following tasks:

- transforms a training data set to an R data frame
- generates and submits R code for training
- registers the training output parameter estimate file in SAS Decision Manager

Here is the training.sas file:

```

filename tmp catalog "sashelp.modelmgr.mm_include.source";
%include tmp;
filename tmp;

data work.mm_train_task_information;
  length role $ 8;
  length name $ 80;
  length value $ 200;

  role = "input";
  name = "trainData";
  value = "&_mm_inputds";
  output;

  role = "input";
  name = "modelID";
  value = "&_mm_modelID";
  output;
run;

/* mm_r_model_train_main is a SAS Decision Manager process flow that is used to run */
/* R model scripts using PROC IML. */

%mmbatch(task=mm_r_model_train_main, taskprops= mm_train_task_information);

```

To print verbose SAS logs, add the following lines before the RUN statement in the previous DATA step:

```

role = "input";
name = "_mm_trace";
value = "ON";
output;

```

Appendix 11

Statistical Measures Used in Basel II Reports

Overview of Statistical Measures Used for Basel II Reports

SAS Decision Manager Basel II reports use several statistical measures to validate the stability, performance, and calibration for the two key types of Basel II risk models: the Probability of Default (PD) model and the Loss Given Default (LGD) model.

The statistical measures for model validation are grouped into three categories:

| Category | Description |
|-------------------|---|
| Model Stability | Tracks the change in distribution of the modeling data and scoring data. |
| Model Performance | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Measures the ability of a model to discriminate between customers with accounts that have defaulted, and customers with accounts that have not defaulted. The score difference between non-default and default accounts helps determine the required cutoff score. The cutoff score helps predict whether a credit exposure is a default account. Measures the relationship between the actual default probability and the predicted default probability. This helps you understand the performance of a model over a time period. |
| Model Calibration | Checks the accuracy of the PD and LGD models by comparing the correct quantification of the risk components with the available standards. |

The sections that follow describe the measures, statistics, and tests that are used to create the PD and LGD reports.

Model Stability Measure

The following table describes the model stability measure that is used to create the PD report and the LGD reports.

| Measure | Description | PD Report | LGD Report |
|------------------------------|---|-----------|------------|
| System Stability Index (SSI) | SSI monitors the score distribution over a time period. | Yes | Yes |

Model Performance Measures and Statistics

The following table describes the model performance measures that are used to create the PD and LGD reports.

| Measure | Description | PD Report | LGD Report |
|---------------------------|--|-----------|------------|
| Accuracy | Accuracy is the proportion of the total number of predictions that were correct. | Yes | No |
| Accuracy Ratio (AR) | AR is the summary index of Cumulative Accuracy Profile (CAP) and is also known as Gini coefficient. It shows the performance of the model that is being evaluated by depicting the percentage of defaulted accounts that are captured by the model across different scores. | Yes | Yes |
| Area Under Curve (AUC) | AUC can be interpreted as the average ability of the rating model to accurately classify non-default accounts and default accounts. It represents the discrimination between the two populations. A higher area denotes higher discrimination. When AUC is 0.5, it means that non-default accounts and default accounts are randomly classified, and when AUC is 1, it means that the scoring model accurately classifies non-default accounts and default accounts. Thus, the AUC ranges between 0.5 and 1. | Yes | No |
| Bayesian Error Rate (BER) | BER is the proportion of the whole sample that is misclassified when the rating system is in optimal use. For a perfect rating model, the BER has a value of zero. A model's BER depends on the probability of default. The lower the BER, and the lower the classification error, the better the model. | Yes | No |
| D Statistic | The D Statistic is the mean difference of scores between default accounts and non-default accounts, weighted by the relative distribution of those scores. | Yes | No |
| Error Rate | The Error Rate is the proportion of the total number of incorrect predictions. | Yes | No |

| Measure | Description | PD Report | LGD Report |
|--|---|-----------|------------|
| Information Statistic (I) | The Information Statistic value is a weighted sum of the difference between conditional default and conditional non-default rates. The higher the value, the more likely a model can predict a default account. | Yes | No |
| Kendall's Tau-b | Kendall's tau-b is a nonparametric measure of association based on the number of concordances and discordances in paired observations. Kendall's tau values range between -1 and +1, with a positive correlation indicating that the ranks of both variables increase together. A negative association indicates that as the rank of one variable increases, the rank of the other variable decreases. | Yes | No |
| Kullback-Leibler Statistic (KL) | KL is a non-symmetric measure of the difference between the distributions of default accounts and non-default accounts. This score has similar properties to the information value. | Yes | No |
| Kolmogorov-Smirnov Statistic (KS) | KS is the maximum distance between two population distributions. This statistic helps discriminate default accounts from non-default accounts. It is also used to determine the best cutoff in application scoring. The best cutoff maximizes KS, which becomes the best differentiator between the two populations. The KS value can range between 0 and 1, where 1 implies that the model is perfectly accurate in predicting default accounts or separating the two populations. A higher KS denotes a better model. | Yes | No |
| 1-PH Statistic (1-PH) | 1-PH is the percentage of cumulative non-default accounts for the cumulative 50% of the default accounts. | Yes | No |
| Mean Square Error (MSE), Mean Absolute Deviation (MAD), and Mean Absolute Percent Error (MAPE) | MSE, MAD, and MAPE are generated for LGD reports. These statistics measure the differences between the actual LGD and predicted LGD. | No | Yes |

| Measure | Description | PD Report | LGD Report |
|---------------------|--|-----------|------------|
| Pietra Index | <p>The Pietra Index is a summary index of Receiver Operating Characteristic (ROC) statistics because the Pietra Index is defined as the maximum area of a triangle that can be inscribed between the ROC curve and the diagonal of the unit square.</p> <p>The Pietra Index can take values between 0 and 0.353. As a rating model's performance improves, the value is closer to 0.353. This expression is interpreted as the maximum difference between the cumulative frequency distributions of default accounts and non-default accounts.</p> | Yes | No |
| Precision | Precision is the proportion of the actual default accounts among the predicted default accounts. | Yes | No |
| Sensitivity | Sensitivity is the ability to correctly classify default accounts that have actually defaulted. | Yes | No |
| Somers' D (p-value) | Somers' D is a nonparametric measure of association that is based on the number of concordances and discordances in paired observations. It is an asymmetric modification of Kendall's tau. Somers' D differs from Kendall's tau in that it uses a correction only for pairs that are tied on the independent variable. Values range between -1 and +1. A positive association indicates that the ranks for both variables increase together. A negative association indicates that as the rank of one variable increases, the rank of the other variable decreases. | Yes | No |
| Specificity | Specificity is the ability to correctly classify non-default accounts that have not defaulted. | Yes | No |
| Validation Score | The Validation Score is the average scaled value of seven distance measures, anchored to a scale of 1 to 13, lowest to highest. The seven measures are the mean difference (D), the percentage of cumulative non-default accounts for the cumulative 50% of the default accounts (1-PH), the maximum deviation (KS), the Gini coefficient (G), the Information Statistic (I), the Area Under the Curve (AUC), or Receiver Operating Characteristic (ROC) statistic, and the Kullback-Leibler statistic (KL). | Yes | No |

Model Calibration Measures and Tests

The following table describes the model calibration measures and tests that are used to create the PD and LGD reports:

| Measure | Description | PD Report | LGD Report |
|-------------------------|--|-----------|------------|
| Binomial Test | <p>The Binomial Test evaluates whether the PD of a pool is correctly estimated. It does not take into account correlated defaults, and it generally yields an overestimate of the significance of deviations in the realized default rate from the forecast rate. The Modified Binomial Test now addresses the overestimate. This test takes into account the correlated defaults¹. The default correlation coefficient in SAS Decision Manager is 0.04. By using past banking evaluations, you can use these rho values²:</p> <p>rho=0.04 Qualifying revolving retail</p> <p>rho=0.15 Residential mortgage</p> <p>rho=0.16 Other retail</p> <p>rho=0.24 Corporations, sovereign, and banks</p> <p>If the number of default accounts per pool exceeds either the low limit (binomial test at 0.95 confidence) or high limit (binomial test at 0.99 confidence), the test suggests that the model is poorly calibrated.</p> <p>To change the default rho value, contact your application administrator. The value is a report option in SAS Management Console.</p> | Yes | No |
| Brier Skill Score (BSS) | BSS measures the accuracy of probability assessments at the account level. It measures the average squared deviation between predicted probabilities for a set of events and their outcomes. Therefore, a lower score represents a higher accuracy. | Yes | No |

¹ Rauhmeier, Robert, and Englemann, Bernd. "PD Validation - Experience from Banking Practice." Available at <http://d.yimg.com/kq/groups/12093474/1121755262/name/The+Basel+II+Risk+Parameters.pdf>

² Rauhmeier, Robert, and Englemann, Bernd. "PD Validation - Experience from Banking Practice." Available at <http://d.yimg.com/kq/groups/12093474/1121755262/name/The+Basel+II+Risk+Parameters.pdf>

| Measure | Description | PD Report | LGD Report |
|------------------------------------|--|-----------|------------|
| Confidence Interval | <p>The Confidence Interval indicates the confidence interval band of the PD or LGD for a pool. The Probability of Default report compares the actual and estimated PD rates with the CI limit of the estimate. If the estimated PD lies in the CI limits of the actual PD model, the PD performs better in estimating actual outcomes.</p> <p>For the Loss Given Default (LGD) report, confidence intervals are based on the pool-level average of the estimated LGD, plus or minus the pool-level standard deviation, and multiplied by the 1-(alpha/2) quantile of the standard normal distribution.</p> | Yes | Yes |
| Correlation Analysis | The model validation report for LGD provides a correlation analysis of the estimated LGD with the actual LGD. This correlation analysis is an important measure for a model's usefulness. The Pearson correlation coefficients are provided at the pool and overall levels for each time period are examined. | No | Yes |
| Hosmer-Lemeshow Test (p-value) | The Hosmer-Lemeshow test is a statistical test for goodness-of-fit for classification models. The test assesses whether the observed event rates match the expected event rates in pools. Models for which expected and observed event rates in pools are similar are well calibrated. The p-value of this test is a measure of the accuracy of the estimated default probabilities. The closer the p-value is to zero, the poorer the calibration of the model. | Yes | No |
| Mean Absolute Deviation (MAD) | MAD is the distance between the account level estimated and the actual loss LGD, averaged at the pool level. | No | Yes |
| Mean Absolute Percent Error (MAPE) | MAPE is the absolute value of the account-level difference between the estimated and the actual LGD, divided by the estimated LGD, and averaged at the pool level. | No | Yes |
| Mean Squared Error (MSE) | MSE is the squared distance between the account level estimated and actual LGD, averaged at the pool level. | No | Yes |

| Measure | Description | PD Report | LGD Report |
|---------------------------------|---|-----------|------------|
| Normal Test | The Normal Test compares the normalized difference of predicted and actual default rates per pool with two limits estimated over multiple observation periods. This test measures the pool stability over time. If a majority of the pools lie in the rejection region, to the right of the limits, then the pooling strategy should be revisited. | Yes | No |
| Observed versus Estimated Index | The observed versus estimated index is a measure of closeness of the observed and estimated default rates. It measures the model's ability to predict default rates. The closer the index is to zero, the better the model performs in predicting default rates. | Yes | No |
| Traffic Lights Test | The Traffic Lights Test evaluates whether the PD of a pool is underestimated, but unlike the binomial test, it does not assume that cross-pool performance is statistically independent. If the number of default accounts per pool exceeds either the low limit (Traffic Lights Test at 0.95 confidence) or high limit (Traffic Lights Test at 0.99 confidence), the test suggests the model is poorly calibrated. | Yes | No |

Glossary

analytical model

a statistical model that is designed to perform a specific task or to predict the probability of a specific event.

baseline

the initial performance prediction against which the output data from later tasks is compared.

business entity

an object in your business domain. An entity has one or more terms, which are attributes of an entity. For example, the business entity could be the customer, and the associated terms could be the name, account number, account type, and so on.

business rule (rule)

a statement of business logic that specifies conditions to be evaluated and actions to be taken if those conditions are satisfied.

business rule flow package

a business rule flow that has been saved to an XML file.

business rule service

a business rule flow that has been implemented as a web service.

candidate model

a predictive model that evaluates a model's predictive power as compared with the champion model's predictive power.

challenger model

a model that is compared and assessed against a champion model for the purpose of replacing the champion model in a production scoring environment.

champion model

the best predictive model that is chosen from a pool of candidate models in a data mining environment.

channel

a virtual communication path for distributing information. In SAS, a channel is identified with a particular topic. Using the features of the Publishing Framework, authorized users or applications can publish digital content to the channel, and

authorized users and applications can subscribe to the channel in order to receive the content.

classification model

a predictive model that has a categorical, ordinal, or binary target.

clustering model

a model in which data sets are divided into mutually exclusive groups in such a way that the observations for each group are as close as possible to one another, and different groups are as far as possible from one another.

data object

an object that holds the business data that is required to execute workflow tasks.

data source (source)

a table, view, or file from which you will extract information. Sources can be in any format that SAS can access, on any supported hardware platform. The metadata for a source is typically an input to a job.

decision tree

a set of rules that split data into a hierarchy of successive segments, and which can be used, for example, to determine a single result or appropriate action. The leaves represent an optimal segmentation of the branches above them according to a statistical measure.

file reference

See [“fileref”](#).

fileref (file reference)

a name that is temporarily assigned to an external file or to an aggregate storage location such as a directory or a folder. The fileref identifies the file or the storage location to SAS.

Gini coefficient

a benchmark statistic that is a measure of the inequality of distribution, and that can be used to summarize the predictive accuracy of a model.

identity

See [“metadata identity”](#).

input variable

a variable that is used in a data mining process to predict the value of one or more target variables.

key

See [“lookup key”](#).

Kolmogorov-Smirnov chart

a chart that shows the measurement of the maximum vertical separation, or deviation between the cumulative distributions of events and non-events.

library reference

See [“libref”](#).

libref (library reference)

a SAS name that is associated with the location of a SAS library. For example, in the name MYLIB.MYFILE, MYLIB is the libref, and MYFILE is a file in the SAS library.

lookup key (key)

a value that uniquely identifies a specific record and its order among other records in a database or table.

lookup table

a table that contains lookup keys and their corresponding values.

lookup value

the value that is associated with a lookup key in a lookup table.

metadata

descriptive data about data that is stored and managed in a database, in order to facilitate access to captured and archived data for further use.

metadata identity (identity)

a metadata object that represents an individual user or a group of users in a SAS metadata environment. Each individual and group that accesses secured resources on a SAS Metadata Server should have a unique metadata identity within that server.

model function

the type of statistical model, such as classification, prediction, or segmentation.

model scoring (scoring)

the process of applying a model to new data in order to compute outputs.

package

See [“package file”](#).

package file (package)

a container for data that has been generated or collected for delivery to consumers by the SAS Publishing Framework. Packages can contain SAS files, binary files, HTML files, URLs, text files, viewer files, and metadata.

participant

a user, group, or role that is assigned to a task. These users, groups, and roles are defined in SAS metadata and are mapped to standard roles for the workflow.

PMML

See [“Predictive Modeling Markup Language”](#).

policy

a workflow element that associates event-driven logic with a task or subflow. Policies are usually triggered automatically by an event such as a status change or a timer event.

prediction model

a model that predicts the outcome of an interval target.

Predictive Modeling Markup Language (PMML)

an XML based standard for representing data mining results for scoring purposes. It enables the sharing and deployment of data mining results between applications and across data management systems.

project

a collection of models, SAS programs, data tables, scoring tests, performance data, and reporting documents.

rule

See “[business rule](#)”.

rule flow

a logical collection of multiple rule sets that define multiple conditions and actions. Rule flows can be tested and deployed as SAS programs and services that process input data, which contain conditions, in order to create output data, which contain actions.

rule set

a logical group of business rules.

SAS code model

a SAS program or a DATA step fragment that computes output values from input values. An example of a SAS code model is the LOGISTIC procedure.

SAS Content Server

a server that stores digital content (such as documents, reports, and images) that is created and used by SAS client applications. To interact with the server, clients use WebDAV-based protocols for access, versioning, collaboration, security, and searching.

SAS Metadata Repository

a container for metadata that is managed by the SAS Metadata Server.

SAS Metadata Server

a multi-user server that enables users to read metadata from or write metadata to one or more SAS Metadata Repositories.

scoring

See “[model scoring](#)”.

scoring function

a user-defined function that is created by the SAS Scoring Accelerator from a scoring model and that is deployed inside the database.

scoring test

a workflow that executes a model's score code.

segmentation model

a model that identifies and forms segments, or clusters, of individual observations that are associated with an attribute of interest.

source

See “[data source](#)”.

swimlane

a workflow diagram element that enables you to group tasks that are assigned to the same participant.

task

See “[workflow task](#)”.

task status

the outcome of a task in a workflow. The status of a task (for example, Started, Canceled, Approved) is typically used to trigger the next task.

term

an attribute of a business entity. Terms might or might not have a list of valid values. For example, a customer entity might have terms such as account type or age. Valid values for the account type term might include "commercial" or "personal."

universally unique identifier (UUID)

a number that is used to uniquely identify information in distributed systems without significant central coordination. There are 32 hexadecimal characters in a UUID, and these are divided into five groups with hyphens between them as follows: 8-4-4-4-12. Altogether the 16-byte (128-bit) canonical UUID has 36 characters (32 alphanumeric characters and 4 hyphens). For example: 123e4567-e89b-12d3-a456-426655440000

UUID

See “[universally unique identifier](#)”.

vocabulary

the set of business entities that define your business domain.

WebDAV server

an HTTP server that supports the collaborative authoring of documents that are located on the server. The server supports the locking of documents, so that multiple authors cannot make changes to a document at the same time. It also associates metadata with documents in order to facilitate searching. The SAS business intelligence applications use this type of server primarily as a report repository. Common WebDAV servers include the Apache HTTP Server (with its WebDAV modules enabled), Xythos Software's WebFile Server, and Microsoft Corporation's Internet Information Server (IIS).

workflow

a series of tasks, together with the participants and the logic that is required to execute the tasks. A workflow includes policies, status values, and data objects.

workflow definition

a workflow template that has been uploaded to the server and activated. Workflow definitions are used by the SAS Workflow Engine to create new workflow instances.

workflow instance

a workflow that is running in the SAS Workflow Engine. After a workflow template is uploaded to the server and activated, client applications can use the template to create and run a new copy of the workflow definition. Each new copy is a workflow instance.

workflow task (task)

a workflow element that associates executable logic with an event such as a status change or timer event.

workflow template

a model of a workflow that has been saved to an XML file.

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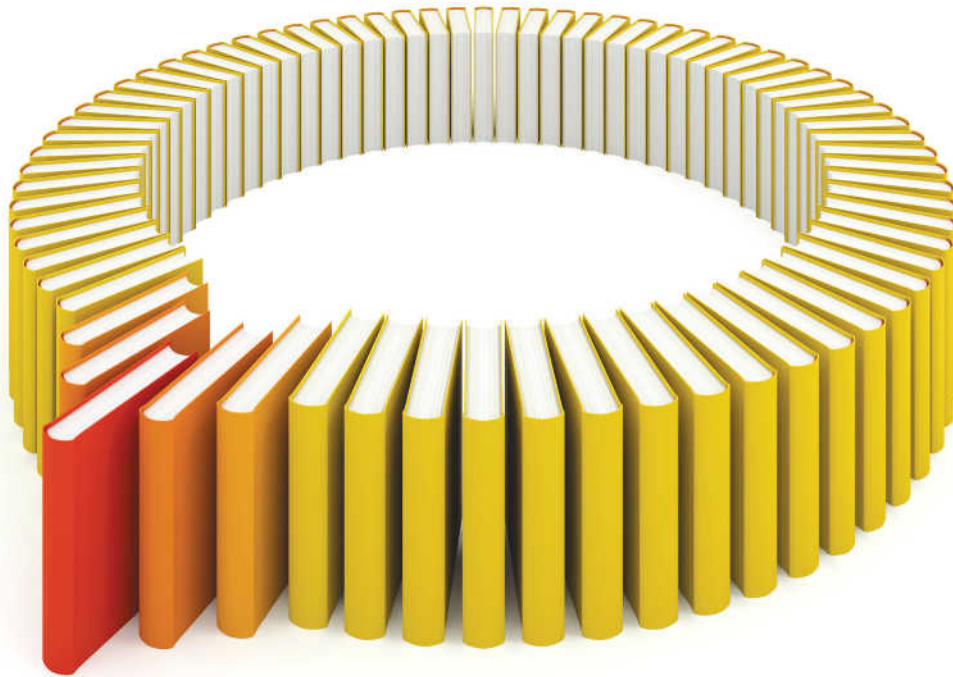
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