18.06. Mobile Dashboard set up (after v4.0)



August 2020: The instructions on this page are for configuring mSupply's legacy web dashboard and mSupply Mobile dashboards. mSupply's legacy web dashboard has been superseded by the mSupply Grafana web dashboard.



The following instruction are for setting up dashboards for mSupply versions 4.0 and later. For mSupply versions earlier than v4.0, the dashboard setup is accessed and configured via the mSupply Preferences menu, refer to Dashboard set up (prior to mSupply v4.0).

Before you set the dashboard up you must:



- know what ports are already in use on the server
- have an appropriate SSL Certificate set up.
- make sure your webserver is currently running.

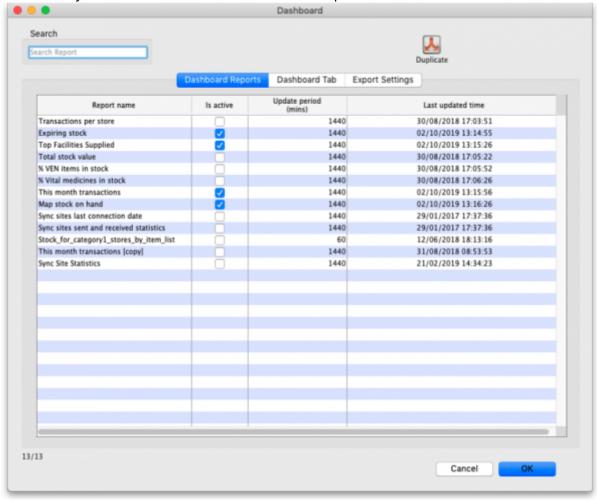
Sustainable Solutions can help with these.

Configure the dashboards

1. On the **Admin** tab of the Navigator click on the **Dashboard** button:



2. This will show you a list of the available dashboard reports:



- 3. Tick the box in the **Is active** column for each report that you want generated.
- 4. Set the number of minutes in the **Update Period (mins)** column to set how often each of

these reports is generated. 1440 is one full day.

Available dashboard reports

There are several built-in dashboard reports that everyone can use. The table below documents what they show and what properties can be edited:



If you would like help with adding one of these reports to your list, contact Sustainable Solutions on support@msupply.org.nz

| Report | Method | Format | Parameters | | | | |
|--|---------------------------------|---------------|--------------------|--|-----------|--------------|-----|
| Expiring | | | monthsToInclude | The number of months before expiry that the report includes (defaults to 3 if this parameter is missing) | | | |
| items for Store Shows | | | storeCode | search for a single store matching this code | | | ; |
| a list of items, for a given store, which will expire within a specified number of months. | dashboardReportExpiringItemList | Table, Bar | dataElement | Looks for the dataEleme in the aggregator table. blank, will default to AMO | | | lf |
| | | chart | customisation | allows for a client customisation: current supports MAM. | | | 1 |
| | | | ven_category | V, E, N or E, N or V, Ee will filter for the respecti VEN values. If blank, no filtering by VEN value | | | ive |
| | | | chartType | bar, table. If blank, default to table | | | II |
| Report | | | d | | Format | Paramet s | ter |
| Expiring Stock Shows a graph of total value of stock expiring grouped by the number of months in which the stock will expire. | | 1 | ard_rep_expiring_s | stock | Bar chart | None | |

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|--|---------------------------------|--|--------|------|--|---|---|----|--|--|--|
| Items issued this month Shows a list of items, per store, which were issued in the last 30 days. Uses | dashboard_itemRow_storeCol_usag | | | ole | | Identifies store display. Multip can be selecte separating the comma or spa "bacau,CHC" of CHC" | ole stores ed by em by ce e.g. | | | | |
| store tag and master list to select items to be | | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| displayed. | | | | | period | Number of days from the current date to look back | | | | | |
| Report | Method | | Forma | t | P | arameters | | | | | |
| | | | | cou | intry | Name of country - compulsory but not shown | | | | | |
| | | | | iter | n_code | the code of the item to display | | | | | |
| Map stock on hand Shows a | | lat_nw_corner | | | the latitude of the North- West corner of the map | | | | | | |
| map of the area specified, with an "X" if the facility is out of stock of the | dashboard_map_stock_o | n_hand | Мар | long | g_nw_cornei | | e longitude of the orth-West corner of t | | | | |
| item, or a dot representing the | | | | lat_ | se_corner | the latitude o East corner o | | | | | |
| amount of stock on hand. | | | | long | g_se_corner | the longitude of the South-East corner of the map | | ie | | | |
| | | | | stoi | re_tags | A comma separated I of tags - or omit this parameter if you wan show stock for all sto | | to | | | |
| Report | Method | d | Format | | | Paramet rs | te | | | | |
| Monthly transact of the number of pureceipts, supplier a created this month | dashbo | dashboard_rep_month_transacs chart Bar or Line | | | None | | | | | | |

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| Report | | Metho | d | Format | t | Para | meter | 's |
|---|---------------|--|------------------------|------------------|--------|--------------|--|---|
| | | | | | store_ | <u>c</u> ode | | code or codes of stores to show. to specify multiple stores enter multiple store_code params (append @ for a "starts with" search) |
| Stock_for_category1_stores_by_ Shows a table of items in rows and columns, with the stock on hand for item in that store in each cell. | stores in | res in dashboard rep stk StoreCols Itm | | | maste | er_list | VHP - All Items Will search for items that are part of the master list: "VHP - All Items" | |
| | | | | | item_c | n_code | | items whose code matches this code (append @ for a "starts with" search) |
| | | | | | Catego | ory1_desc | criptior | private Will search for names whose name category 1 is "private" |
| Report | Metho | d | F | ormat | | Par | amet | ters |
| Store Transaction Count Shows a count of each store's transactions for the past 7 and 30 days dashboard_rep_count_store_transactions | | | n colint store trans | ine or E hart | Bar st | ore_tags | | |
| Report | M | lethod | i | Foi | rmat | Parame | ters | |
| Sync sites last connection | date d | ashboa | ard_report_last_sync_d | late Tak | ole | None | | |
| Report | | | Method | | Forma | at Parai | mete | rs |
| Sync sites sent and receiv | ed stat | istics | dashboard_report_syr | nc_stat | Table | Non | ie 🗌 | |

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| Report | Method | | Forma | nat Parameters | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|-------------------|---------|--|----------------|---------------|---|--|--|-----|--|--|
| | | | | storeTa | g | w ta % | ill selags m gs m | ect st atch eTag |) - report fores wher } and lote site > | | | |
| | | | | syncDay | yThreshold | d la | defaul ed wh ast syr | lt = 5 len da nc > |) - color co lys since | | | |
| | | | | unfinalis | sedSIThres | shold u ir | ed wh nfinal nvoice | cDayTreshold fault = 0) - color ce when number of nalised supplier pices > | | | | |
| Sync sites statistics Shows a range of statistics | dashboardSi | vncSiteStatistics | table | stocktal | keDayThreshold | | unfinalisedSIThreshold (default = 30) - color cell red when days since last stocktake > stocktakeDayThreshold | | | | | |
| related to synchronisation v4.02+ | _ | ricsitestatistics | table | requisitionDayThreshold lookBackPeriod | | eshold | (default = 30) - color cell red when days since last requisition > requisitionDayThreshold | | | | | |
| | | | | | | b S S | (default = 50) - Look back number of days fo Supplier Invoice, Stocktake and Requisitions | | | | | |
| | | | | lookBackPeriodCl back r | | | | (default = 30) - Look back number of days for Customer Invoice | | | | |
| | | | | daysWit | chClThresh | old d | (default = 0.2) - color cell red where 'days with customer invoice' divided by `number of working days` < daysWithCIThreshold | | |)و | | |
| Report | | Method | | | Format | | Para | amet | ers | | | |
| chart of the num purchase orders receipts, supplie | sactions Shows a bar t of the number of hase orders, goods opts, supplier and omer invoices created | | _month_ | transacs | Bar chart | store_na | If provided the report shows details for the given store, otherwise the default store is used | | shows for the store, vise the | | | |
| Report | | | r | Method | | | Forr | mat | Paramet s | ter | | |
| Top facilities supplied The 10 customers in your store to which you have sent the greatest value of stock. Shows the value of stock for eaccustomer. | | | est | dashboard_rep_top_facilities Bar chart | | | None | | | | | |

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| Report | | | | | lethod | | | | | | Format | Parame rs | te |
|--|--|------|--------------------|--------|------------------------------------|------|---------------------|-----------------------------|---|---|---|--------------|----|
| Total stock value A single figure in your default currency, showing the total value of the stock you have in the store you are viewing the dashboard for. | | | | da | dashboard_rep_total_stock_value h2 | | | | | h2 | None | | |
| Report | | | Method | | | | Form | ıat | | P | aramete | ers | |
| Transaction Shows a tabl transactions within 30 day | e of the per stores | e | dashboard_rep_ | monti | month_transacs | | | entering code, or | a store by a store leave bla lefault sto | ınk | | | |
| Report | Method | | | Form | nat | | | | Par | ame | eters | | |
| Trends in | dachbaard | ron | in stack trands | Time | series | sto | re_id | re_id interested all stores | | | he store you're in, or no value for | | |
| stock | uasniboaru | _rep | _in_stock_trends | chart | | crit | ical_s | | | | | | |
| Report | | Met | thod | | | Fo | rmat | | | Pa | rameters | | |
| Unfinalised transfers Shunfinalised stransfers with specified time for each facily matches the "store_tags" parameter. It tags are pass transactions for all stores. | nows tock hin the e period ity which no store sed in, are shown | dasi | hboardReportUnf | ïnalis | edStoc | k Ta | ble | store_tags days_older_tha | | stores matcl tags Queri transa an were | ning store es actions th | nat x' | |
| Report | | М | ethod | | Form | at | | Para | | | meters | | |
| VEN items in stock Shows stock on hand of | | | ashboard rep ite | m vo | line | | | re_ | code | stor ther cho | e code - n default | | |
| | | uc | asiiboaiu_rep_itei | vei | chart | | ven_category items. | | | | will filter the VEN ns. If blank all visible ns for the store are | | |

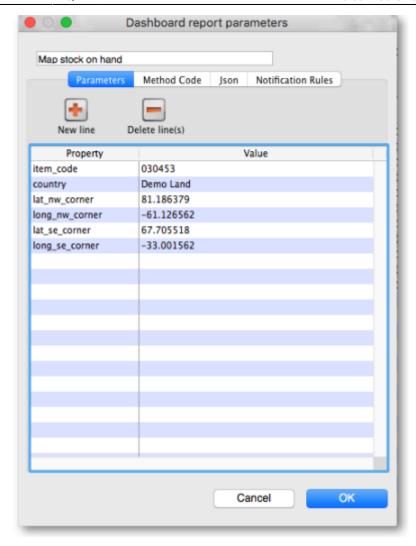
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| Report | Method | Format | | Parameters | | |
|--|-------------------------------|--------------|----------------|---|--|--|
| | | | ven_category | v or e or n if you want to include items that are Vital or Essential or Necessary | | |
| Vital items in stock Shows a bar graph of the percentage of medicines of the chosen category in stock at each | | Bar chart | user_field_4 | TRUE if you want to include items with this field checked | | |
| | dashboard_store_stock_percent | | | TRUE if you want to include tems with this field checked Note that the labels for fields 4 and 7 may be different, as they are set up in the mSupply preferences (misc tab) | | |
| facility | | | critical_stock | TRUE if you want to include items with this field checked, false for all items | | |
| | | | store_tags | entering healthcentre will only include stores with the "healthcentre" tag | | |
| Report | Method | Format | | Parameters | | |
| | | / Table | store_code | search for a single store matching this code | | |
| | | | lookBack_mon | how many months of data to review when calculating; defaults to 6 | | |
| Item Stock on Hand and Months Cover Shows a table or item VEN status Stock on Hand, Monthly Consumption, and Months Cover | 1 | | ven_category | V,E,N or E,N or V,Netc will filter the VEN items. If blank all visible items for the store are chosen. If not supplied the filter is not used; specify 'blank' to show items with empty ven. Note: each category in combination must be separated by comma, example: either v,e,n or v,e or v,n | | |
| | | | item_code | Searches for items matching this code | | |
| | | | customisation | Allows for a client customisation: currently supports MAM. | | |

If you can't make a dashboard report that does what you want then please speak to us, it's usually a fairly simple matter for us to create one for you.

Editing dashboard reports

Double-click a report in the list shown above and the following window will open:



- If there are any properties shown in the list, these can be edited to change what is displayed.
- To edit a property or value, click once to select the row, and then click again in the appropriate cell to edit it.
- To add or delete a row use the New line and Delete line(s) buttons at the top of the window.
- In the example shown in the screenshot above (a map report), the coordinates of two of the map corners and the item code of the item whose stocks will be shown on the map have been entered. Note that if you add extra properties to the default reports they'll be ignored.

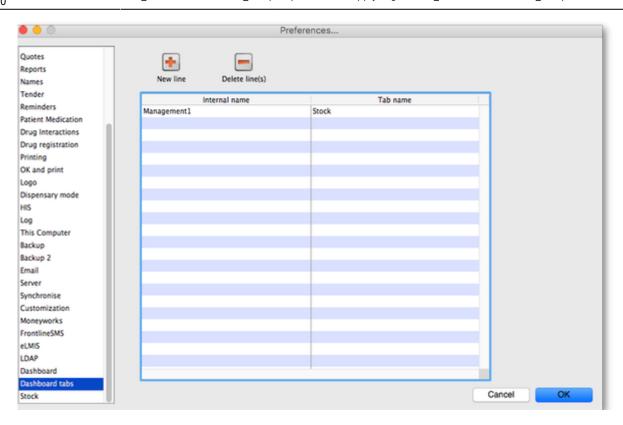


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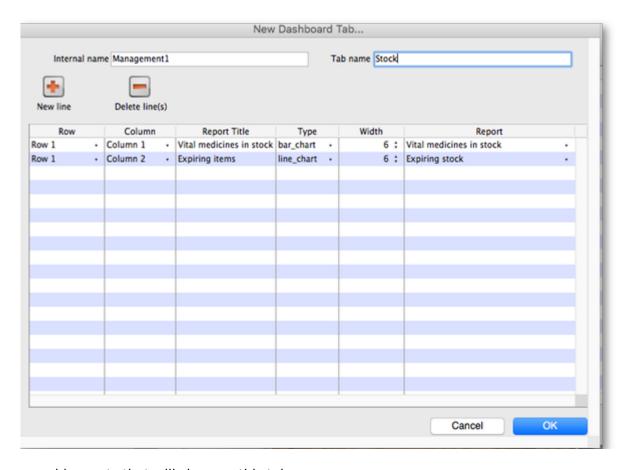
Dashboard tabs

You set up Dashboard tabs which will display on your dashboard. Dashboard tabs are "containers" for one or more dashboard reports. To edit them go to *File > Preferences* and click on the *Dashboard tabs* tab on the left hand side:

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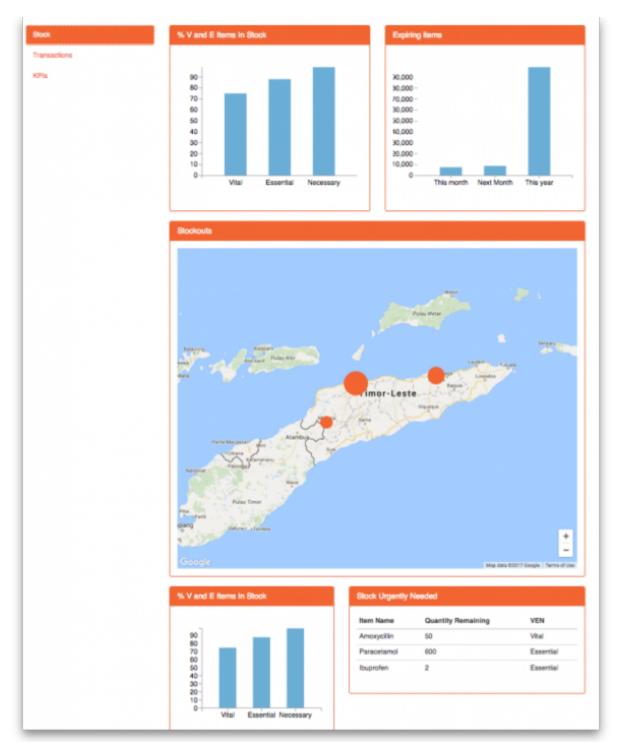
To add a tab click the **Add** button. To edit a tab, double-click it. You will be shown a window for editing a dashboard tab:



Now you add reports that will show on this tab.

Understanding rows and columns

Take this example dashboard tab:



- The tabs themselves occupy their own space on the left of the window- they aren't considered when laying out the dashboard
- The first row has two reports- each report takes up half the row. So for the first report:
 - Row 1, Col 1, width 12 ("12" means it takes up the full width of the cell it is in- "4" would mean it would take up 1/3 of the width)
- For the report at the top right:
 - Row 1, Col 2, width 12
- For the map

- Row 2, Col 1, width 12
- The next two reports are on the same row, but are divided into 5/12 and 7/12 of the width of the window, so we put them in the same cell but change the width settings:
 - Row 3, Col 1, width 5
 - Row 3. Col 1. width 7

Adding a report to a dashboard tab

Click **New Line** to add a new report to the tab. Then edit the values in each column

- Row: The row it will be in
- Column: The column within the row- set to "1" if you don't have multiple reports on this row.
- **Report tite:** The title that will show in the Orange heading bar for the report. Note that the same report can display different information depending on the parameters you set for that report- hence the need for the ability to customise report names
- Type: You'll need to know the appropriate type for the report you're displaying. The options are
 - bar chart
 - o table
 - ∘ pie chart
 - o time series
 - o map
 - line chart
- **Width:** The fraction of the cell width in "twelfths" that this report will take up ("6" will make it take up half the cell width)
- **Report:** Choose the report name from the drop-down list of available reports

Configure users to have access to dashboards

Once the tabs have been setup you have to choose which users will see which tabs. You do this in individual users' settings. For instructions on how to do this, see:

- Managing users > General tab > Users can: (Use the Dashboard permission)
- Managing users > Dashboard tab

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