

This Quick Reference Card explains how to access ROSS Reports via the FS Citrix Farm, generate a ROSS User Community Report in Excel, and then save it to your personal computer or laptop.

To log on to ROSS using Citrix - for FS users

1 Start your Internet browser, and then type the appropriate address in the **Address** bar:

- For FS users with FS computers, type <http://ibs.fs.fed.us/Citrix/auth/login.jsp>
- For FS users with non-FS computers, type <https://ibs.fs.fed.us/Citrix/auth/login.jsp>

You must have an **Active Directory** account to use Citrix. For more information contact the ROSS Citrix coordinator for your geographic area.

2 On the **Citrix Web Interface Login** screen under **Login**, complete the following information

- Active Directory user name
- Active Directory password.

3 In the **Domain** box, type **DS**, and then click 

4 Under **Applications**, double-click 

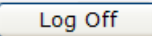
If this is the first time you are using Citrix, double-click the **National Applications** folder; double-click the **ROSS** folder; and then double-click **ROSSv2_13**.

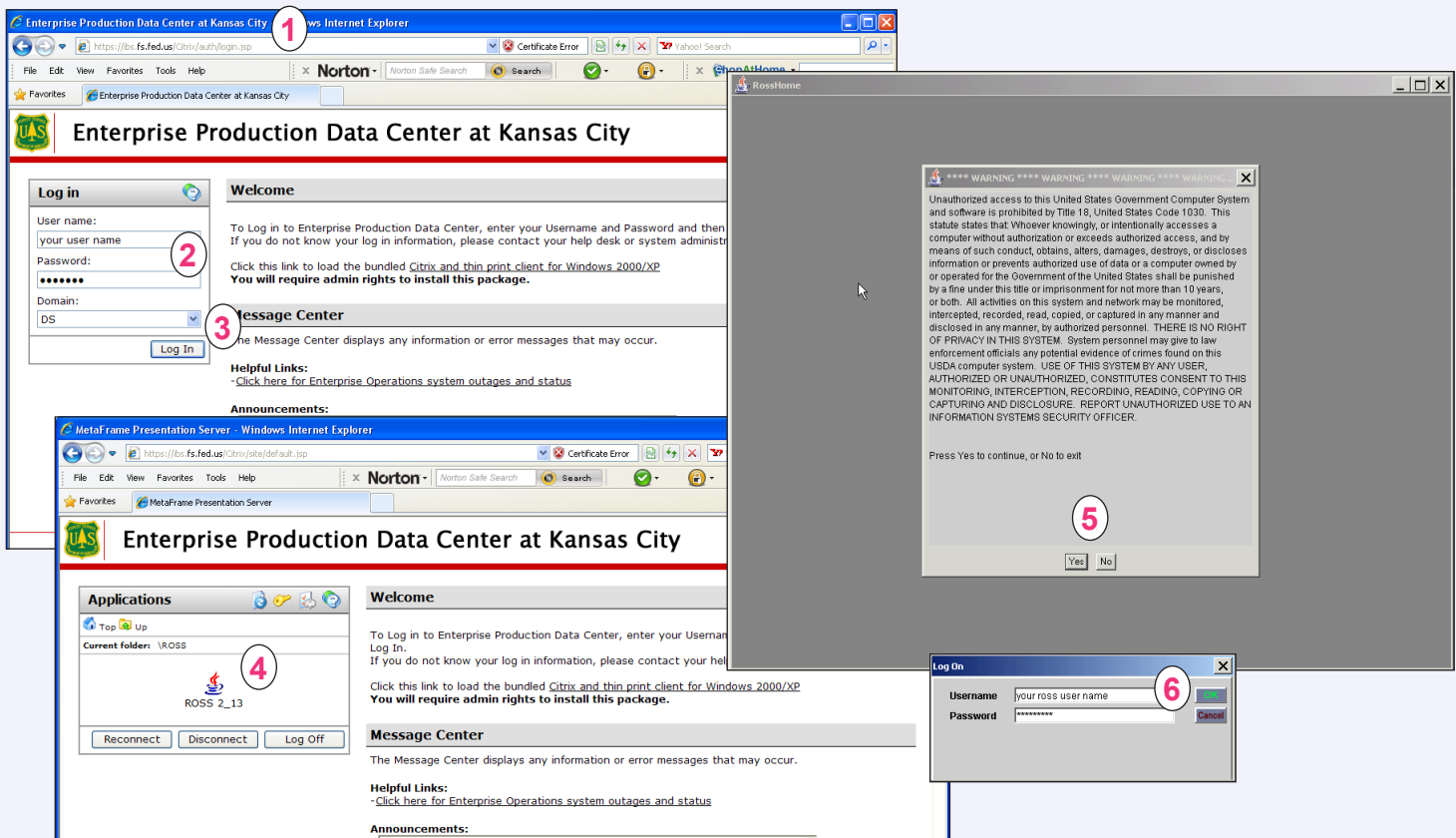
5 On the **ROSSHome** screen, click 

6 Log in as usual, using your **ROSS** username and **ROSS** password.

To exit ROSS and the Citrix Farm

A On the **File** menu, click **Exit ROSS**, and then click 

B On the **Citrix Web Interface Applications** screen, click  and then close your Internet browser.



The composite image illustrates the following steps:

1. The login page in Internet Explorer with the address bar showing the URL.
2. The login form with fields for User name, Password, and Domain.
3. The 'Log In' button on the login form.
4. The 'Applications' folder in the Citrix web interface showing the 'ROSS 2_13' application.
5. A warning dialog box with a 'Yes' button to proceed.
6. The 'Log On' dialog box with fields for Username and Password.

Proceed to the next task, "To generate a ROSS User Community Report."



To export a report in Cognos to Excel

This task outlines how to generate a sample report for Aircraft Requests by Incident Number.

- 1 Run the **User Community** report of your choice.
- 2 Complete the **Prompt** screen for the report of your choice, and then click **Finish**
- 3 On the **File Download** dialog box, click **Save**
- 4 On the **Save As** dialog box, double-click each folder to navigate to **ds.fs.fed.us T:\DataCenter\citrix\Home\your DS username folder\My Documents**.

You may also elect to save the report in a subfolder of My Documents as needed.

- 5 In the **File name** text box, type the **name of the report**.

- 6 In the **Save as type** text box, verify that the report will be saved as a **Microsoft Office Excel 97-2003 Worksheet**, and then click **Save**




- 7 On the **Download complete** dialog box, click **Close**

To quickly locate your DS username folder on ds.fs.fed.us T:

- A On the **Save As** dialog box, double-click each folder to navigate to **ds.fs.fed.us T:\DataCenter\citrix\Home**.
- B In the **Home** folder, type the first letter of your **DS username**.
The cursor automatically advances to the first folder that begins with that letter.
- C Scroll to locate and then click to open your **DS username folder**.

Proceed to the next task, "To save an Excel ROSS report to your computer."

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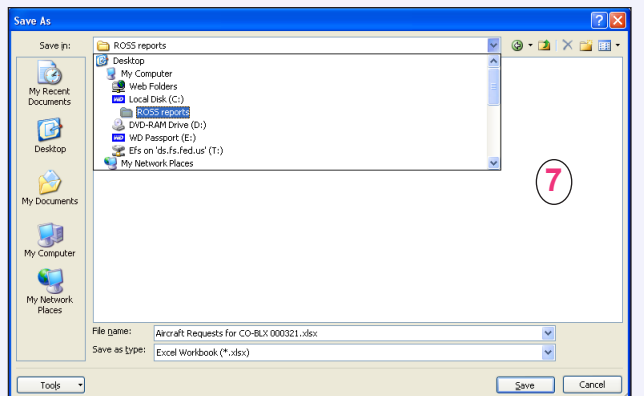
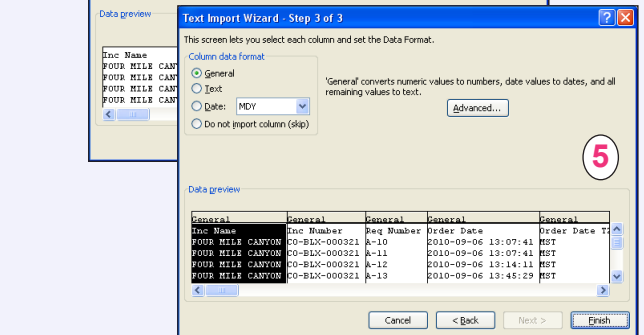
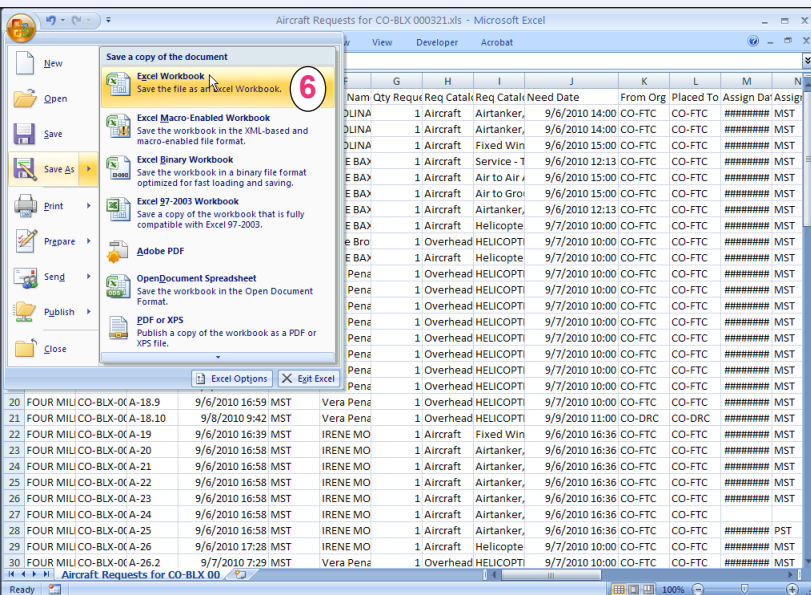
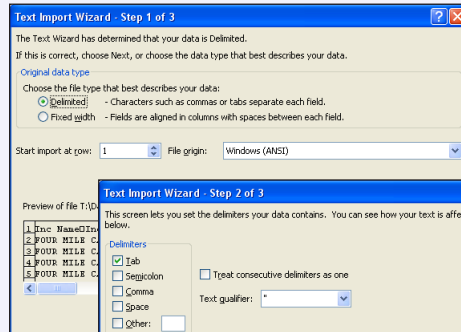
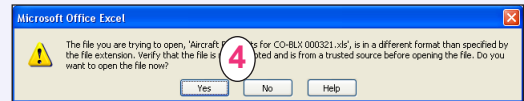
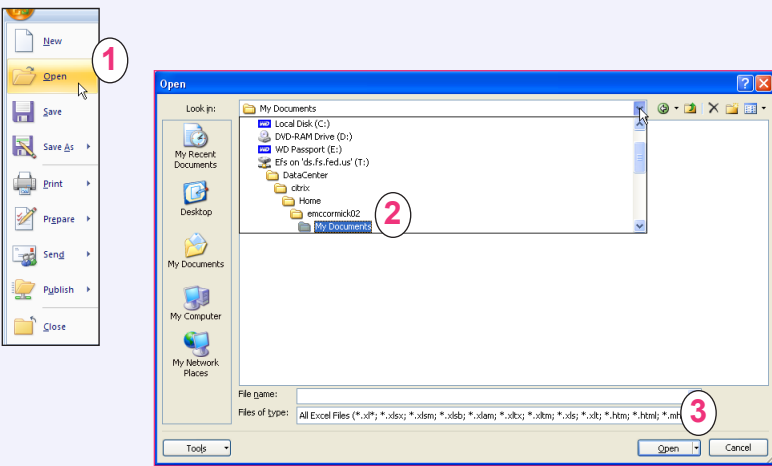
- 1 On your personal computer or laptop, start MS Excel, click  and then click **Open**.
- 2 On the **Open** dialog box, double-click each folder to navigate to **ds.fs.fed.us T:\DataCenter\citrix\Home\your DS username folder\My Documents**.
- 3 Click to select the **name of the report**, and then click .
- 4 On the **Microsoft Office Excel** dialog box, click .
- 5 As needed, complete the **Text Import Wizard** dialog boxes.

6 In MS Excel, click  and then click **Save As**.

7 On the **Save As** dialog box, save the report to the **file location** of your choice.

You may now manipulate the column widths and other formatting in MS Excel as appropriate for your needs.

When finished working in Cognos, ROSS, and Citrix, be sure to close all windows!



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