Exploration Menu

# Introduction

In all of the reports, there are a number of functions which can change how the reports look. This can be useful when building a story or to help make analysing data easier. These changes can be applied to any visualisation in Qlik including graphs, charts and tables.

| **Step** | **Action** |
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|  | Opening Exploration options  Right click on the visualisation that you want to change. A number of options will appear.  The appearance of a visualisation can be edited to improve design and enhance understanding. Open the Exploration screen from the visualisation you want to change.  A circular menu displaying visualisation options for the selected report. |
|  | The visualisation will expand and a menu will appear on the right side of the screen. At the top, the data fields that relate to this visualisation will be listed (outlined in red).  At the bottom of the menu are the actions you can perform (outlined in gold).  The visualisation menu located on the right side of the screen contains two sections. The top section displays the data fields related to the report and the bottom section displays the actions that can performed to adjust the appearance of the report.  These options provide a number of ways to adjust the appearance of the visualisations. |
|  | **Sorting**: Allows you to sort the data in different ways.  Select the field/s that you want to move and drag up or down. This will change the visualisation to the new order.  The first option the bottom menu displays. |
|  | **Presentation**: Different visualisations have different options that can be adjusted to enhance the display of data.  For example, you can set bars in a bar chart to display as grouped or stacked, as well as vertically or horizontally.  The second option the bottom menu displays. |
|  | **Colours and legend**: Colouring is one of the best ways to highlight values in your visualisations. Qlik Sense provides a range of different colouring options.  The third option the bottom menu displays. |
|  | For example, if you select the “By measure” option, a variety of colour options are available.  The colours legend displays four options, auto, single colour, multicoloured and by measure.  In the example below, we have changed the presentation style to “Grouped” and the Colours and Legend to “Multi-coloured”. |
|  | To return to the main report sheet, select the small X in the top right corner of the visualisation. To return to the original layout, select the Discard button in the bottom right corner. Location of small X and discard button, on the bottom right and top right corner of the screen respectively. |
|  | Note: Any changes made will only apply to the current session. Once you leave the report, the default settings will be applied next time you return to the report. |

Supported browsers

In order to access the Data Exchange reports your computer needs to meet certain requirements. Select this link to view the list of [supported browsers](https://help.qlik.com/en-US/sense/September2017/Subsystems/PlanningQlikSenseDeployments/Content/Introduction/supported-browsers.htm).

You can find more information on reporting requirements in the [Data Exchange Protocols](https://dex.dss.gov.au/document/81). For further information on reports functionality, please visit the [Training](https://dex.dss.gov.au/training) tab of the Data Exchange website.

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