

SEMO Website SEMO Website Report API



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1 Document Control Details

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2 Introduction

This document describes the SEMO Website Report API and how the general public can utilise it for accessing Static Reports from the SEMO Website.

All reports available for download from the SEMO Website Report API are specified in the I-SEM Data Publication Guide.



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3 Using the SEMO Website Report API

This section describes how the general public can use the SEMO Website Report API.

3.1 Background

The SEMO Website Report API is written as a web service and returns data in JSON format. The source data are provided to the website, and are subsequently offered via this API, in their native format, XML and CSV.

3.2 Authentication

The service doesn't require any authentication.

3.3 Invocation of the Web Service

The invocation of the SEMO Website Report API follows a two-step approach.

Step	Description	Call
1	Query Report List	http://reports.sem-o.com/api/v1/docu ments/static-reports
1*	Query Parameters	The web services call described in Step 1 can be modified to include query parameters used to filter for a subset of Static Reports to be returned in the Report List.
2	Query for an individual report	http://reports.semo.com/documents/[ResourceName] where ResourceName is the value returned in the Report List from the previous step.



The diagram below provides a high level view of this two-step approach.

Static Reports SEMOpx Website Web service queries database and returns Web service queries Report List, Query database and returns static parameters used to return a report subset of Report List Static Reports API 2 Report List (JSON) Static From Report List, Query for Report Report query for report List

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3.4 SEMO Website Report API Query Parameters

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The following table describes the possible query parameters that can be used to return a collection of Reports from the Report List.

Parameter	Description	
DPuG_ID	The DPuG_ID of the report	
ReportName	The report name	
ResourceName	The instance filename of a report	
Group	The group to which the reports have been assigned to.	



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Parameter	Description	
Date	Specifies the from/to date which is used to restrict the returned data. The value must be in YYYY-MM-DD format.	
	In values of these parameters you can use prefixes (less than, greater than, less than or equal, etc.): < means date before > means date after <= means date before or equal to >= means date after or equal to	
	Example 1: Date=>2018-02-08<=2018-04-12 That means that the output of the request will include the information about reports with Date between 2018-02-08 and 2018-04-12(included).	
	Example 2: Date=2018-02-08 The result will include the information about reports at this date.	
PublishTime	The same properties as the, "Date" parameter will apply to the, "PublishTime" parameter.	
page	The page number from the query result	
page_size	The size of the page in output	
sort_by	The field to be used to order by: DPuG_ID, ReportName, ResourceName, Date, PublishTime	
order_by	Accepted values: ASC, DESC	

All arguments are optional and there is no order dependency.



3.5 Using the SEMO Website Report API

The web service returns data in JSON format. The Report List is organised into two sections, the header and the data items.

#	Section Name	Description	Fields
1	Header	The initial section of the return message describing the volume of Reports available for download.	pageSize: the maximum number of items for any page within the Report List Collection
			currentPage : the current page within the return message
			totalitems: the total number of individual reports available for download
			totalPages: the total number of Pages (each containing a number of items) from the Report List query
2	Data Item	The section of the return message that describes the individual reports available for download.	_id : a unique system-generated identifier for the Report (not used for common report queries)
			DPuG_ID : the report identifier from the I-SEM Data Publication Guide
			PublishTime : Date & Time the report was published to the website
			ReportName: this is the common name for the report.
			Group: this is the category each individual report belongs to: Group Categories defined below.
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Dynamic : Indicates using values 'true' or 'false' if the report is a Dynamic Report or just a static report.
ResourceName: this is the filename of the instance of this report.
Date : the applicable date for the report. For SEMO Balancing Market reports this is the Trade Date. For SEMO Settlement reports this is the Settlement Date.

4 Appendix SEMO Website Report API Request Examples

4.1 Example 1

The following URL uses the API to return a set of the latest 50 documents matching DPuG reference BM-026

http://reports.sem-o.com/api/v1/documents/static-reports?DPuG_ID=BM026&page_size=50

4.2 Example 2

This URL queries the API by using these arguments:

DPuG ID: EA-002

ReportName: ETS Bid File

ResourceName: BidFile_SEM-IDA1_PWR-SEM-GB



Group: Market Data

Date: >=2019-02-01<=2019-02-28

page: 1

page_size: 10

sort_by: PublishTime

order_by: ASC

https://reports.sem-o.com/api/v1/documents/static-reports?DPuG_ID=EA-002 &ReportName=ETS%20Bid%20File&ResourceName=BidFile_SEM-IDA1_P WR-SEM-GB&Group=Market%20Data&Date=%3E=2019-02-01%3C=2019-0 2-28&page=1&page_size=10&sort_by=PublishTime&order_by=ASC

Following a screenshot of a POSTMAN request setup with the same parameters of Example 2. Please notice that in some cases not all the parameters are required in order to query the same subset of data; in this particular example we could leave out the DPuG_ID, ReportName and Group arguments and still get the same result because of the most restricting ResourceName argument.



