

# Re: exporting crystal report to Excel

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Thanks a lot. It worked!! But now I should tell you that it doesn't work when I export it to Excel or some other MS office format like MsWord format. So to export to excel, I did two changes: one is ExportFormatType.Excel AND the other is Response.ContentType = "application/vnd.ms-excel". Apparently it should work. But what happening is the excel application opens in the browser but showing no report just saying : "You are curently not logged in. Please Log in first!". This is kind of weird to me because this message only comes when somebody tries to access my website's any page without Logging In. So to find out whats going wrong I put a break point at Page\_Init procedure. So I step through each line and just after executing Response.End() statement I found that the page loads itself and as result of that it breaks again at Page\_Init procedure. But as I am checking at the begining whether user is logged in or not and apparently when this page gets executed 2nd time, it doesn't have any session information thus resulting "You are curently not logged in. Please Log in first!" message but displays in the excel application opened in the browser. One more thing I also observed that whenever I clicked to get the report, I always see a small window appearing for very short period of time at the top left corner with a progress bar stating "Transferring... <http://localhost/webreadfile/report.aspx>. I really don't know whats causing this twice execution because it only happens when I try to export cystal report to some MS Office format such as MS Excel.

I also tried to put trace on and there I also confirmed it that this page is getting executed twice in case of exporting to Excel format. Exporting to PDF works perfect.

I would really really appreciate your help.

thanks.

"Elton W" <EltonW@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message news:9B101AE8-853E-457D-845C-909550491D72@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx > Hi Mustufa,  
>  
> You can try following code:

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>
> Dim oStream As System.IO.MemoryStream =
> myReport.ExportToStream(ExportFormatType.PortableDocFormat)
> ' No need a New MemoryStream
>
> Response.Clear()
>
> Response.Buffer() = True
>
> Response.ContentType = "application/pdf"
>
> Try
>
> Response.BinaryWrite(oStream.ToArray())
>
> Catch err As Exception
>
> Response.Write("< BR >")
>
> Response.Write(err.Message.ToString)
>
> End Try
>
> oStream.Close() ' Close stream before end response
>
> Response.End()
>
> If it doesn't work, please let us know.
>
> HTH
>
> Elton Wang
> elton_wang@xxxxxxxxxxxxx
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>
> > Hi everybody.
>>
>> I have an ASP.NET website where clients can view their monthly billings
by
>> selecting different options. One of the option is the way they want to
see
>> the report i.e. whether they want to see it in PDF or EXCEL etc etc.....
>> What I am trying to acheive is depending on their choice of format, I
want
>> to send the stream of that particulae selected format to the browser. I
have
>> tried couple od solutions but I couldn't able to get them to work.
Following
>> is one of them.
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>> Following should work but I m getting the following error: "Thread was
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being
>> aborted.
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>>
>> Private Sub xlsExport()
>>
>> Dim oStream As New System.IO.MemoryStream()
>>
>> oStream =
myReport.ExportToStream(ExportFormatType.PortableDocFormat)
>>
>> Response.Clear()
>>
>> Response.Buffer() = True
>>
>> Response.ContentType = "application/pdf"
>>
>> Try
>>
>> Response.BinaryWrite(oStream.ToArray())
>> <----- error occured after this
>>
>> Response.End()
>>
>> Catch err As Exception
>>
>> Response.Write("< BR >")
>>
>> Response.Write(err.Message.ToString)
>>
>> End Try
>>
>> End Sub
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>> Any help or sugestion will be highly appreciated.
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>> Thanks.
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