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Documentation: Tricks of the Trade CU*BASE Dashboards

TIP #1: Where Can I Find A Listing of the CU*BASE Dashboards?

We are introducing more and more dashboards in CU*BASE—so many that we have updated our “Leadership Dashboards” publication. In it you will now find a listing of all of our dashboards, grouped by menu and listed by menu option. The right column includes a brief explanation of how you can immediately put this dashboard to good use.

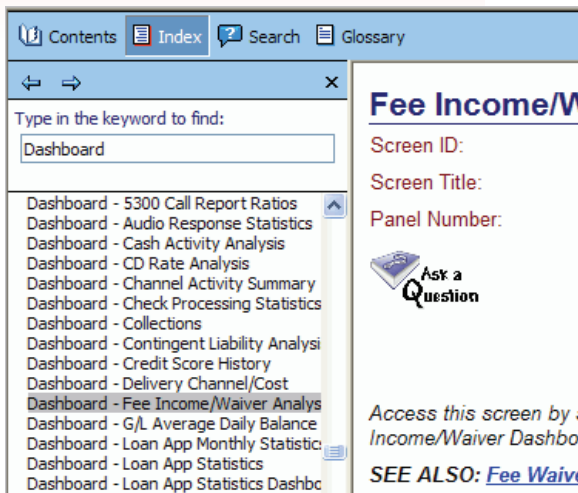
Find the 4-page “Leadership Dashboards” under “D” on the CU*BASE Reference Page. Go directly to this publications via:

http://cuanswers.com/pdf/cb_ref/LeadershipDashboards.pdf



Check out the “Leadership Dashboards” publication or a complete listing of dashboards available in CU*BASE.

Use Index Keyword “Dashboard” to find help topics for the CU*BASE Dashboard screens.



TIP #2: How Can I Quickly Find Help for the CU*BASE Dashboards?

Want an easy way to find help on all of the help topics on the CU*BASE Dashboards? It’s easy to find them by using Index Keyword “Dashboard.”

Check out the “Dashboard Tips” topic as well, for a discussion of questions to ask when comparing one dashboard to another dashboard or report.

TIP #3: What Kind of Information about Dashboards Can I Find in the CU*BASE Online Help?

The screenshot shows a help page for 'Channel Activity by Member Age Group'. It includes a search bar at the top with 'GO' and 'Powered By RoboHel'. The main content area lists details for the screen: Screen ID: ICHSUM-01, Screen Title: Channel Activity Summary, Panel Number: 118, Data Source: MACKASUM, and Snap Shot options for 'As of Month End' (checked) and 'Right Now'. There is an 'Ask a Question' icon and a note: 'NOTE: Because this dashboard uses End-of-Month data, activity during the current month will not be included'. Below the note are several links: 'TIPS for CEOs', 'Go to Examples', 'Create full-color PDFs of the data and charts on the screen – PDF Exports', 'Learn about downloading data to Excel or a comma-delimited file', and 'Dashboard Tips – Questions to Ask When Comparing a Dashboard with Another Dashboard or Report'. An 'IMPORTANT' note at the bottom states: 'Because data comes from transaction history, activity such as cashing checks which don't'.

Check out the CU*BASE Online Help for all kinds of tips on using the CU*BASE Dashboards.

The first sentence lets you know what menu and option to use to get to the dashboard.

Included also are links to topics on creating full color PDFs of the dashboard data, as well as the “Dashboard tips” topic with questions to ask when comparing a dashboard to another dashboard or report.

Some topics also list additional helpful information, such as the Data Source and whether the dashboard is of a snapshot in time (As of Month End) or current data (Right Now). And that is only the top of the topic!

TIP #4: Where Can I Learn More About the PDF Export Feature?

Use Index Keyword “PDF Export” to learn more about the feature that allows you to create attractive full-color PDFs of your dashboard data and charts—ready for your Board Reports! The “PDF Export” topic provides information on this feature, as well as directions for the purchase and installation of the iText Sharp software required for this feature.

The screenshot shows a help page for 'PDF Exports'. It includes a search bar at the top with 'GO' and 'Power'. The main content area has a search bar with 'PDF' entered. Below the search bar is a list of search results, including 'PDF Exports', 'PDVRTU', 'Peer Analysis', 'Peer Analysis 3', 'Peer Analysis - Updating Data', 'Peer Analysis 1', 'Peer Analysis 2', 'Peer Analysis Rankings', 'Peer Criteria Selection', 'Pending loan status', 'Personal Banker Services', 'Personal Info Update Requests from Ho', 'Personal Internet Branch PIB Profile', 'Personal Internet Branch PIB Profile', 'Phone - Additional Transaction Informat', 'Phone - Viewing Transaction History', 'Phone - Additional Transaction Informat', 'Phone - Account Processing', 'Phone - Average Daily Balance Inquiry', 'Phone - Loan Account Payoff Inquiry', and 'Phone - Member Account Transfer'. To the right of the search results is a preview of the 'PDF Exports' page, which includes a table of data, a pie chart, and a section titled 'How Does It Work?'. The 'How Does It Work?' section states: 'This feature has been added to many dashboards and related screens in CU*BASE, with plans expansion in the future. Dashboards with the PDF option can be accessed from many menus including the Management Dashboards, “Knowing Your Member,” Marketing, and Teller & Cash Tools menus. Just click a new PDF icon (to the left of the existing Excel export icon) and CU*'. There is also a quote from CEOs: 'CEOs have asked us, “What way to create a colorful report (brainstorming sessions) the others in our organization? feature, you can do just the provides you with data and attractive, full-color format t and distribute to a credit ur management staff.'

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