



## How to use the Report Function in SFC2007 for MSL/MSLd User Management & Security?

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### Purpose of this functionality

This functionality allows SFC2007 MSL and MSLd to generate and schedule reports for all users managed under their nodes/funds based on information available in SFC2007 USM.

### Concerned Funds

ERDF/CF	ESF	EFF	EAFRD	SOLID	IPA
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### User roles and permission needed

Member State Liaison Officer (MSL) or Member State Liaison Deputy (MSLd)

### Before you start, check that...

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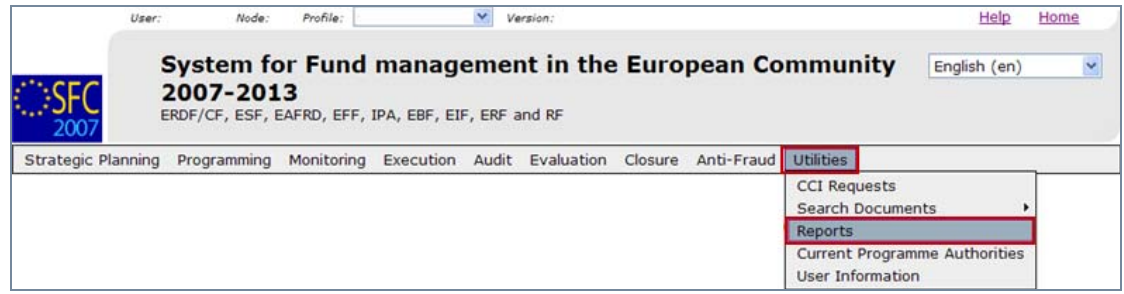
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## 1. Navigating to the Report Execution Console

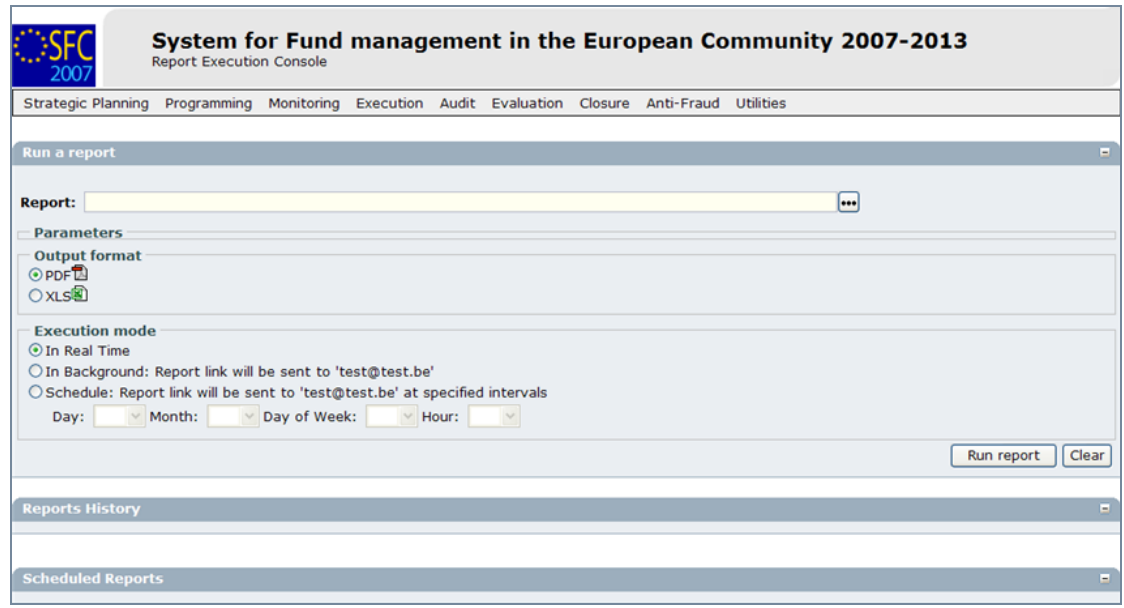
*Step by step*

1. Select the UTILITIES > REPORTS menu



The screenshot shows the top navigation bar of the SFC2007 system. The 'Utilities' menu is highlighted, and the 'Reports' option is selected. The system title is 'System for Fund management in the European Community 2007-2013'.

You are redirected to the Report Execution Console:



The screenshot shows the 'Report Execution Console' interface. It includes a search box for reports, a 'Parameters' section with 'Output format' (PDF selected) and 'Execution mode' (In Real Time selected), and 'Reports History' and 'Scheduled Reports' sections.

The system provides the user with 3 search options:

- Run a Report
- Report History & Re-Run a Report
- Manage a Scheduled Report

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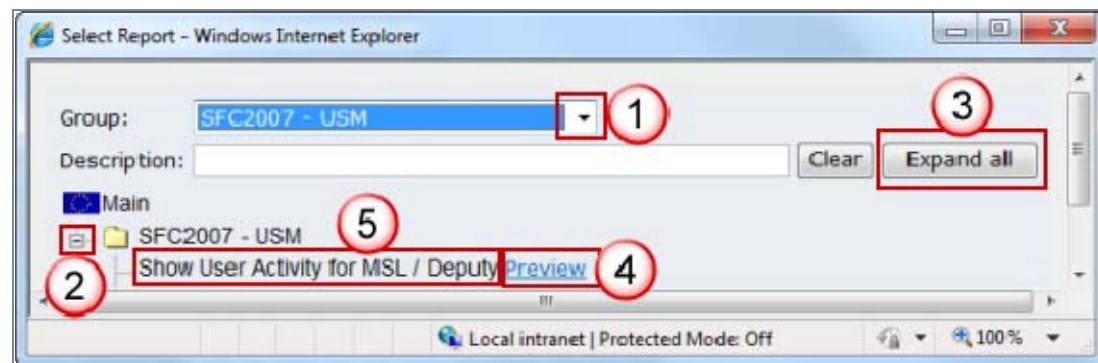
## 2. Run a Report

### Step by step

2. In the RUN A REPORT section select the  button (1).



a pop-up screen will appear:



3. Choose the group from which you want the report to be generated (1).
  - The choices consist of menus and menu items in SFC2007.
4. The folders within the chosen group are displayed underneath. You can expand or minimise the folders as desired by using the + icon to expand and the - icon to minimise (2). Alternatively you can select the EXPAND ALL button to see all folders & Reports (3).
5. To preview a Report, select the [Preview](#) link next to any of the reports (4). This will open a Pop-up window containing a sample of the specific report.
6. Select a Report from the list (5).

#### TIP

When hovering over a Report link, a message box containing the description of the Report pops up.

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After selecting the report you are redirected back to the Run a Report Display:

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Run a report

Report: Show User Activity for MSL / Deputy

Parameters

Number of Months since Last Connection:

Output format

PDF  XLS

Execution mode

In Real Time

In Background: Report link will be sent to 'sfc2007-info@ec.europa.eu'

Schedule: Report link will be sent to 'sfc2007-info@ec.europa.eu' at specified intervals

Day:  Month:  Day of Week:  Hour:

Run report Clear

7. In the **PARAMETERS** section select the required parameters (1).
  - The section changes dynamically depending on the type of report selected. The possible parameter values are also limited based on the user's access profile (Fund, Node, DG, Country).
  - To generate the 'Show User Activity for MSL / Deputy' report select the number of months since last connection; **to see all users enter 0**.
8. In the **OUTPUT FORMAT** section select the required format of your Report (2).
  - PDF or Excel
9. In the **EXECUTION MODE** section select the Execution Mode. This determines how you will receive the report (3):
  - **IN REAL TIME:** You receive the report directly on your screen. Upon Execution a new window opens and a pop-up window appears to confirm whether to Open or Save the file. Selecting **OPEN** will open the PDF/Excel file immediately on your desktop. Selecting **SAVE** will save the file to your PC.
  - **IN BACKGROUND:** A report link is sent to the email address related to your user account. A message 'The report is being executed in background' appears.
  - **SCHEDULE:** A report link is sent to the email address related to your user account on the specified time and date (use the drop down menus to choose the time & date).
10. Click on **RUN REPORT** to run the Report (4).

**NOTE**

The language of the report is the language set in the SFC2007 application

Once a report has been generated it is automatically saved in the **REPORT HISTORY** section.

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### 3. Report History & Re-Run a Report

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In the Report History section you can see a history of all reports generated:

Report	Parameters	Run date	File
Financial Perspective By MS	Lang = en Nod = 2	29/02/2012 15:37	1
Financial Perspective By MS	Fund: = ERDF Nod = 2 Lang = en	29/02/2012 15:38	2
Financial Perspective By MS	Nod = 2 Lang = en Fund: = All	29/02/2012 15:27	3
Financial Perspective By MS	Nod = 2 Lang = en Fund: = All	29/02/2012 15:34	

11. To see a copy of a previously generated report select the PDF or Excel icon in the File column (1) on the row of the report title you desire.
12. To delete a report select the DELETE icon (2).
13. To regenerate a report select the RUN THE REPORT icon (3), this will bring back the parameters of the original report in the RUN A REPORT section, which can be modified before regenerating the report.

### 4. Manage a Scheduled Report

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14. In the Scheduled Reports section you can view and update your scheduled reports:

Report	Parameters	Day of the month	Month	Day of the Week	At hours	Last execution	Next execution	Status	Output
Compare Programme Versions (EAFRD)	Lang = en Nod = 2 CCI: = 2007PL06RPO004 . 4 (7334)			2	10		27/02/2012 10:00	1	2
Annual Payment Forecasts Received by Commission	Lang = en Nod = 2 DG: = EMPL Year: = 2007 (ERDF,CF,ESF,EFF)	2	3		10		02/03/2012 10:00		3

15. To see the generated report select the PDF or Excel icon in the Output column (1) on the row of the report title you desire.
16. To delete a report select the DELETE icon (2).
17. To edit the report schedule select the EDIT REPORT SCHEDULE icon (3), this will bring back the parameters of the original report in the RUN A REPORT section, which can be modified before regenerating the report.

### 5. Understanding the Report

The following titles are described:

**'Is user Active':** each user has a user account. If the user account is no longer active the user will not have access to SFC2007.

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**'Is Profile Active':** each user can have 1 or more profiles (depending on whether they have access to programmes managed by different MSL/MSLd). If a user has multiple profiles and their user account is active they will only see the active profiles.

**'User Node':** This is the point of access of a user (normally referring to the Country Code or Regional Code). Refer to the 'SFC2007 Node Hierarchies' document on the SFC2007 Help Page: [http://ec.europa.eu/employment\\_social/sfc2007/sfc2007\\_help/documents/sfc2007-pm-106\\_nodes\\_hierarchies\\_1.7.pdf](http://ec.europa.eu/employment_social/sfc2007/sfc2007_help/documents/sfc2007-pm-106_nodes_hierarchies_1.7.pdf)

**'User Roles':** The code for the User Roles contains abbreviations of the SFC2007 roles (MSMA, MSCA etc.). Please refer to the 'Profile Compatibility Matrix' document on the SFC2007 Help Page: [http://ec.europa.eu/employment\\_social/sfc2007/sfc2007\\_help/documents/sfc2007-pm-146\\_profiles\\_compatibility\\_matrix\\_v4.0.pdf](http://ec.europa.eu/employment_social/sfc2007/sfc2007_help/documents/sfc2007-pm-146_profiles_compatibility_matrix_v4.0.pdf).

The numbers in the code refer to the Directorate General for which the role is associated (16=REGIO, 06=DG AGRI, 05=DG EMPLOYMENT, 14=DG MARE, 65=DG HOME).

The last letter refers to the **type** of access (R=Read, U=Update, S=Send).

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