

How To Open An External non-QlikView File Via Ajax Client

Information

Description This article explains the steps to allow end-users to open external non-QlikView files (txt, pdf, etc).

Resolution Qlikview Webservice:

- 1- QMC > System > Setup > Qlikview webservice > web > Root folders
- 2- Click the green "+" button
- 3- Add a virtual folder name and then the path of the folder in which the files are stored
- 4- In the QlikView application, add a button object
- 5- Properties > Actions > Add action
- 6- Select the "Open URL" action
- 7- The URL must be " HTTP://<hostname>/<name of the virtual folder>/<file name with extension>
ex. http://Coolservername/tempfolder/sales of 2012.pdf.

IIS:

- 1- Go to IIS Manager
- 2- Select the Default web site
- 3- Right click > Add virtual directory
- 4- Add the Alias and location of the files
- 5- The IIS virtual folder is created
- 6- In the QlikView application, add a button object
- 7- Properties > Actions > Add action
- 8- Select the "Open URL" action
- 9- The URL must be " HTTP://<hostname>/<name of the virtual folder>/<file name with extension>
ex. http://Coolservername/tempfolder/sales of 2012.pdf.

Cause

Bug ID

**Internal
Comments**

Prior ID

Tags

External file , Open URL, Ajax, file

Attachment 1

Attachment 2

Attachment 3

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