Web Enabling Existing SAS® Applications

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ABSTRACT

With the growing acceptance of Intranets as the information distribution method of choice in many organizations, much attention has been given to the design and development of Web applications. However, what do you do with all of those SAS applications that already exist in your organization? This Tutorial will address the issues involved in reengineering existing SAS applications for the Web. Whether those applications are batch oriented, use SAS/EIS software, or are SAS/AF applications using Screen Control Language, certain issues must be considered in the reengineering process. Using several real-world examples, this Tutorial will attempt to illustrate the techniques necessary to successfully Web-enable existing SAS applications.

AUTHOR'S NOTE

Because this paper includes information concerning several currently evolving technologies from SAS Institute, and also describes the results of several ongoing projects, the final version was not available for inclusion in the SUGI Proceedings. The full text of the final paper will be available for download from the author's Website.

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