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How to Overcome Limitations in Data warehouses and Canned Reports with PeopleSoft query; and how this knowledge can help you be the rockstar in your PeopleSoft HCM/UCPath implementation

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Agenda

- Discuss why you should care about Psoft Query
 - UCPath!
 - Your Reports and Data-warehouses are not all that:
 - Security Access Example
 - Journal Line Example With a demo of Psoft query tool
 - Back to UCPATH PPS and HCM tables & example
- Questions





Why Should You Care? You don't even have PeopleSoft?

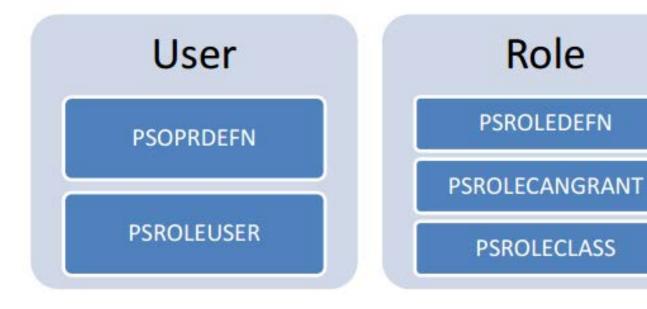
- UCPath is PeopleSoft HCM!
- We don't know if we'll have access to the Psoft query tool, but the tables are the same across the campuses....
- Internal Audit can assist in data conversion, parallel and interface testing

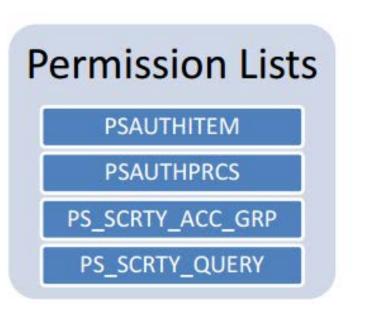




Example 1

Security Tables







Example 1 – Security table - PSOPRDEFN

User (masked)	Prim	Row Sec	Last	Locked	Prcs Prfl	Nav Perm	Last Signon Dat	Last Upd DtTm	Last Upd	Comme
▼	Perm Li ▼	Prm Lst ▼	Change 💌	Out?	Class	List 🔻	▼	▼	User 💌	
ACCTG1	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	2/11/2015	0	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	8/2/2017 15:25	2/17/2016 15:19	BILL	
IT1	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	2/11/2015	1	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	11/17/2013 10:18	8/19/2015 9:46	JOE	
ор	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	6/27/2017	0	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS		6/27/2017 13:59	BILL	
IT3	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	6/27/2017	0	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	8/2/2017 13:45	7/18/2017 14:26	BILL	who?
accountant	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	2/11/2015	0	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS		9/15/2009 9:06	JOE	
batch	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	2/11/2015	0	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	8/2/2017 18:10	2/11/2015 11:13	JOE	
IT6	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	2/11/2015	0	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	10/7/2011 15:10	6/15/2017 16:15	JOE	
webservice			2/11/2015	0			7/12/2017 17:08	9/27/2004 16:18	VP1	
IT7	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	2/11/2015	0	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	8/2/2017 16:31	10/25/2010 10:25	PSBATCH	
vp	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	2/11/2015	0	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	8/2/2017 17:05	9/17/2013 9:34	PSBATCH	
nilo	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	2/24/2016	0	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	8/1/2017 12:18	2/24/2016 17:24	EACS	
account	MACHINE	MACHINE	2/11/2015	0	MACHINE	MACHINE	12/1/2015 8:01	3/10/2014 10:56	JOE	
IT9	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	2/11/2015	0	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	5/16/2012 14:04	9/26/2012 14:16	BILL	retired?
IT10	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	7/6/2015	0	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS		7/6/2015 12:26	JOE	
laura	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	4/26/2017	0	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	8/2/2017 17:48	4/26/2017 16:39	EACS	
IT19	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS	6/23/2015	0	ALLPNLS	ALLPNLS		6/23/2015 10:45	BILL	who?



Example 2 – Journal Lines Example

Not all data is in your datawarehouse/ODS (transactor/reviewer/reviewed date/review status).

Per	Transac	Description	Journal ID	Line #	Line Description	Org	Org Description	Activity	Activity Description	FY.↓
12	BATCH	Web Recharge	FDR0075245	58	TAPS-PRMIT - Dail	ORG30	Facilities/Architects	A01597	A&E General Admin	2017
12	BATCH	Web Recharge	FDR0075375	52	VCA - IT - BASIT F	ORG30	Facilities/Architects	A01597	A&E General Admin	2017
12	BATCH	Web Recharge	FDR0075395	189	DINSERV - 6/28-HU	ORG30	Facilities/Architects	A01597	A&E General Admin	2017
12	BATCH	Web Recharge	FDR0071521	148	UNEX TUITN - KER	ORG39	Business & Adminis	A01597	A&E General Admin	2016
12	BATCH	Web Recharge	FDR0071559	134	VCA - IT - BASIT F	ORG39	Business & Adminis	A01597	A&E General Admin	2016



Missing Information

- Original Transactors
- Departments
- Reviewer
- Reviewer Status
- Reviewed Date
- Approver



Why we should get to know PeopleSoft Query...

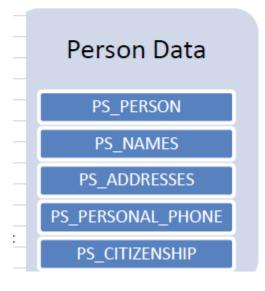
interface validation).... So we can do our job as auditors after go live.

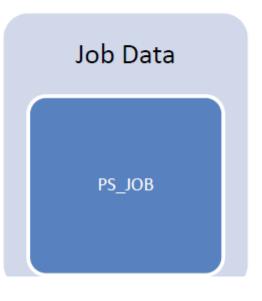
Data Analytics Anyone?

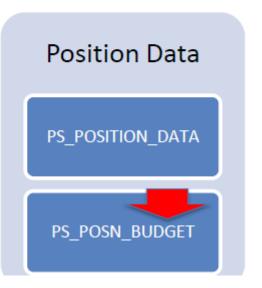


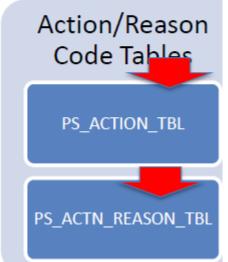
Main Psoft HCM (HR/Payroll) Tables

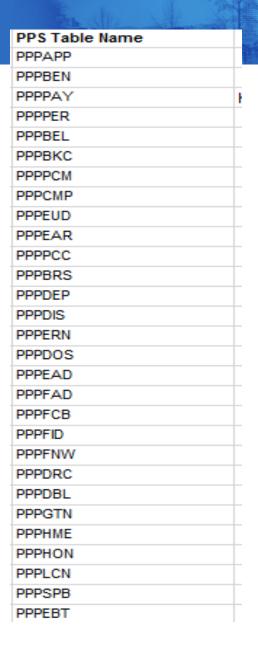
Application Tables

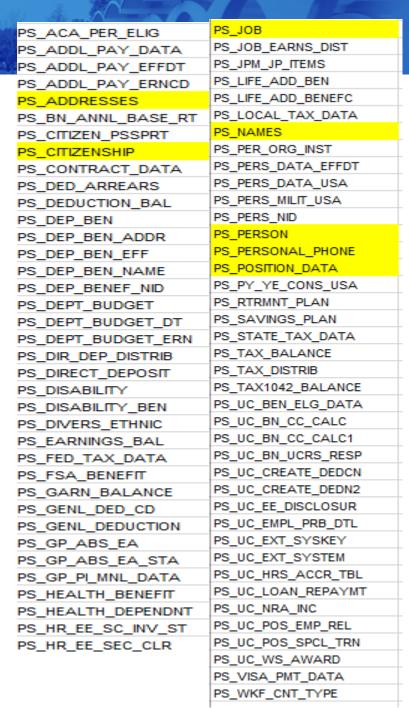














PPS vs Psoft HCM tables 29 vs 77 (yellow are the primary Psoft Tables)



PPS to HCM mapping for Direct Deposit Acct – Example

PPS Table Name	PPS Column Name	HCM Table Name ▼		HCM Column - Long Description
PPPAY	SURE_ACCTNUM	PS_DIR_DEP_DISTRIB	_	ACCOUNT_NUM is an alphanumeric value indicating the employee's Bank Account Number into which an instance of a portion of the employee's earnings is deposited.



DEMO Psoft Query Scripts used to validate data conversion



The Resistance – Why wouldn't we get access to Psoft Query?

Performance concerns running from the production database-you will have data warehouses anyway

Counter arguments

- 1. Production tables are optimized/indexed for performance so PSQuery shouldn't be an issue if run properly
- 2. Psoft query will be granted to superusers (including auditors) who have been trained
- 3. Canned queries and reports run in production
- 4. Psoft query access by superusers (and auditors) is *standard industry* practice
- 5. Datawarehouses are best verified with access to the single source of truth verifiable with tools like PSQuery
- 6. Datawarehouses have blind spots and can have errors (see #5)

You would be able to see other campus data

Counter arguments:

- 1. Row level security
- 2. Who cares





Why we should have access to PeopleSoft Query

- Assist with UCPath Data Conversion, Interfaces & Parallel test (value add)
- Familiarize ourselves with tables & tools now so:
 - We can audit effectively after go live and
 - If there are issues at go live we are up to speed and can assist in resolving (value add)
- Reports and Data-warehouses are not all that –



May the Force be with you



Questions

