

Find Out What You're Missing: SAS Enterprise Guide for SAS Programmers

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The itemized invoice...

Services rendered	Line Total
Tapping on the machine	\$1
Knowing where to tap	\$99
Total	\$100

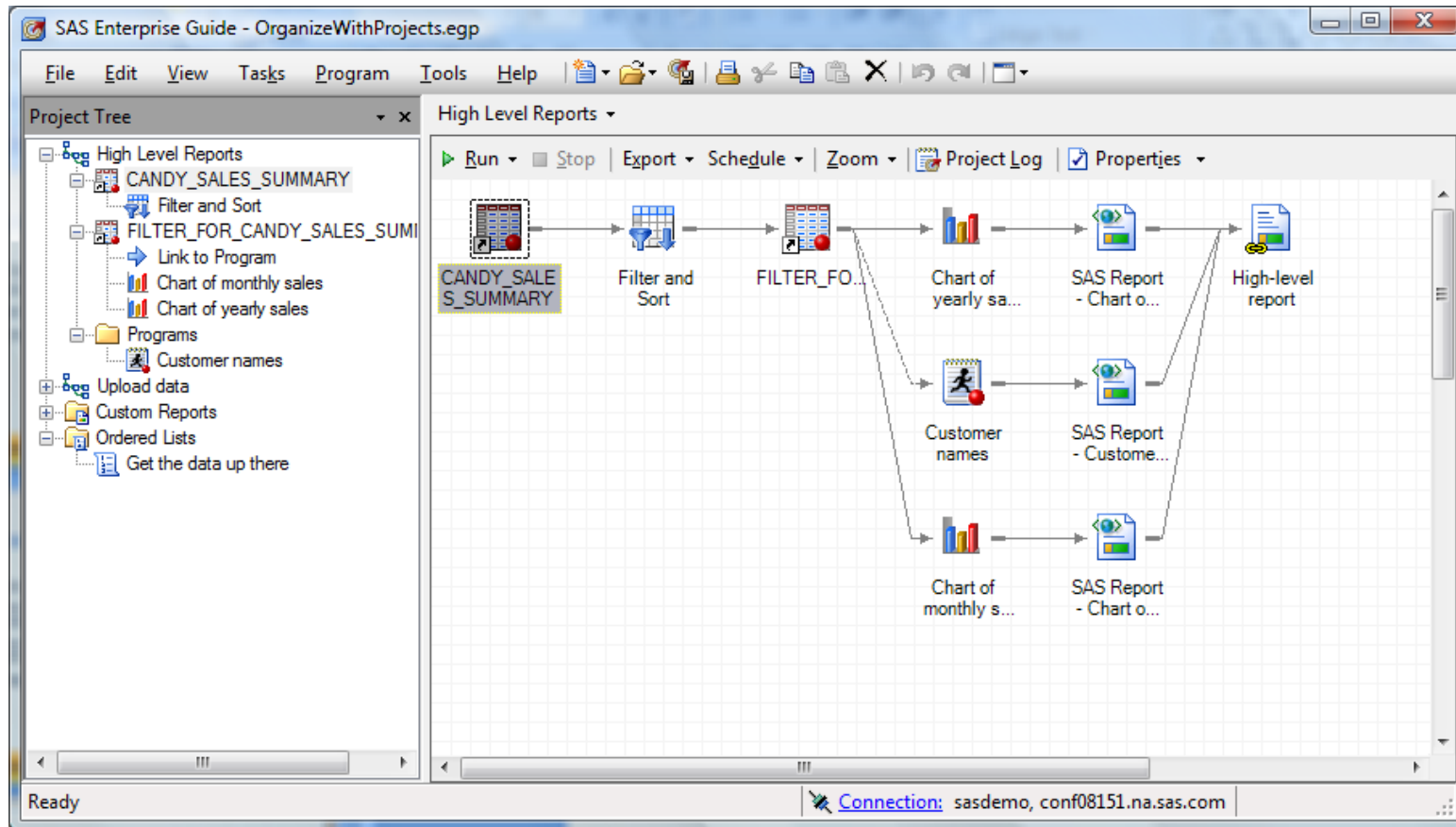
What's in it for me?

- Organize your work in project files
- Let built-in tasks do the heavy lifting
- Get flexible with project prompts and conditions
- A few things don't work. Avoid those.

Organize your work in projects

- Use projects to organize logical units of work
- Use the process flow to control order of execution
- Use the ordered list to run a specific collection of items
- Keep a record of everything in the project log

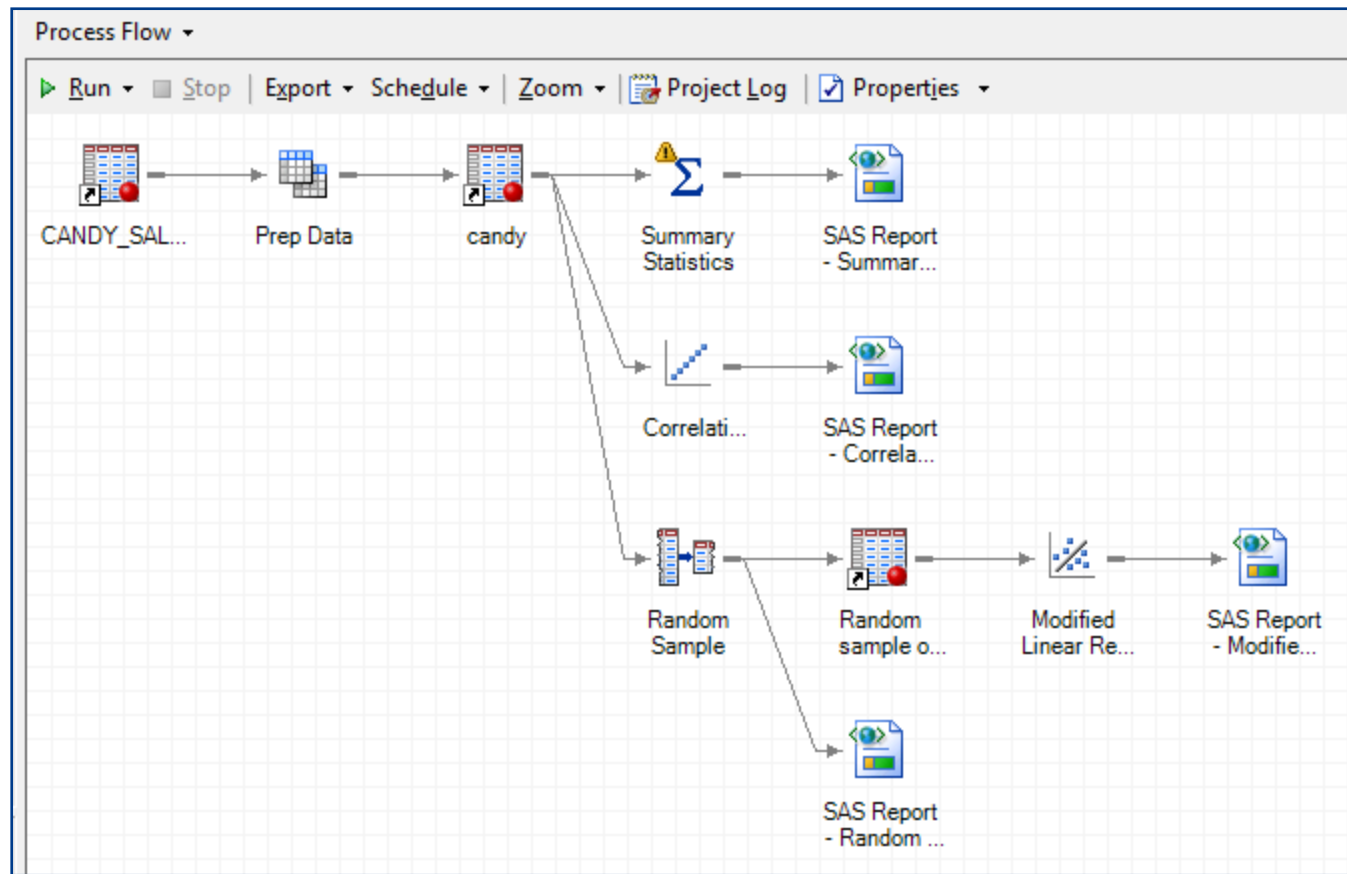
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Use tasks for the heavy lifting

- About 90 built-in tasks that write code for you
- Copy and modify generated code for your own use
- Insert your own code within the tasks
- Save your favorites with task templates

Demo



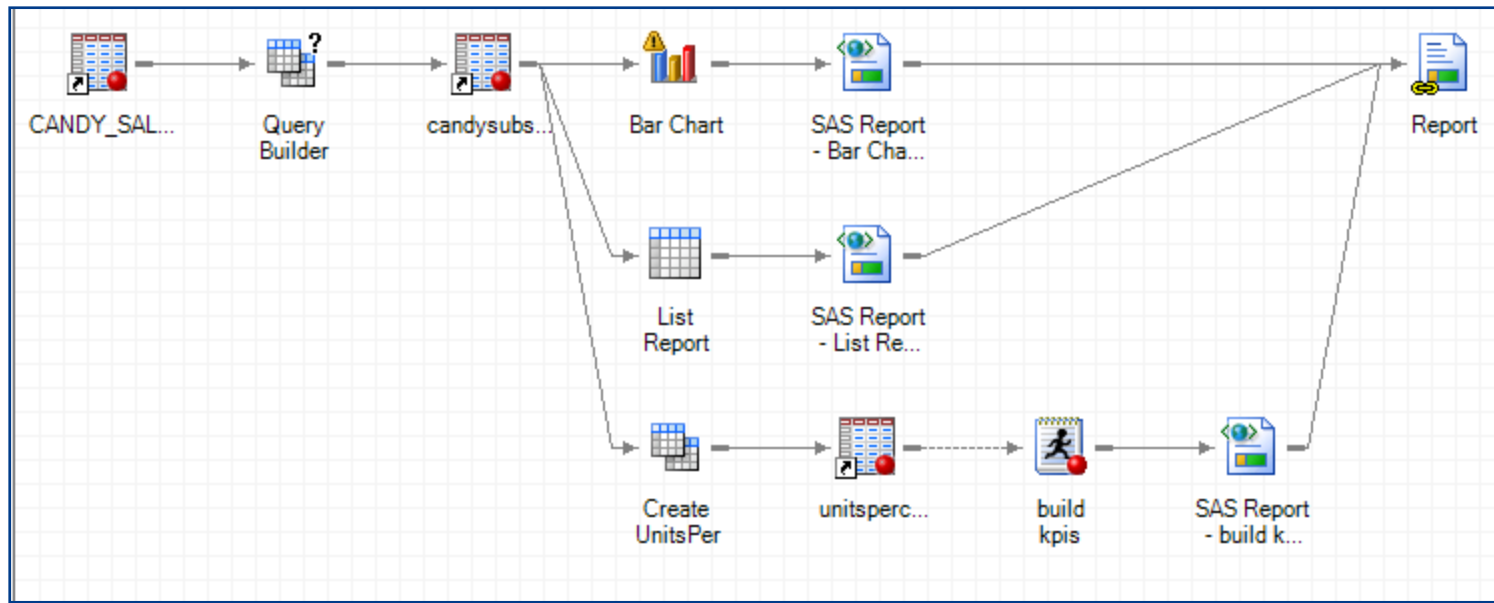
Get flexible with prompts

- Prompts within queries to generate different result sets
- Prompts within your programs
- Prompts are just like a macro variable

Flex even more with conditions

- If-then-else logic for your process flow
- Use on queries, tasks, SAS programs
- Decide based on prompts, data values, date/time

Demo



A few things that don't work...very well

- DDE is “D.O.A.”
- Ending with ENDSAS and ABORT ABEND
- SAS/AF and %WINDOW: nowhere to show

Review

- Organize with projects
- Use tasks to do some of your work
- Reuse your work with prompts and conditions
- Remember what doesn't work

Your invoice...

Services rendered	Line Total
Creating the monthly report with SAS Enterprise Guide	\$1
Knowing where place the 4-line DATA step	\$99
Total	\$100