

This experimental feature was removed before [Tiki19](#) because

- it was not really working
- no one was working to improve it
- and it duplicated existing functionality
  - [PluginTrackerList](#) for simple reports
  - [PluginList](#) for advanced reports
  - See also: [Front-ends to Tracker data](#)

Details: <https://tiki.org/forumthread67333-Let-s-remove-unmaintained-PluginReport>

## Reports

Reports were added in [Tiki9](#) as a means of collecting nearly any data from tiki in the form of a spreadsheet or graph that are savable and updatable.

### 1.1. Introduction

Reports provide you with the ability to view tiki's data in the form of a [spreadsheet](#) or [chart](#), save, and dynamically have it updated when things change. You take control of designing the report through a simple user interface that is generated from a set of definitions.

Imagine you want to see top user hits on a page, or the most recently entered tracker data, you want that "view" to be in a spreadsheet, or a dashboard, and you don't want to have it reported to you every single time, you want to see it NOW! In [Reports](#), once you create your "view" of that data, the data is dynamically updated.

It allows to export wiki syntax also.

### 1.2. Usage for trackers

#### 1.2.1. First usage: the **{report}** plugin

- Insert `{report}` in a wiki page, then save.
- Now you see the *Edit Report* icon (it is necessary that the `{report}` is not activated as *inline* or there is no icon). Click on the *Edit Report* icon, select **trackers**, then choose a tracker and all the available tracker fields appear. You can create your view, then save it.
- See view in the wiki page!

Beware: if some over-enthusiastic experiments go too wrong, the whole Wiki page may fail to display. To recover it, you can look for the page in menu Wiki → List Pages and access directly the page history, so you can rollback the page to the last good version.

#### 1.2.2. Second usage: **tiki-edit\_report.php**

- Get to `tiki-edit_report.php` ( **Please someone enter the menu path for that** ), select *Trackers*, then choose a tracker and all the available tracker fields appear. You can create your view.
- You can view the result with the *Preview* button.
- When you have a view you like, you can click on *Wiki Data* and copy what is in the pop-up. This can now be included in a wiki page as the **body** of a `{report}` plugin (see First usage above).

#### 1.2.3. Example

Tracker ▼

Tracker Time sheet - 34 ▼

Start \_\_\_\_\_

End \_\_\_\_\_

Item Id \_\_\_\_\_

Status Toggle Checked

o

p

c

Search Summary - 254 ▼ for \_\_\_\_\_

Fields Toggle Checked

Summary - 254

Associated project - 255

Description - 256

Amount of time spent - 257

Done by - 258

Preview Save Export As CSV

	A	B	C	D	E
1	254	255	256	257	258
2	Watch TV		Taking it easy	5	
3					

### 1.3. Usage for logs

You can select logs, and then, data from the [Action Log](#) is used for the report.

**Report Builder**

Report Type Logs ▼

Logs Wiki Page ▼

Action All ▼

Start \_\_\_\_\_

End \_\_\_\_\_

Fields

ActionId

Action

LastModif

Object

ObjectType

User

Ip

Comment

CategId

Client

Grouping None ▼

Sort None ▼

Limit \_\_\_\_\_

Preview Wiki Data Export As CSV

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
1	actionId	action	lastModif	object	objectType		
2	131	Updated	2014-05-09 17:00	Sortable Tables de...	wiki page		
3	129	Created	2014-05-09 16:53	Sortable Tables de...	wiki page		
4	120	Updated	2014-05-09 12:21	HomePage	wiki page		
5	119	Updated	2014-05-09 12:19	HomePage	wiki page		
6	118	Updated	2014-05-09 12:17	HomePage	wiki page		
7	117	Updated	2014-05-09 12:16	HomePage	wiki page		
8	116	Updated	2014-05-09 12:10	HomePane	wiki page		

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Related:

- [Export trackers](#)

Also:

- [Daily Reports](#)
- [PluginDBReport](#)

Alias names for this page:

[Universal Reports](#) | [Report](#) | [UniversalReports](#)