The Output Delivery System for Data Analysis

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Abstract: Beginning with Version 7 of SAS software, all procedures use the Output Delivery System (ODS) to produce their results. ODS gives you tremendous control over the appearance of your results. Using ODS, you can create SAS output data sets from every table in the output, rearrange columns, select or exclude individual pieces of output, and render output in HTML, Rich-Text, and other formats. In addition, you can control the appearance of your procedure output by changing column formats and headers and specifying colors and fonts. This workshop discusses the Output Delivery System and illustrates its use through a series of examples using SAS/STAT procedures. The audience should be familiar with SAS software.