

# Reporting Services Questions: Whats new in Report Services 2008?

Here is a summary of the new features of SQL Server Reporting Services (SSRS 2008):

- **Updated Report Engine** - Improves performance
- **Rich Formatting** - You couldn't mix styles in the previous version. Now you can and use conditional formatting.
- **Integration with a SharePoint Server** - What would be the reporting server is now stored in the SharePoint content database. Basically gives a SharePoint look and feel to Reporting Services.
- **Tablix Report Item** - A new report item that can be dropped on a report. It is a more intuitive way to layout and summarize data.
- **Export to Office Word** - Additional render options were added including exporting to Word.
- **New Gauges and Chart Functionality** - The previous version was a little limited, so now you have a few more bells and whistles.

For additional reference check out:

[Reporting Services Features](#)

[Reporting Services and SharePoint Technology Integration](#)

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