## **Z-Reports**

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## Create powerful CMN/ZMF reports or charts without any programming



Creating (new) reports (or customizing existing ones) with standard ChangeMan ZMF facilities is quite a challenge. ChangeMan ZMF is delivered with some out-of-the-box reports, but here are the typical issues to actually use them:

- these reports are rather basic, due to which they are either not used, or (quite a lot) customized.
- customizing those reports requires some knowledge about ChangeMan ZMF's (green) XML services, as well as REXX programming skills.
- when upgrading to a new release of ChangeMan ZMF, such customized reports (written in REXX, and using XML services) may sometimes be quite a challenge.
- etc.

The Z-Reports category covers all sorts of predefined reports (and charts) that were *developed* with AbitMORE SCM Reporting (=ASR), and which can be *executed* with the (free of charge) **ASR runtime** software (a prerequisite for executing any Z-Report). Using these Z-Reports will give you lots of additional reporting (and charting) capabilities as compared to using the standard reporting features that come with ChangeMan ZMF. Even better: no need for any REXX (or any other language)

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programming skills, and no need to know anything about the XML services. And via <u>Z-Reports On Demand</u> any of the Z-Reports can be tailored to perfectly fit your needs.

Below is a list of all available topics ( $\underline{Z$ -Issues) that fit into this category, with more upcoming topics in this category mentioned in the  $\underline{Z}$ -Factory roadmap.

If you have other topics that you think fit into this category, please let us know!

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