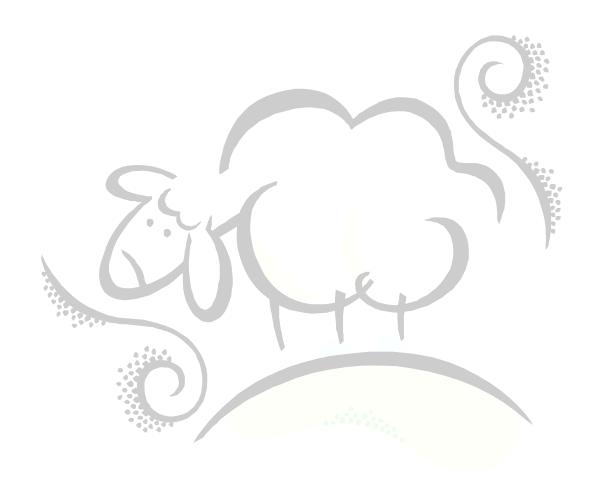
Introduction
to the
SAS
Output
Delivery
System
(ODS)

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INTRODUCTION

This document introduces you to the basics of the SAS Output Delivery System (ODS). ODS provides a multitude of choices for reporting and displaying analytical results from the SAS System. For example, you can create Adobe Acrobat Portable Document Format (PDF) files, HTML files for use on the internet, and Rich Text Format (RTF) files for use with Microsoft Word or WordPad that contain your SAS procedure output, SAS graphs, etc. But, this is just the tip of the iceberg with SAS ODS, as you will see in the remaining part of this document.

As many of you are aware, several SAS procedures like FREQ, MEANS, etc. give the user the ability to create an output SAS dataset containing the results of the procedure. Both FREQ and MEANS have the OUT= option which allows you to specify the name of your output SAS dataset. Some of you may have noticed that the newer SAS procedures, like SURVEYMEANS, SURVEYREG, etc., do not come with this functionality. The ability to create an output SAS dataset from these procedures is via the SAS Output Delivery System (ODS) and its ODS OUTPUT statement.

And, as they say on those late-night television commercials: But, wait! There's more!

The SAS Output Delivery System (ODS) allows you to modify the look-and-feel of the reports based on the fonts, colors, etc. – the *style*, if you please – that you want to use rather than settling for SAS-supplied defaults. You have control over styles for the column headers, table headers, table footers, cell data, etc. No longer do you have to settle for SAS's line printer-like output...blech!

And, as they say on those early-morning television commercials: But, wait! There's even more!

The SAS Output Delivery System (ODS) allows you to output in formats like Extensible Markup Language (XML), Comma-Separated Values (CSV) and Web Markup Language (WML) formats – known as *tagsets*. And, you can even define your own tagsets, if you want!

And, as they say on those mid-afternoon television commercials: But, wait! There's still more!

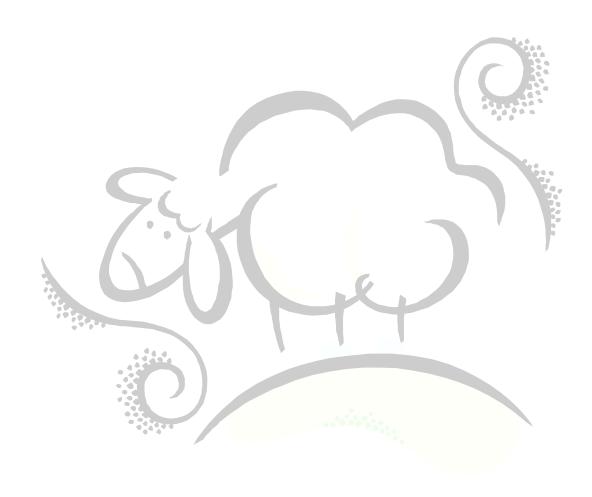
You can save your ODS results in a special ODS file called a *document* so that you can "replay" one or more of them at a later time without having to re-run you analysis! No more waiting for analyses to re-run if you just want to see or use the results again!

Finally, as they say on those early-evening television commercials: What are you waiting for?

PART I

ODS Kick Start

This section briefly introduces the basic features of the SAS Output Delivery System (ODS) which you are most likely to use on a day-to-day basis as you work with the SAS System. This section is arranged in a Question and Answer format so that the reader does not have to search through pages and pages of material to find the desired topic.



Q.1: How do I create a SAS dataset from a SAS procedure when there's no OUT= statement?

A.1:

In order to create a SAS dataset from a SAS procedure that does not have an OUT= statement – or even with a SAS procedure that does have one – you must first determine the special names SAS gives to each part of the desired SAS procedure output. This special name is known as a path in ODS terminology. For example, given the SAS dataset below,

```
data FatKids;
infile cards;
input @1 KidName $char8.
      @10 HeightInInches 2.
      @15 WeightInPounds 3.;
cards;
ALBERT
         45
              150
ROSEMARY 35
              123
TOMMY
         78
               167
         12 189
BUDDY
         76
               198
FARQUAR
              256
SIMON
         87
         54
LAUREN
               876
run;
```

Let's assume we want to run a UNIVARIATE procedure on the variable WeightInPounds from the FatKids dataset. The first thing we have to do is run the UNIVARIATE procedure with the ODS TRACE statement turned on, followed by the UNIVARIATE and the the ODS TRACE statement turned back off:

```
ods trace on;
proc univariate data=FatKids;
  var WeightInPounds;
run;
ods trace off;
```

The output from these commands appears in the SAS Log and looks like this:

```
Output Added:
-----
Name: Moments
Label: Moments
Template: base.univariate.Moments
Path: Univariate.WeightInPounds.Moments
```

Output Added:

Name: BasicMeasures

Label: Basic Measures of Location and Variability

Template: base.univariate.Measures

Path: Univariate.WeightInPounds.BasicMeasures

Output Added:

Name: TestsForLocation
Label: Tests For Location

Template: base.univariate.Location

Path: Univariate.WeightInPounds.TestsForLocation

Output Added:

Name: Quantiles Label: Quantiles

Template: base.univariate.Quantiles

Path: Univariate.WeightInPounds.Quantiles

Output Added:

Name: ExtremeObs

Label: Extreme Observations
Template: base.univariate.ExtObs

Path: Univariate.WeightInPounds.ExtremeObs

You will notice that there are five sections above, each one corresponds to the five sections produced by the SAS UNIVARIATE procedure. The Name and Label in each section above nearly corresponds to the title of each section produced from the UNIVARIATE procedure itself. We discuss the Template later on in this document. The most important thing to know is the Path name. In the above, the Path name for the moments is Univariate. WeightInPounds. Moments. Clearly, this period-delimited text string is the name of the SAS procedure, followed by the variable of interest, followed by the name SAS ODS gives to the moments section from the UNIVARIATE procedure. Now, let's say we want to create a SAS dataset containing the moments for WeightInPounds. You would use these commands to accomplish this:

```
ods output
Univariate.WeightInPounds.Moments=FatMomentsDataSet;
proc univariate data=FatKids;
  var WeightInPounds;
run;
ods output close;
```

Note that the command ODS OUTPUT is followed by name of the desired Path associated with the Moments section of the UNIVARIATE procedure followed by an equal sign followed by the name of our SAS dataset FatMomentsDataset. Here is what that dataset looks like:

VarName	Label1	cValue1	nValue1	Label2	cValue2	nValue2
WeightInPounds	N	7	7.000000	Sum Weights	7	7.000000
WeightInPounds	Mean	279.857143	279.857143	Sum Observations	1959	1959.000000
WeightInPounds	Std Deviation	266.181284	266.181284	Variance	70852.4762	70852
WeightInPounds	Skewness	2.51231272	2.512313	Kurtosis	6.44913858	6.449139
WeightInPounds	Uncorrected SS	973355	973355	Corrected SS	425114.857	425115
WeightInPounds	Coeff Variation	95.1132716	95.113272	Std Error Mean	100.607069	100.607069

Take note that the dataset FatMomentsDataSet is layed out in a similar format as the actual UNIVARIATE Moments output. That is, instead of there being one row per statistic, there two sets of three columns with six rows of data. One set of three columns contains the N, Mean, Std Deviation, Skewness, Uncorrected SS, and Coeff Variation statistics while the other set of three columns contains the Sum Weights, Sum Observations, Variance, Kurtosis, Corrected SS and Std Error Mean statistics. Be aware of this and you'll be able to sleep better at night. Note also that cValue1 and cValue2 are the character representations of nValue1 and nValue2.

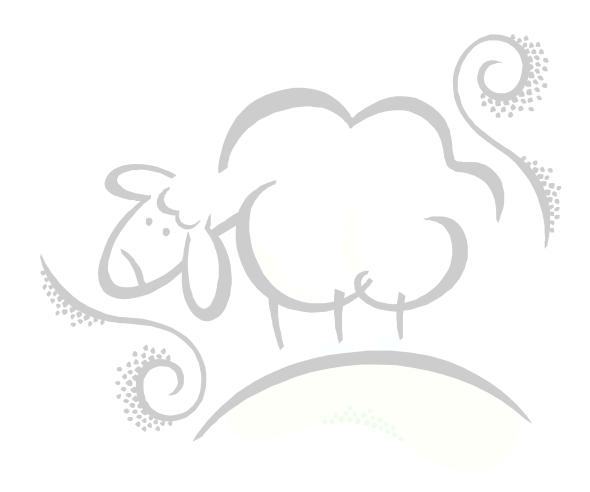
You might be wondering what would happen if you asked for a UNIVARIATE on both variables WeightInPounds and HeightInInches. Based on the SAS code above, you would still ONLY get the moments for WeightInPounds because that is the Path you specified above. In order to get all of the variables to appear in your output SAS dataset, you would need to use the Name rather than the Path in the code above:

```
ods output Moments=FatMoments;
proc univariate data=FatKids;
  var WeightInPounds HeightInInches;
run;
ods output close;
```

Here is what the dataset FatMoments looks like:

VarName	Label1	cValue1	nValue1	Label2	cValue2	nValue2
WeightInPounds	N	7	7.000000	Sum Weights	7	7.000000
WeightInPounds		279.857143	279.857143	Sum Observations	1959	1959.000000
WeightInPounds	Std Deviation	266.181284	266.181284	Variance	70852.4762	70852
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HeightInInches	N	7	7.000000	Sum Weights	7	7.000000
HeightInInches	Mean	55.2857143	55.285714	Sum Observations	387	387.000000
HeightInInches	Std Deviation	26.9054783	26.905478	Variance	723.904762	723.904762
HeightInInches	Skewness	-0.4556582	-0.455658	Kurtosis	-0.8111112	-0.811111
HeightInInches	Uncorrected SS	25739	25739	Corrected SS	4343.42857	4343.428571
HeightInInches	Coeff Variation	48.6662398	48.666240	Std Error Mean	10.1693149	10.169315

Notice that both WeightInPounds and HeightInInches appear in the SAS dataset FatMoments.



Q.2: How do I create an Adobe Acrobat PDF File from all of my SAS procedures?

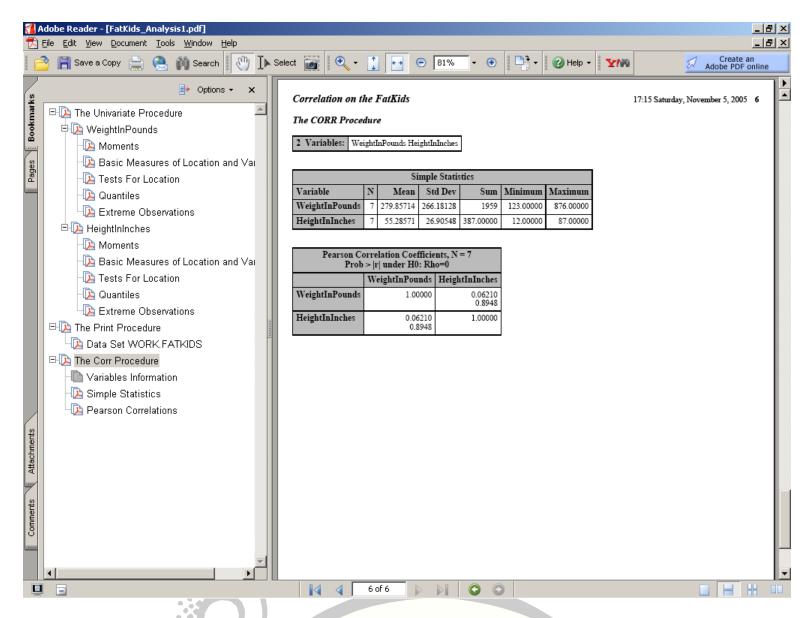
A.2:

In order to create a PDF file – or an RTF file, or HTML file, etc. – you need to specify the ODS statement followed by your desired output option like PDF, RTF, HTML, etc. These options are known as an output *destination* in ODS lingo. You then follow this with as many SAS procedures as you want and the output from each one is placed in your desired destination. Next, you must "close" the destination using the ODS CLOSE statement. Here is an example using our FatKids dataset to create an Adobe Acrobat PDF file:

```
ods listing close;
ods pdf file="C:\FatKids Analysis1.pdf";
proc univariate data=FatKids;
 var WeightInPounds HeightInInches;
title1 'Univariate on the FatKids';
run;
proc print data=FatKids;
var WeightInPounds HeightInInches;
title1 'FatKids Data';
run;
proc corr data=FatKids;
 var WeightInPounds HeightInInches;
 title1 'Correlation on the FatKids';
run;
ods pdf close;
ods listing;
```

Note that we first closed the LISTING destination in order to prevent the procedure output from being also created in the SAS Listing. Next, we opened up the PDF output destination and specified where we wanted our PDF to be stored, here in C:\FatKids_Analysis1.pdf. We then ran threeSAS procedures and then closed the PDF output destination and re-opened the LISTING output destination. The closing and opening of the LISTING output destination is a best practice you should adhere to.

Below is a screenshot when we open up the PDF file in Adobe Acrobat reader and moved to the correlations output page:



As you can see, the correlation between height and weight in the FatKids dataset leads us to believe that there is no relationship between the variables HeightInInches and WeightInPounds, and clearly leads us to conclude that fat kids in general have no concept of basic statistics.

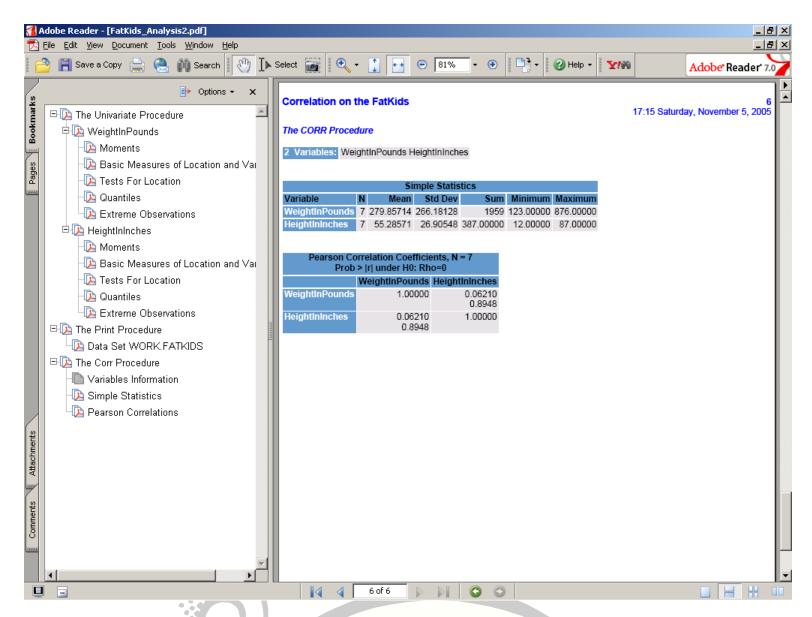
If you are not very impressed by the black-and-white output you see above, SAS provides several different built-in styles which allow you to put a little bling-bling into your output. If we included the option STYLE=BarrettsBlue on the code

```
ODS PDF FILE="C:\FatKids Analysis1.pdf";
```

like this

```
ods pdf style=BarrettsBlue file="C:\FatKids_Analysis2.pdf";
```

we would see output like this:



Take note of the pretty colors. SAS provides the following built-in styles for you to use with the STYLE= option:

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Path Filter is: Styles Sort by: PATH/ASCENDING

Obs	Path	Туре
1	Styles	Dir
2	Styles.Analysis	Style
3	Styles.Astronomy	Style
4	Styles.Banker	Style
5	Styles.BarrettsBlue	Style
6	Styles.Beige	Style
7	Styles.Brick	Style
8	Styles.Brown	Style
9	Styles.Curve	Style

Try several different styles and impress your friends!

Q.3: How do I create an HTML file from all of my SAS procedures for use on the web?

A.3:

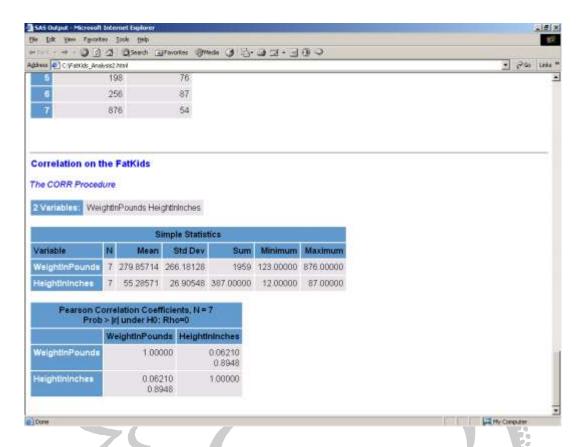
Similar to creating a PDF file in Q.2 above, instead of providing the PDF output destination, we provide the HTML output destination:

```
ods listing close;
ods html style=BarrettsBlue file="C:\FatKids_Analysis2.html";
proc univariate data=FatKids;
var WeightInPounds HeightInInches;
title1 'Univariate on the FatKids';
run;

proc print data=FatKids;
var WeightInPounds HeightInInches;
title1 'FatKids Data';
run;

proc corr data=FatKids;
var WeightInPounds HeightInInches;
title1 'Correlation on the FatKids';
run;
ods html close;
ods listing;
```

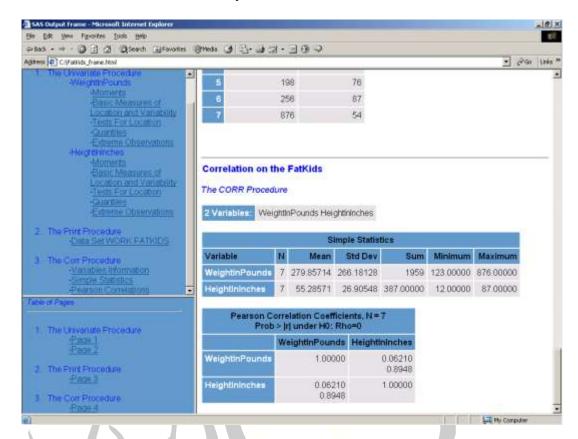
Note that we still provided the FILE= option and we closed the HTML output destination after we finished adding all of our procedures. A screenshot from Internet Explorer appears below:



Now, if we wanted to get really fancy, we could have ODS create a web document with several frames appearing in Internet Explorer. Here is how to do that:

```
ods listing close;
ods html style=BarrettsBlue body="C:\FatKids body.html"
contents="C:\FatKids contents.html"
                            frame="C:\FatKids frame.html"
                            page="C:\FatKids page.html";
proc univariate data=FatKids;
 var WeightInPounds HeightInInches;
title1 'Univariate on the FatKids';
run;
proc print data=FatKids;
var WeightInPounds HeightInInches;
title1 'FatKids Data';
run;
proc corr data=FatKids;
var WeightInPounds HeightInInches;
title1 'Correlation on the FatKids';
run;
ods html close;
ods listing;
```

If you open up the FatKids_frame.html page in Internet Explorer and move to the correlations section, here is what you will see:



Note that the frame on the right contains the web page FatKids_body.html, the frame on the upper-left contains the web page FatKids_contents.html, and the frame on the lower-left contains the web page FatKids_page.html.

Notice that the style BarrettsBlue works equally well in a PDF file as it does in a web page. This is true for almost all of the output destinations and styles you provide.

Q.4: Can I create a comma-delimited text file from my SAS dataset using ODS?

A.4:

Similar to creating a PDF and HTML file above, we can use the CSV or CSVALL output destinations in association with the PRINT procedure. The CSV destination creates a comma-delimited file from your dataset with each character column surrounded by double-quotes. CSVALL is the same except titles and footnotes are placed in the file as well. Here is the code to run both output destinations and their output data:

```
ods listing close;
ods csv file="C:\FatKids Data.csv";
proc print data=FatKids noobs;
 var KidName HeightInInches WeightInPounds;
 title1 "FatKid Data";
run;
ods csv close;
ods listing;
     "KidName", "HeightInInches", "WeightInPounds
     "ALBERT", 45, 150
     "ROSEMARY", 35, 123
     "TOMMY", 78, 167
     "BUDDY", 12, 189
     "FARQUAR", 76, 198
     "SIMON", 87, 256
     "LAUREN", 54, 876
ods listing close;
ods csvall file="C:\FatKids Data.csvall";
proc print data=FatKids noobs;
 var KidName HeightInInches WeightInPounds;
 title1 "FatKid Data";
ods csvall close;
ods listing;
     FatKid Data
     "KidName", "HeightInInches", "WeightInPounds"
     "ALBERT", 45, 150
     "ROSEMARY", 35, 123
     "TOMMY", 78, 167
     "BUDDY", 12, 189
     "FARQUAR", 76, 198
     "SIMON",87,256
     "LAUREN", 54,876
```

Note that it seems like overkill to be doing a PROC PRINT just to output data to a text file. We can accomplish a similar task using a DATA _NULL_ step:

```
ods listing close;
ods csv file="C:\FatKids DataStep.csv";
data null;
 set FatKids;
 file print ods=(
                  variables=(
                              KidName HeightInInches WeightInPounds
                 );
put ods;
run;
ods csv close;
ods listing;
     "KidName", "HeightInInches", "WeightInPounds'
     "ALBERT", 45, 150
     "ROSEMARY", 35, 123
     "TOMMY", 78, 167
     "BUDDY", 12, 189
     "FARQUAR", 76, 198
     "SIMON", 87, 256
     "LAUREN", 54,876
```

Note that we specify FILE PRINT ODS= in the data step along with a list of the variables we want to keep. Next, we issue a PUT _ODS_ statement to tell SAS to output the data to the CSV file.

Q.5: How can I limit the results output by my SAS procedures when I use ODS?

A.5:

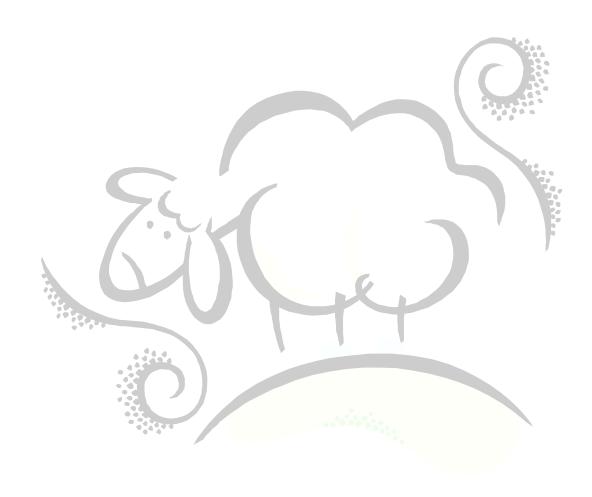
SAS procedures occasionally output a lot of information that you may not want to put in your PDF or HTML file when using ODS. You can limit the output by using the ODS SELECT command by specifying the path, name or label from the ODS TRACE command. For example, when using the UNIVARIATE procedure, say you only wanted the moments and the extreme observations to output. From the ODS TRACE in Q.1 above, you know that the output name for the moments results is Moments and the output for the extreme observations is ExtremeObs. Using the ODS SELECT command, you can limit your output like this:

Make sure the issue ODS SELECT ALL so that you can clear out your previous selections.

PART II

Things Momma Never Taught You

This section briefly discusses PROC REPORT as well as introduces you to HTML (the *layout* language used in creating web pages) and Cascading Style Sheets (the *formatting* language used to provide web pages with font and color styles). Although they may appear to be unrelated to SAS ODS, the concepts presented in this section are similar to ODS styles and PROC TEMPLATE presented in Part III.



Brief Introduction to PROC REPORT

Without going too deep into the details of how to write PROC REPORT code, we show two comprehensive examples and explain the parts. For this example, assume we are using the FatKids data:

```
proc report data=FatKids headline split="*" nowindows spacing=1 ls=256;
  column KidName HeightInInches WeightInPounds FattyIndex;
  define KidName/group 'First Name' width=10;
  define HeightInInches/analysis sum 'Height*(inches)' width=10 format=comma10.0;
  define WeightInPounds/analysis sum 'Weight*(pounds)' width=10 format=comma10.0;
  define FattyIndex/computed 'Fatty*Index' width=10 format=comma10.2;
  compute FattyIndex;
  FattyIndex=(10*_c2_ + 20*_c3_)/1000;
  endcomp;
  title1 "Fat Kid FattyIndex Computation";
  title2 "Fat Year: 2006";
  run;
```

As usual, DATA= defines the name of the input dataset. The option SPLIT="*" defines the asterisk as the split character in the column header names. The option NOWINDOWS tells SAS not to display the PROC REPORT window, but instead place the output in the SAS Listing window. The SPACING=1 option specifies the number of blank columns between the columns of data. The LS=256 option tells PROC REPORT that the maximum linesize for the report is 256 characters.

Next, we define all of the columns we are going to use in our report. Note that the column FATTYINDEX does not appear in the FatKids dataset, but is created in the COMPUTE section below and is required to be on the COLUMN line if it is going to be displayed. Next, we define all of our columns. We define the column KIDNAME to be a GROUP column with a header name of 'First Name' and a maximum width of 10 characters. We then define the HeightInInches and WeightInPounds columns to be ANALYSIS columns which will be summed. Note that although we provide GROUP and ANALYSIS variables, no actual summing by KidName will take place since the FatKid dataset is already summarized to the KIDNAME level.

Next, we define the column FATTYINDEX which is a computed column. We then move on to define the computation for the FATTYINDEX column by using the formula 10 times the HeightInInches plus 20 times the WeightInPounds all divided by 1000. Note how the code uses _C2_ to represent the 2nd column HeightInInches, and _C3_ to represent the 3rd column WeightInPounds.

Here is the corresponding output:

Fat Kid FattyIndex Computation Fat Year: 2006

First Name	Height (inches)	Weight (pounds)	Fatty Index
ALBERT	45	150	3.45
BUDDY	12	189	3.90
FARQUAR	76	198	4.72

LAUREN	54	876	18.06
ROSEMARY	35	123	2.81
SIMON	87	256	5.99
TOMMY	78	167	4.12

For this next example, assume we have a SAS dataset similar to the FatKids data, but has an additional column called STAT_DATE containing the day the height and weight were taken for each kid. Using PROC REPORT, we can define the column STAT_DATE to be an ACROSS column which will show the date across the top of the page. Note how the COLUMN definition has changed. We have the column STAT_DATE followed by a comma follwed by a space-separated list of variables in parentheses. This indicated to PROC REPORT that STAT_DATE goes across the top of the report and that the two columns HEIGHTININCHES and WEIGHTINPOUNDS appear as columns under the corresponding STAT_DATE. The code and output follows:

```
proc report data=FatKidsOverTime headline split="*" nowd missing spacing=1
ls=256;
  column KidName Stat_Date, (HeightInInches WeightInPounds) FattyIndex;
  define KidName/group 'First Name' width=10;
  define Stat_Date/across format=monyy6. order=data '-Quarter-';
  define HeightInInches/analysis sum 'Height*(inches)' width=10 format=comma10.0;
  define WeightInPounds/analysis sum 'Weight*(pounds)' width=10 format=comma10.0;
  define FattyIndex/computed 'Fatty*Index' width=10 format=comma10.2;
  compute FattyIndex;
  FattyIndex=(10*(_c2+_c4+_c6+_c8_) + 20*(_c3+_c5+_c7+_c9_))/1000;
  endcomp;
  title1 "Fat Kid FattyIndex Computation Over Time";
  title2 "Fat Year: 2006";
  run;
```

Fat Kid FattyIndex Computation Over Time Fat Year: 2006

	JAN06		APR06	guaz	JUL0	6	OCT0	6	
	Height	Weight	Height	Weight	Height	Weight	Height	Weight	Fatty
First Name	(inches)	(pounds)	(inches)	(pounds)	(inches)	(pounds)	(inches)	(pounds)	Index
ALBERT	45	150	45	160	45	170	45	190	15.20
BUDDY	12	189	12	199	12	219	12	249	17.60
FAROUAR	76	198	76	198	76	218	76	218	19.68
LAUREN	54	876	54	886	54	896	54	976	74.84
ROSEMARY	35	123	35	133	35	143	35	163	12.64
SIMON	87	256	87	266	87	276	87	356	26.56
TOMMY	78	167	78	177	78	187	78	217	18.08

Note that we also had to update the FATTYINDEX since there are now more columns in the PROC REPORT due to the ACROSS option provided on STAT_DATE.

To relate this back to SAS ODS, the concept of defining columns and computing new columns in PROC REPORT appears in a similar way in PROC TEMPLATE.

Brief Introdution to HTML and CSS

Many of you are familiar with the web...that's where you can find all sorts of information related to porn. In order to make those informational webpages, you use the language of the web called Hypertext Markup Language (HTML). For example, to display the following in a webpage in Internet Explorer, all you have to do is open up a text editor, type in the text and then open the file using Internet Explorer:

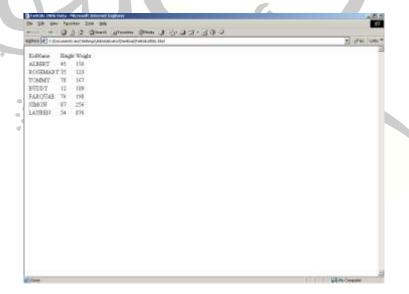
```
<HTML>
       <HEAD>
        <TITLE>
         This text appears in the title bar!
        </TITLE>
       </HEAD>
       <BODY>
        <h1>Emilio Estavez</h1>
       </BODY>
      </HTML>
This text appears in the title bar! - Microsoft Internet Explorer
                                                                            _ | 🗆 | × |
         <u>View</u> F<u>a</u>vorites
     Edit
                        Tools
                              Help
                                             Media
                                                         B-∌ 3 - B 3 ♀
              Search
                                  Favorites
Address (C:\Documents and Settings\Administrator\Desktop\Emilio.html
                                                                             Links "
                                                                       € Go
 Emilio Estavez
Done
                                                              My Computer
```

As you can see, HTML is made up of *HTML tags* such as <HTML>, <HEAD>, <BODY>, etc. These HTML tags tell Internet Explorer how to display information like the name Emilio Estavez. All HTML files start with the *starting HTML tag* <HTML> and end with *ending HTML tag* </HTML>. There are two major sections that follow: the HEAD section, which contains header-type information like what to display in the title bar; and the BODY section, which is what is actually displayed on the page. The code in the HEAD section is never displayed in the webpage. As you can see above, in the HEAD section, we define the TITLE to be displayed at the top of Internet Explorer, while in the BODY section we display the name Emilio Estavez in the largest font available by using the H1 tag. Note that what appears in Internet Explorer is not very stylistic because the HTML tags do not define style but only define layout on the page. We'll get to style later on.

Let's create a more interesting web page using the data for the FatKids. In this case, we use the TABLE tag to create an Excel-like spreadsheet. Within the TABLE we have rows and columns. Each row is defined by using a TR tag. Each column – the data appearing in the rows, really – are defined by using the TD tag. Think of TR as meaning TABLE ROW and TD as meaning TABLE DATA. Here is the HTML code to display the FatKids data:

```
<HTML>
<HEAD>
 <TITLE>
  FatKids 2006 Data
 </TITLE>
</HEAD>
<BODY>
 <TABLE>
 <TR> <TD>KidName </TD> <TD>Height</TD> <TD>Weight</TD> </TR>
 <TR> <TD>ALBERT </TD> <TD>45 </TD> <TD>150 </TD> </TD> </TR>
                         </TD> <TD>123
 <TR> <TD>ROSEMARY</TD> <TD>35
                                      </TD> </TR>
 <TR> <TD>BUDDY </TD> <TD>12
                         </TD> <TD>189
                                      </TD> </TR>
                          </TD> <TD>198
 <TR> <TD>FARQUAR </TD> <TD>76
                                      </TD> </TR>
 </TABLE>
</BODY>
</HTML>
```

Note that we define a table using the starting tag <TABLE> and the ending tag </TABLE>. We define each row with the starting tag <TR> and the ending tag </TR>, and each data element (or cell) using the starting tag <TD> and ending tag </TD>. When you open this HTML file up in Internet Exporer, here is what you see:

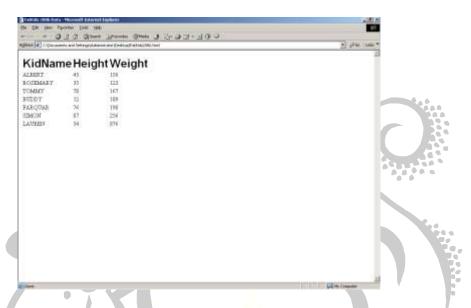


Again, this is not very stylistic: the headers are not bold, the font is not Courier, the numbers are not right-justified. Here is where **C**ascading **S**tyle **S**heets (CSS) comes in. CSS allows you to define the font, font size, and other more stylistic things for the individual items in your webpage. For example, suppose I wanted to use the Arial 24-point bold font for the headers. Here is what the code looks like to accomplish this:

<TR STYLE="font-family:Arial;font-size:24pt;font-weight:bold"><TD>KidName</TD><TD>Height</TD><TD>Weight</TD></TR>

As you can see, we are using the STYLE= element inside the TR tag that contains the headers. To define the font we want, we use the font-family attribute followed by a colon followed by the name of the font was want to use, Arial in this case. The define the font size, we use the font-size attribute followed by a colon followed by the number of points we want the font to be, 24pt in this case. To make the font bold, we use the font-weight attribute followed by a colon followed by the word bold.

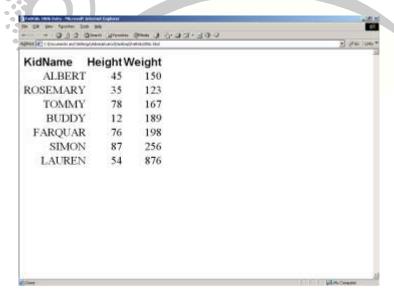
And here is what that looks like in Internet Explorer:



Next, let's make each row of data appear as 24 point Courier font with the data right-justified. Here is the code to do that (I only show one data row):

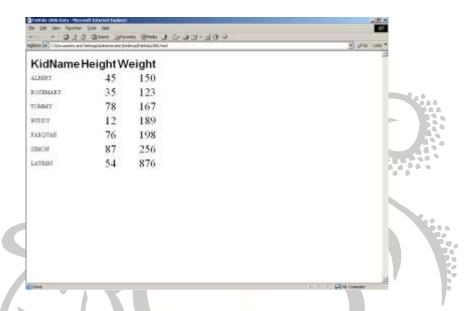
<TR STYLE="font-family:CourierNew;font-size:24pt;text-align:right"><TD>ALBERT</TD><TD>45</TD><TD>150</TD></TD></TR>

You'll notice that I removed the font-weight attribute since I don't want the text to be bold. Here is what the webpage looks like now:



As you can see, the name also appear right-justified, which is not exactly what we want. The reason that this occurred was that we put the STYLE= element inside each TR tag

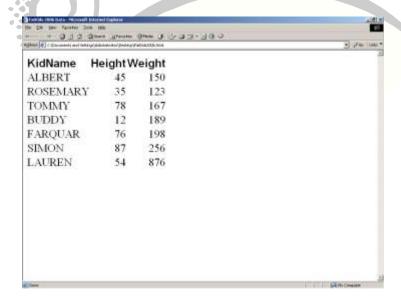
which causes the entire row to be affected. If we had placed the STYLE= element inside the TD tags containing the height and weight information, we would have this code (again only one row is shown):



Next, let's change the kid name to be Courier 24-point as well, but ensure that it'll be left-justified (here is part of one row):

<TD STYLE="font-family:CourierNew;font-size:24pt;text-align:left">ALBERT</TD>

and here is the result.

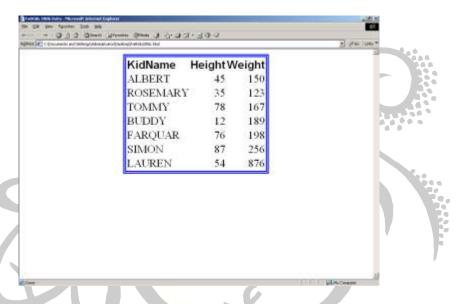


Next, let's center the table in the Internet Explorer window, and put a double border around the entire table. Here is the code to do that (only the TABLE row is shown):

```
<TABLE ALIGN="CENTER" STYLE="border:6pt double blue">
```

Note that we aligned the table using the ALIGN= element. In the STYLE= element use used the border attribute. The border attribute is followed by three space-delimited options: the size of the border (6pt in this example), the type of line to draw around the border (double in this example) and the color of the border (blue in this example).

And here is the result:



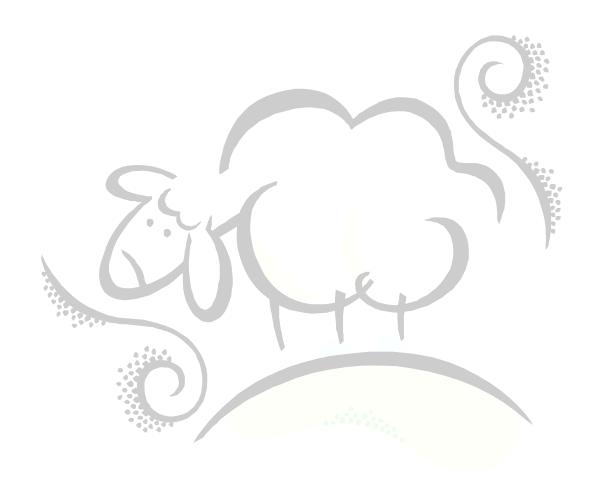
You can go crazy with stylistic changes, but I think you get the idea. The ability to change font family, font size, colors, alignments, etc. we've presented here is very similar to how SAS ODS approaches displaying SAS procedure output in a PDF, RTF, HTML, or whatever output destination you choose.

PART III

Easing Our Way to Style

Three Base SAS procedures – PRINT, REPORT and TABULATE – allow you to change *some* of the ODS style elements, such as font size and background colors, directly from the SAS procedure code itself. This differs from the remaining procedures which require you to use PROC TEMPLATE to achieve the same style changes. In this section we discuss how to change the style elements for the PRINT procedure and leave it up to the interested reader to look into REPORT and TABULATE. We discuss PROC TEMPLATE in the next section.

Note that the procedures PRINT, REPORT and TABULATE produce output in a *tabular* format similar to using the <TABLE> HTML tag described in the previous section...keep this in mind when reading through this section.



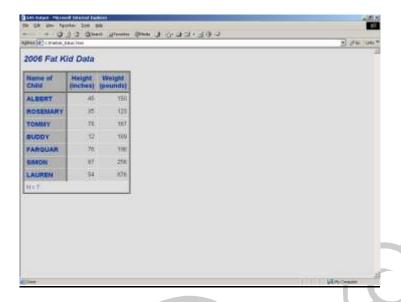
USING SAS ODS TO CHANGE PROC PRINT OUTPUT

If we were to run a PROC PRINT on the FatKids data, we would see the following output in the SAS Listing window:

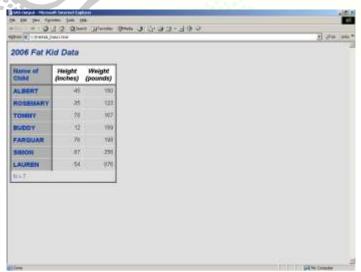
2006 Fat Ki	id Data		
Name of Child	Height (inches)	Weight (pounds)	
ALBERT	45	150	
ROSEMARY	35	123	L.
TOMMY	78	167	
BUDDY	12	189	
FARQUAR	76	198	_ / %
SIMON	87	256	F
LAUREN	54	876	/
		10	
N = 7			

No surprise, but this output is rather dull and is lacking in style. The PRINT procedure allows you to modify fonts, font sizes, colors and more for specific areas of the procedure output.

Note that these style changes do **NOT** work when using the LISTING output destination since it is simply text output. So, we will use the HTML output destination instead to produce a single webpage from our PRINT output. Here is the modified code and the corresponding output:



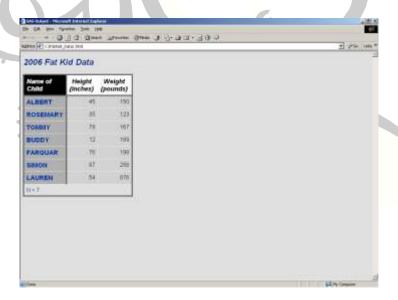
As you can see, the headings have a grey background with blue colored text. Let's change this PRINT output so that the headings have a white background and black colored italicized text. Here is the same PRINT code as above with a STYLE= option on the PROC PRINT line added in:



Take note that we specified the option STYLE followed by the word HEADER in parentheses, followed by an equal sign followed by three style attributes similar to the STYLE attributes we introduced in the previous section on Cascading Style Sheets. Note that in the PROC PRINT STYLE= option, we use blanks to delimit the attributes rather than using semi-colons.

Note that the Name of Child column was not affected by our HEADER style change. This is because the variable KidName is actually specified on the ID line and not the VAR line. The ID line has its own STYLE command. Let's try our PRINT again as above, but let's fix the ID column to have a black background and white italicized text:

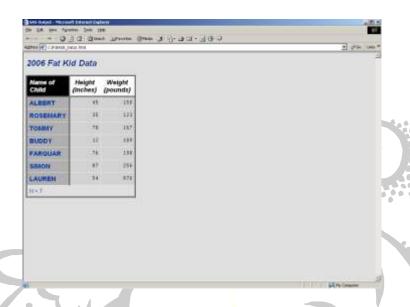
As you can see, we placed a STYLE option on the ID line after the slash. Here is the result:



Next, let's change the height and weight values to be the Courier font:

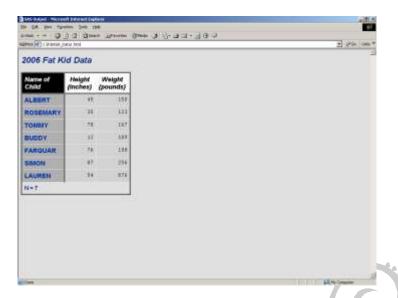
```
HeightInInches="Height*(inches)"
     WeightInPounds="Weight*(pounds)";
title1 "2006 Fat Kid Data";
run;
ods html close;
ods listing;
```

Here is the result:



As you can see, the font in the cells has changed to Courier. Next, let's make the text N=7 at the bottom of the SAS PRINT output bold as well. Here is the code and the resulting webpage:

```
ods listing close;
ods html file="C:\FatKids Data1.html";
proc print data=FatKids split="*" n
           style(HEADER)={font style=italic foreground=black
background=white}
           style(N)={font weight=bold};
 id KidName/style(HEADER)={font style=italic foreground=white
background=black);
 var HeightInInches WeightInPounds/style(DATA) = {font face=Courier};
 label KidName="Name of*Child"
       HeightInInches="Height*(inches)"
       WeightInPounds="Weight* (pounds) ";
 title1 "2006 Fat Kid Data";
run;
ods html close;
ods listing;
```



By now, you get the idea, so here is a list of all of the PROC PRINT sections you can change with the STYLE option: BYLABEL, DATA, GRANDTOTAL, HEADER, N, OBS, OBSHEADER, TABLE, and TOTAL. You can look up the style attributes you can change in the PROC PRINT section of the Base SAS Procedures Guide.

The remaining two procedures, REPORT and TABULATE, also have the ability the change style attributes just like PRINT. Please refer to the Base SAS Procedures Guide to learn more about these two procedures.

Note that we have been using curly braces ({}) to delimit the style attributes in this section. SAS also allows you to use brackets ([]) to delimit the style attributes. I decided to use curly braces in this section and the remaining sections as as reminder to the reader of the style attributes we encountered in the section on HTML and Cascading Style Sheets above.

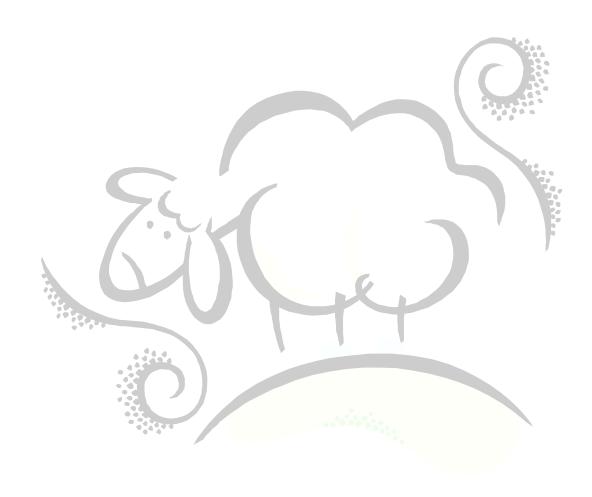
PART IV

PROC TEMPLATE is Life!

You can smoke a cigarette if you want to...or not. It's your decision because you have ultimate control over your body.

And PROC TEMPLATE gives you ultimate control over how to create personalized styles for your procedure output.

Sure, the last two sentences were trite and completely unrelated, but you didn't have to read them...it was your decision, smarty-pants!



Baby's Got BarrettsBlue Eyes

In Part I, when we tried the style named BarrettsBlue, the more curious of you may have wondered just where that style came from...and what style is used when BarrettsBlue is not used. As all of us SAS heads know, when we want to save a SAS dataset for later use, we can make a permanent SAS dataset; when we want to save a user-defined format for later use, we create a permanent format catalog; when we want save our graphs for later use in PROC REPLAY, say, we create a permanent graphics catalog. SAS comes with two precreated permanent catalogs containing the SAS-defined templates. These catalogs are known as *item stores* in SAS ODS lingo. You can show the location of these two item stores -- and any item stores you define yourself -- by using the ODS PATH statement as shown below:

```
ods path show;

Current ODS PATH list is:

1. SASUSER.TEMPLAT(UPDATE)

2. SASHELP.TMPLMST(READ)
```

You'll note the very familiar two-level SAS names, SASUSER and SASHELP. The first specifies that the item store TEMPLAT is located in SASUSER while the second, TMPLMST, is located in SASHELP. Note that the first item store, SASUSER.TEMPLAT, can be updated by you. While the second, SASHELP.TMPLMST, is read-only.

So, what's in these item stores? To list the items in each item store, use the PROC TEMPLATE LIST statement like this:

```
proc template;
  list/store=sashelp.tmplmst;
run;
```

Listing of: SASHELP.TMPLMST Path Filter is: * Sort by: PATH/ASCENDING

Obs	Path	Туре			
<skippe< td=""><td></td></skippe<>					
206	ed some lines> Base.Univariate	Dir			
207	Base.Univariate.BinPercents	Table			
208	Base.Univariate.Bins	Table			
209	Base.Univariate.ConfLimits	Table			
210	Base.Univariate.ExtObs	Table			
211	Base.Univariate.ExtVal	Table			
212	Base.Univariate.FitGood	Table			
213	Base.Univariate.FitParms	Table			
214	Base.Univariate.FitQuant	Table			
215	Base.Univariate.Frequency	Table			
216	Base.Univariate.LocCount	Table			
217	Base.Univariate.Location	Table			
218	Base.Univariate.Measures	Table			
219	Base.Univariate.Missings	Table			
220	Base.Univariate.Modes	Table			
221	Base.Univariate.Moments	Link			
222	Base.Univariate.Normal	Table			
223	Base.Univariate.PValue	Link			
224	Base.Univariate.Quantiles	Table			
225	Base.Univariate.Robustscale	Table			
226	Base.Univariate.Trim	Table			
227	Base.Univariate.Wins	Table			
<skipped lines="" some=""></skipped>					

What you see in the table above is all of the templates associated with the UNIVARIATE procedure. Recall from Part I that when we surrounded our PROC UNIVARIATE code with the ODS TRACE commands, we saw trace output like this:

Output Added:

Name: Moments Label: Moments

Template: base.univariate.Moments

Path: Univariate.WeightInPounds.Moments

You'll note that this trace tells you that the template associated with the UNIVARIATE procedure's *moments* output is base.univariate.Moments. You'll also notice that this template is located in the item store SASHELP.TMPLMST as you can see on the previous page. You could probably guess that the word "base" refers to the Base SAS procedures, the "univariate" refers to the procedure itself, and the "Moments" refers to the output. Each SAS procedure has one or more templates associated with it, one for each output.

Let's try this again, but this time let's search for all of the templates associated with the SURVEYMEANS procedure in the SAS STAT module. Here is the PROC TEMPLATE LIST code you can use to see all of the templates associated with all output generated by the SURVEYMEANS procedure:

```
proc template;
  list stat.surveymeans/store=sashelp.tmplmst;
run;
```

Listing of: SASHELP.TMPLMST
Path Filter is: Stat.Surveymeans

Sort by: PATH/ASCENDING

0bs	Path	Туре
1	Stat.SurveyMeans	Dir
2	Stat.SurveyMeans.CLHeadMean	Header
3	Stat.SurveyMeans.CLHeadRatio	Header
4	Stat.SurveyMeans.CLHeadSum	Header
5	Stat.SurveyMeans.ClassVarInfo	Table
6	Stat.SurveyMeans.Column	Column
7	Stat.SurveyMeans.Df	Link
8	Stat.SurveyMeans.Domain	Table
9	Stat.SurveyMeans.EqualSign	Column
10	Stat.SurveyMeans.Factoid	Link
11	Stat.SurveyMeans.Header	Header
12	Stat.SurveyMeans.L1SideCLHeadMean	Header
13	Stat.SurveyMeans.L1SideCLHeadSum	Header
14	Stat.SurveyMeans.LCLMean	Header
15	Stat.SurveyMeans.LCLSum	Header
16	Stat.SurveyMeans.Probt	Link
17	Stat.SurveyMeans.Ratio	Table
18	Stat.SurveyMeans.StackingDomain	Table
19	Stat.SurveyMeans.StackingStatistics	Table
20	Stat.SurveyMeans.StackingStrataInfo	Table
21	Stat.SurveyMeans.Statistics	Table

```
22 Stat.SurveyMeans.StdErr Link
23 Stat.SurveyMeans.StrataInfo Table
24 Stat.SurveyMeans.U1SideCLHeadMean Header
25 Stat.SurveyMeans.U1SideCLHeadSum Header
26 Stat.SurveyMeans.UCLMean Header
27 Stat.SurveyMeans.UCLSum Header
28 Stat.SurveyMeans.tValue Link
```

As you can see in both the UNIVARIATE and SURVEYMEANS list of templates, there is a single line labeled Dir under the Types heading. Dir stands for Directory. Item stores are arranged in an hierarchical fashion meaning that there is top-level directory and items below it. (Ignore the remaining Types for now.)

That's all well and good, but where does BarrettsBlue come from? Well, if you scanned the entire PROC TEMPLATE LIST, you'll notice a directory labeled Styles. Under this directory, there is Styles.BarrettsBlue as well as the default style Styles.Default, which is used when you do not specify a style like BarrettsBlue. As a reminder, here is the code we used in Part I:

```
ods pdf style=BarrettsBlue file="C:\FatKids_Analysis2.pdf";
```

You can specify the STYLE= option for PDF, HTML and any other output destination except for LISTING and OUTPUT. Note that LISTING is plain-text and is not affected by colors and fonts and OUTPUT is used to create a SAS dataset which is equally not affected by colors and fonts.

Take note that there is no mention of either SASUSER.TEMPLAT or SASHELP.TMPLMST when referring to Styles.BarrettsBlue. That's because all item stores are searched until a match is found. The output of the ODS PATH SHOW command lists the search path in order.

So, how does knowing all of this help you out? Well, with PROC TEMPLATE you have the choice of either creating your own templates from scratch, or using a pre-defined template and just modifying the styles you are concerned with. The rest of this chapter focuses on modifying pre-defined templates.

Recall from Part III that we modified styles in the PRINT procedure of the FatKids data to change the header fonts, colors, etc. Let's try that example again, but we will use the default style Styles.Default and modify it. The first thing we have to know is: what does Styles.Default looks like from a SAS code standpoint? To see the PROC TEMPLATE code behind Styles.Default, issue the following command:

```
proc template;
  source Styles.Default;
run;
```

We won't show the code here because there is a lot to it, but be aware that the HEADER and DATA that we modified in the PRINT procedure in Part III are the same names you use in your PROC TEMPLATE. Here is the PROC TEMPLATE code to mimic the PRINT procedure from Part III:

```
proc template;
```

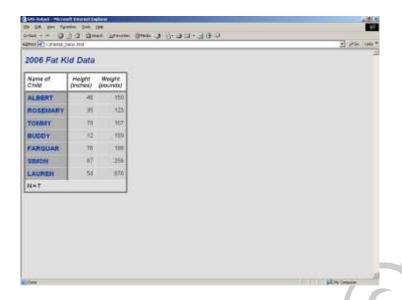
As with other SAS procedures, you start off with PROC TEMPLATE. Next, you issue a DEFINE STYLE command followed by the name of your new style, here we called it MyNewStyle. Next, we tell PROC TEMPLATE that we are going to inherit the style information from Styles. Default so that we do not have to define all of the styles. Next, we change three styles. The first two are familiar: HEADER and DATA. These two have the same meaning as the styles in the PRINT procedure from Part III. Note that in order to change the style for the HEADERs, we let PROC TEMPLATE know that we are inheriting all of the default header information from Styles. Default by using the syntax: style header from header. Then, we go ahead and change the header font and colors after the forward slash in a similar way to the PRINT procedure.

Next, the NOTECONTENT is associated with the N=7 information from the PRINT procedure in PART III. I determined that I needed to modify the NOTECONTENT by looking at the CLASS= attribute in the HTML that is generated by the ODS HTML output file. Here is what the N=7 row looks like at the bottom of the HTML file FatKids_Data1.html:

```
N = 7
```

The lowercase letter "L" means to left-justify the text N=7 in the table data field. Take note of the NOTECONTENT class. This indicates to SAS what the style is called and how we knew what style to modify in the PROC TEMPLATE code.

Here is the ODS HTML code that uses MyNewStyle:



As you can see, the headers all have a white background, but the results from our PRINT procedure in Part III had a black background for the text "Name of Child". Based on the discussion thus far, there is no way to change the background color of just a single column of data. We will, of course, show you how to get around this later on.

Now, if you are happy with the style MyNewStyle you have created, you probably want to save it in your own item store. Note that by default any new style is stored in SASUSER.TEMPLAT in the Styles "directory". If you want to create your own item store to contain just your own styles, you can define a SAS Libname to a location of your choice and store your style there. Here is an example of how to create your own item store and place your new style MyNewStyle in a directory called MyStyles:

```
libname MyItmStr "C:\";
run;
ods path (PREPEND) MyItmStr.MyStyles(UPDATE);
ods path show;
proc template;
 define style MyStyles.MyNewStyle;
 parent=Styles.Default;
  style HEADER from HEADER/font style=Italic
                           foreground=black
                           background=white;
  style DATA from DATA/font face=CourierNew;
  style NOTECONTENT from NOTECONTENT/font weight=Bold;
 end;
run;
proc template;
 list /store=MyItmStr.MyStyles;
```

Note that we set up a SAS Libname to the location of the item store. Item stores have an extension of .sas7bitm. Next, recall that we said that SASUSER.TEMPLAT and

SASHELP.TMPLMST are SAS-defined default item stores. As we explained before, these two item stores are searched in order based on the results of issuing an ODS PATH SHOW command. In order for out new style to be found in the search path when we are creating a brand new item store, we must add our item store to the search path. In this case, we are prepending our item store to the search path so that our new style is found quickly and SAS does not have to search through all of the item stores to find it. Next, we enter in the libname followed by a dot followed by the work MyStyles. MyStyles is the name of our directory and any styles we create will appear under that directory. Next, we ensure that we can update our new item store by entering the keyword UPDATE in parentheses. Next, we issue an ODS PATH SHOW command to see if the path has been updated. Here are the results of this command in the SAS Log file:

```
Current ODS PATH list is:

1. MYITMSTR.MYSTYLES (UPDATE)
2. SASUSER.TEMPLAT (UPDATE)
3. SASHELP.TMPLMST (READ)
```

Next, we rerun out PROC TEMPLATE only this time we tell the DEFINE STYLE statement where to place our new style: MyStyles.MyNewStyle. If you list your item store, this is what you will see:

```
proc template;
list/store=MyItmStr.MyStyles;
run;

Listing of: MYITMSTR.MYSTYLES
Path Filter is: *
Sort by: PATH/ASCENDING

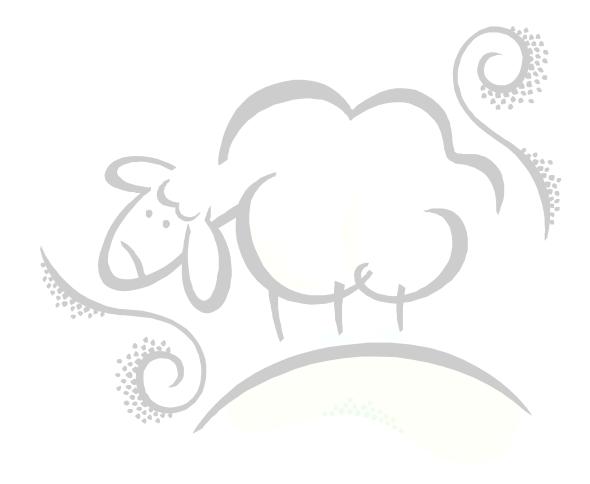
Obs Path Type

1 MyStyles
2 MyStyles.MyNewStyle Style
```

If you want to see the PROC TEMPLATE source code for your style MyNewStyles, you issue this code and your PROC TEMPLATE source code will appear in the SAS Log file:

```
proc template;
  source MyStyles.MyNewStyle/store=MyItmStr.MyStyles;
run;

1520  proc template;
  1521   source MyStyles.MyNewStyle/store=MyItmStr.MyStyles;
  NOTE: Path 'MyStyles.MyNewStyle' is in: MYITMSTR.MYSTYLES.
  define style MyStyles.MyNewStyle / store = MYITMSTR.MYSTYLES;
   parent = Styles.Default;
    style HEADER from HEADER /
       background = white
       foreground = black
       font_style = Italic;
       style DATA from DATA /
```



The Author's a Big Fat Liar!

Recall in Part II we briefly introduced PROC REPORT and then said that PROC TEMPLATE and PROC REPORT had many things in common. The previous section focused on just styles – my little white lie to you – but PROC TEMPLATE gives you more than just the ability to change fonts and colors, it allows you to define columns just like PROC REPORT. In fact, PROC TEMPLATE goes even futher in that you can define headers, footers, and can even change the color of a cell based on the value of the data. Recall I mentioned that you should consider SAS procedure output as just a table of data. In fact, in order to use PROC TEMPLATE to its fullest, you begin by defining a table and then within the table you define columns, headers, footers, styles, etc.

Let's design a template for the FatKid data:

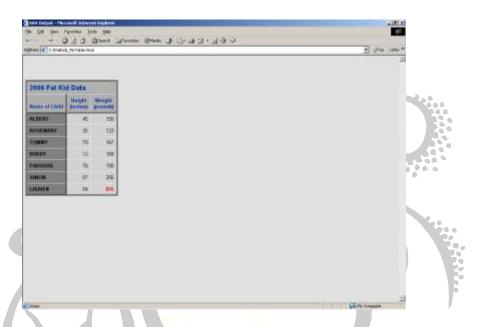
```
proc template;
 /* Here we start to define the table definition */
 define table FatKidTable;
  /* Define the columns...these are not the same as the
  /* column names in the dataset.
  column tFatKidName tFatKidHeight tFatKidWeight;
  /* Let PROC TEMPLATE know what the TITLE1 is called *,
  header hdr1;
  /* Define TITLE1 */
  define header hdr1;
   text "2006 Fat Kid Data";
   style=header{font size=4 just=left};
  end;
  /* Define the column representing the KidName */
  define tFatKidName;
   /* Define the header of this column */
   define header hdrName;
    text "Name of Child";
    style=header{font size=2 font weight=bold};
    iust=center;
   end;
   id=on; /* Force this column to repeat when there are several pages */
   just=left;
   vjust=middle; /* vjust is the vertical justification */
   style=data{font size=2 background=grey font weight=bold};
   header=hdrName;
  end;
  /* Define the column representing the Height */
  define tFatKidHeight;
   /* Define the header of this column */
```

```
define header hdrHt;
    text "Height*(inches)";
    style=header{font size=2 font weight=bold};
    just=center;
    split="*";
  end;
   id=off;
  just=right;
  vjust=middle;
  style=data{font size=2};
  header=hdrHt;
  end;
  /* Define the column representing the Weight */
  define tFatKidWeight;
   /* Define the header of this column */
  define header hdrWt;
    text "Weight* (pounds) ";
    style=header{font size=2 font weight=bold};
    just=center;
    split="*";
  end;
  id=off;
   just=right;
  vjust=middle;
  header=hdrWt;
  style=data{font size=2};
   /* Create a CellStyle that will turn the font bold and colored red */
   /* if WeightInPounds is more than 500.
   cellstyle val >500 as data{font size=2
                                font weight=bold
                                foreground=red};
  end;
end;
run;
```

Here is the code to use our newly defined template. Note that the COLUMNS associate a column in the table definition above with the columns we have in the dataset FatKids:

```
tFatKidWeight=WeightInPounds
);
put _ods_;
run;
ods html close;
ods listing;
```

Here are the results:

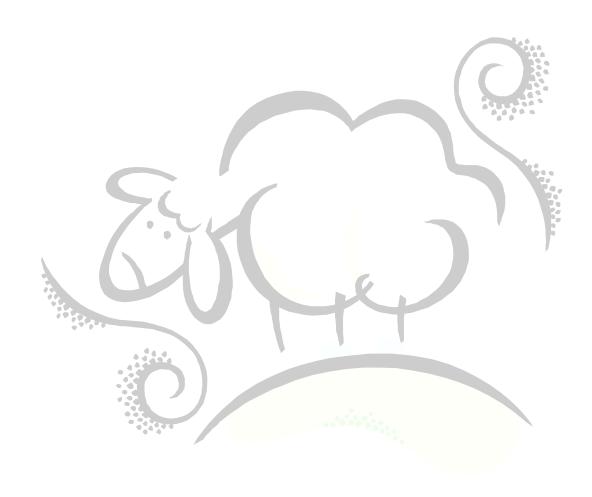


It may not surprise you that there are many more things you can do with PROC TEMPLATE than we discussed in this little chapter. Consult the SAS Output Delivery System manual for much more!!

PART V

Tag! You're It!

Besides creating style and table definitions, PROC TEMPLATE allows you to create your own *tagset*. A tagset enables you to create your own markup language like XML or HTML, or as you will see below, you can output anything you like.



Quick Intro to Tagsets

The SAS Output Delivery System comes with several built-in tagsets, as you can see from the code below:

```
proc template;
  list Tagsets;
run;
```

Listing of: SASHELP.TMPLMST Path Filter is: Tagsets Sort by: PATH/ASCENDING

Obs	Path	Туре
1	Tagsets	Dir
2	Tagsets.Accessible	Tagset
3	Tagsets.Cascading_styleshe	et Tagset
4	Tagsets.Chtml	Tagset
5	Tagsets.Colorlatex	Tagset
6	Tagsets.Config_debug	Tagset
7	Tagsets.Csv	Tagset
8	Tagsets.Csvall	Tagset
9	Tagsets.Csvbyline	Tagset
10	Tagsets.Default	Tagset
11	Tagsets.Docbook	Tagset
12	Tagsets.Event_map	Tagset
13	Tagsets.ExcelXP	Tagset
14	Tagsets.Graph	Tagset
15	Tagsets.Graph_rtf	Tagset
16	Tagsets.Html4	Tagset
17	Tagsets.Htmlcss	Tagset
18	Tagsets.Htmlpanel	Tagset
19	Tagsets.Imode	Tagset
20	Tagsets.Latex	Tagset
21	Tagsets.MSOffice2k	Tagset
22	Tagsets.Mvshtml	Tagset
23	Tagsets.Namedhtml	Tagset
24	Tagsets.Odsapp	Tagset
25	Tagsets.Odsgraph	Tagset
26	Tagsets.Odsstyle	Tagset
27	Tagsets.Odsxrpcs	Tagset
28	Tagsets.Phtml	Tagset
29	Tagsets.Pmml	Tagset
30	Tagsets.Pyx	Tagset
31	Tagsets.Rtf	Tagset
32	Tagsets.SASReport10	Tagset
33	Tagsets.SASReport11	Tagset
34	Tagsets.SASReport12	Link
35	Tagsets.SASReport13	Link
36	Tagsets.SASReport14	Link
37	Tagsets.SASReport15	Link
38	Tagsets.SASReport_html	Link
39	Tagsets.SASReport_html1	Link
40	Tagsets.Sasreport_html10	Tagset
41	Tagsets.Sasreport_html11	Tagset
42	Tagsets.Sasxmacc	Tagset
43	Tagsets.Sasxmacc2002	Tagset
44	Tagsets.Sasxmacc2003	Tagset

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      Tagsets.Short map
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      Tagsets.Simplelatex
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      Tagsets. Style display
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      Tagsets.Style popup
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      Tagsets.Supermap
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       Tagsets.Tablesonlylatex
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      Tagsets.Text map
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      Tagsets.Tpl style_list
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```

We can create our own tagset by inheriting the tagset information from one of the previously defined tagsets above. In the code below, we inherit from the CSV tagset and change how the tagset code works so that given an incoming dataset, the output is a series of Oracle INSERT INTO statements.

```
proc template;
 define tagset OracleInserts; /* OracleInserts is the name of out tagset */
 parent=Tagsets.Csv;
  /st Define TBLNAME as an incoming macro variable that defines the
  /* name of the table.
 mvar tblname;
  /* Initialize two variables, $flag which indicates whether we can */
  /st write the row and $totcols which is the total number of columns st/
  /* in the dataset.
  define event initialize;
   eval $flag 0;
   eval $totcols 0;
  /* We undefine the event HEADER so that we don't print the column */
  /* headers to our file...Oracle wouldn't like this!!
  define event header;
  end;
  /* Use the COL HEADER LABEL event to count the total number of
  /st columns in the dataset...this event occurs before the data rows st/
  /* are processed by PROC TEMPLATE.
```

```
define event col header label;
   eval $totcols $totcols+1;
  end;
  ^{\prime \star} For each row of data, we output the text INSERT INTO tblname VALUES ( ^{\star \prime}
  /* only if our $flag is not zero. We finish the row event by outputting */
  /* the final right parenthesis and the slash for Oracle.
  /* Note that we start counting of the current column at zero.
                                                                               * /
 define event row;
   start:
   eval $curcol 0;
   put 'INSERT INTO ' tblname ' VALUES('/if $flag;
   put ")" nl "/" nl/if $flag;
  end;
  /* Write out the actual data values by surrounding text with quotes and */
  /* leaving numbers along. Dates will also be surrounded by quotes.
 define event data;
   start:
   eval $curcol $curcol+1;
    put 'INSERT INTO ' tblname ' VALUES('/if ^$flag;
    put '"' VALUE '"'/if cmp("string",type);
   put VALUE/if !cmp("string",type);
    eval $diff $curcol-$totcols;
    put ','/if $diff;
   finish:
    eval $flag 1;
 end;
end;
run;
```

Here is the SAS code used to create our INSERT statements. Notice how we define the SAS macro variable TBLNAME to be the name of the table we are inserting data into:

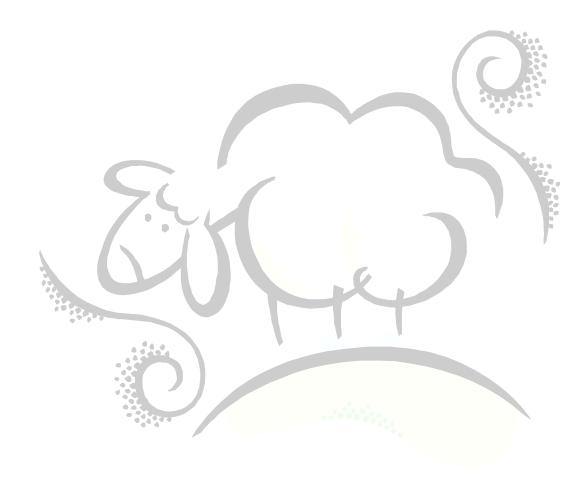
```
%Let tblname=FATTY_TABLE;
ods markup file="C:\Fatty_Table_Inserts.sql" tagset=OracleInserts;
proc print data=FatKids noobs;
  var KidName HeightInInches WeightInPounds;
run;
ods markup close;
```

And this is what the output looks like:

```
INSERT INTO FATTY_TABLE VALUES("ALBERT", 45, 150)
/
INSERT INTO FATTY_TABLE VALUES("ROSEMARY", 35, 123)
/
INSERT INTO FATTY_TABLE VALUES("TOMMY", 78, 167)
/
INSERT INTO FATTY TABLE VALUES("BUDDY", 12, 189)
```

```
/
INSERT INTO FATTY_TABLE VALUES("FARQUAR",76,198)
/
INSERT INTO FATTY_TABLE VALUES("SIMON",87,256)
/
INSERT INTO FATTY_TABLE VALUES("LAUREN",54,876)
/
```

Note that you can use the CSV tagset to create comma-separated values from your SAS dataset.



PART VI

Zen ODS!

Two new ODS features available in SAS Version 9 are ODS LAYOUT and ODS REGION. These two features allow you put more than one report or graph on a single page in a similar way to PROC GREPLAY except it's easier! We like easy!

Quick Example of ODS LAYOUT and ODS REGION

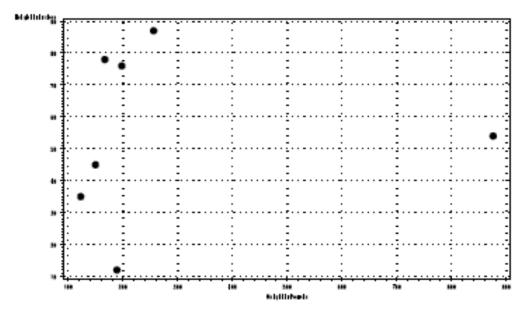
Below is an example SAS program that places four graphical images on a single page. The graph appears at the end.

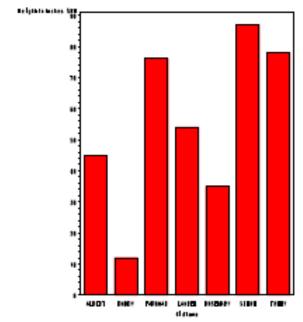
```
options center nodate nonumber;
run;
data FatKids;
infile cards;
input @1 KidName
                    $char8.
      @10 HeightInInches 2.
      @15 WeightInPounds 3.;
 FattyIndex=WeightInPounds/HeightInInches;
cards;
ALBERT
         45
              150
ROSEMARY 35
              123
TOMMY
        78 167
       12
              189
BUDDY
FARQUAR 76
              198
SIMON
       87
              256
         54
              876
LAUREN
run;
goptions reset=symbol
run;
title1 "Fat Kid Data and Graphs";
title2;
ods listing close;
ods pdf style=BarrettsBlue file="c:\temp\FatKidData.pdf" notoc;
ods layout start width=8.5in height=11in;
ods region x=.25in y=.25in width=8in height=2.5in;
proc print data=FatKids label split="*" noobs;
var KidName HeightInInches WeightInPounds FattyIndex;
  label KidName="Kid Name"
         HeightInInches="Height*(inches)"
       WeightInPounds="Weight* (pounds) "
       FattyIndex="Fatty*Index";
run;
symbol1 interpol=none value=dot height=.5in;
ods region x=.25in y=2.5in width=7in height=3.5in;
proc gplot data=FatKids;
plot HeightInInches*WeightInPounds/frame grid;
title1;
 title2;
run;
quit;
```

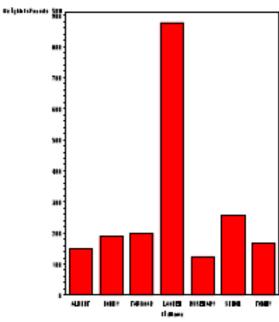
```
ods region x=.25in y=6.25in width=3.5in height=3.8in;
proc gchart data=FatKids;
vbar KidName/sumvar=HeightInInches frame;
 title1;
 title2;
run;
quit;
ods region x=4.25in y=6.25in width=3.5in height=3.8in;
proc gchart data=FatKids;
 vbar KidName/sumvar=WeightInPounds frame;
 title1;
 title2;
run;
quit;
ods layout end;
ods pdf close;
ods listing;
```

Fat Kid Data and Graphs

Kid Name		Weight (pounds)	Fatty Index
ALBERT	45	150	3.3333
ROSEMARY	35	123	3.5143
TOMMY	78	167	2.1410
BUDDY	12	189	15.7500
FARQUAR	76	198	2.6053
SIMON	87	256	2.9425
LAUREN	54	876	16.2222







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