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GREETINGS!

SAS Savvy April Newsletter

SAS Global Forum was great!

As always, it was great to catch up with old friends and colleagues. My Proc SQL presentation was well received. I was also happy to be a mentor, code doctor and session coordinator at the conference. I spent some time discussing SAS programming challenges and next version with SAS developers. If you have not attend SAS Global Forum or a SAS conference, then I strongly suggest you attend one such as your local SAS user group meeting. You can get some much information directly from SAS experts that can greatly improve your SAS programming skills no matter what level you are at.

This summer, I will be teaching my popular CDISC online class through UCSD. Enrollment is now open. Please contact me for more information. Be on the lookout for new 1 hr webinars on CDISC, Proc SQL and SAS Macro and Metadata programming. These will be in addition to the monthly SAS Savvy training sessions.

New member quote - 'Thanks for an amazing website like sassavvy!', Avinash Ramakrishna

Help spread the word about SAS Savvy. Missed the recent SAS Savvy Open House? Watch the video recording now and see what's new.

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SAS Job Aids	SAS Programming Tasks	Savvy Resources

These are the three levels to fit all SAS programmers. I hope these levels make it easier to find SAS papers and tips to address your questions and needs. Let me know what you think. Remember, free SAS technical support is just an e-mail away.

Beginner SAS Programmer

Advanced SAS Programmer

Macro SAS Programmer

SAS Savvy Updates

Below are updates made in April. Cannot wait till the end of the month for updates? You can subscribe to free daily updates.

1. SAS provides a free e-book on Visualizing Data with SAS.

2. SAS provides a free e-book on Discovering Data Science with SAS.

3. On the common FAQ about SAS functions, I added a question about the benefits of using functions such as INPUTN() and PUTN() to specify the format name at execution time instead of compile time.

4. I just returned from giving my presentation on Proc SQL subquery tip. You can now view the video recording.

5. The SAS papers from the recent SAS Global Forum are now available online.

6. On the common FAQ page, I added a tip on how to use Proc SQL for identifying FIRST. and LAST. records.

SAS Savvy Training

SAS Savvy training covers new SAS topics and requests. Please see the video recordings if you missed the live session. Below is the schedule for the next training sessions. As always, please e-mail me your favorite topic.

Greater Flexibility with Applying Non-Mutually Exclusive Conditions
24 May 2017 11:00 AM • Webinar

Best of Both Worlds: Better Team Management and Higher Quality Deliverables
28 Jun 2017 11:00 AM • Webinar

What is your SAS Job Role?
02 Aug 2017 11:00 AM • Webinar

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