

# How to use the financial reports system to create a legal statement

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# FINANCIAL VS CUSTOM REPORTS

## FEATURES COMPARISON

# FEATURES COMPARISON I

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## Financial

- ✓ Very easy to create (XML)
- ✓ Ready to use
- ✓ Only works with amls
- ✓ Only with sums over a period

## Custom

- ✓ More advanced (Python)
- ✓ Possibilities are much more open

# FEATURES COMPARISON II

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Most account reports are financial reports :

- Profit and Loss
- Balance Sheet
- Cash Summary
- Executive Summary
- Aged Partner Balances

Most localizations reports are also financial reports :

- Belgian Profit & Loss
- Belgian Balance Sheet
- Belgian VAT Statement

Custom reports are few :

- Bank Reconciliation (works with bank statement lines not move lines)
- General Ledger (more columns, initial balance line)
- Generic Tax Report (columns not sum of domain)
- Belgian Partner VAT Listing (columns not sum of domain)
- Followups (more options, more columns, actions, ...)

DEMO

# STEPS TO CREATE YOUR REPORT

# Financial Report object

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```
<!-- PROFIT AND LOSS -->
<record id="account_financial_report_profitandloss0" model="account.financial.report">
  <field name="name">Profit and Loss</field>
  <field name="debit_credit" eval="False"/>
  <field name="report_type">date_range</field>
</record>
```

One account.financial.report object per report :

- name : Name (title) of the report
- debit\_credit : Toggles debit and credit columns (default = False)
- report\_type :
  - date\_range (Profit & Loss)
  - no\_date\_range (Balance Sheet)
  - date\_range\_extended (Aged Partner Balances)
  - date\_range\_cash (Cash Method by default)

# Financial Report Line object I

```
<record id="account_financial_report_revenue0" model="account.financial.report.line">
  <field name="name">Revenue</field>
  <field name="code">REV</field>
  <field name="formulas">balance = -sum.balance</field>
  <field name="parent_id" ref='account_financial_report_income0'/>
  <field name="domain" eval="[(('account_id.user_type', '=', ref('account.data_account_type_revenue')))]" />
  <field name="groupby">account_id</field>
  <field name="sequence" eval="1"/>
  <field name="level" eval="3" />
</record>
```

All report lines :

- name and code
- parent\_id : another account.financial.report.line
- sequence : sets their display order
- level : determines the layout

Current Assets

▼ Receivables

400000 Clients ▼

**Total Receivables**

▶ Current Assets

Prepayments

**Total Current Assets**

▶ Plus Bank and Cash Accounts

▶ Plus Fixed Assets

▶ Plus Non-current Assets

**ASSETS**

# Financial Report Line object II

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```
<record id="account_financial_report_gross_profit0" model="account.financial.report.line">
  <field name="name">GROSS PROFIT</field>
  <field name="code">GRP</field>
  <field name="formulas">balance = INC.balance - COS.balance</field>
  <field name="parent_id" ref='account_financial_report_net_profit0' />
  <field name="sequence" eval="1" />
  <field name="level" eval="1" />
</record>
```

## Formula field

Assigns a value to the balance column (and debit and credit column if applicable – separated by ;).

Available objects :

- Ndays : number of days in the selected period (for reports with a date range).
- Another report : referenced by the code of the other report. Use .balance to get its balance value (also available is .credit, .debit and .amount\_residual)

# Financial Report Line object III

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```
<record id="account_financial_report_revenue0" model="account.financial.report.line">
  <field name="name">Revenue</field>
  <field name="code">REV</field>
  <field name="formulas">balance = -sum.balance</field>
  <field name="parent_id" ref='account_financial_report_income0'/>
  <field name="domain" eval="[(('account_id.user_type', '=', ref('account.data_account_type_revenue')))]" />
  <field name="groupby">account_id</field>
  <field name="sequence" eval="1"/>
  <field name="level" eval="3" />
</record>
```

Reports lines based on the sum on a domain :

Domain field : An Odoo domain on the account move line object.

Formula field : Extra object available, namely sum. The sum of the account move lines in the domain.

Groupby field : Group the account move lines by one of their columns

# Financial Report Line object IV

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Other useful fields :

- `financial_report_id` : For the root financial report line. Must link to the related `account.financial.report` object (the field `parent_id` should then be left empty).
- `figure_type` : Type of the result of the formula. Can be `float` (default), `percents` or `no_unit`.
- `green_on_positive` : Used when computing the comparison column. `True` (default) if growth is good (displayed in green) or not.
- `special_date_changer` : If a specific line in a report should not use the same dates as the rest of the report. Can be `normal` (default), `from_beginning` (start date is the epoch, eg. unaffected earnings line in a balance sheet) or `to_beginning_of_period` (start date is the epoch and end date is the start date of the selected period)
- `show_domain` : How the domain of a line is displayed. Can be `foldable` (default, hidden at the start but can be unfolded), `always` (always displayed) or `never` (never shown).
- `hide_if_zero` : `False` by default. If `true` and the line result is null, hides the line.
- `action_id` : Many2one linking to an action that will be executed when clicking on the line name in the report.

# Thank You

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