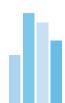
Dissemination Database and its use

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Presentation plan

Experiences with PX-Products in Statistics Denmark

- History with PC-Axis
- SQL-datamodel or PX-files
- About our setup
- Special features
- Future setup ...

Presentation plan (continued)

Development of PX-Products by Statistics Denmark

- Before .Net
- .Net developments
- Question and answers
- Comming days ...

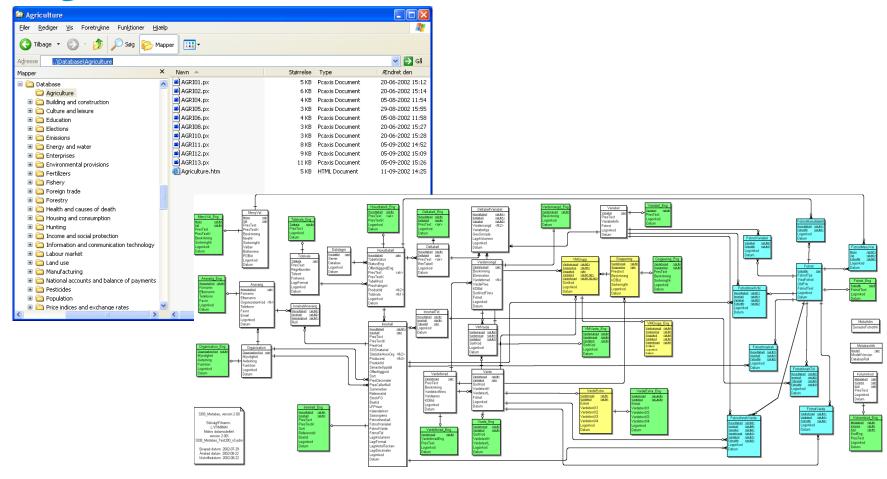
Experiences with PX-Products Some history

- Online access to mainframe databank (AXIS) in 1986
- Produced cd-roms with px-files during 1990's and beginning of 2000's
- Created PX-Make
- And introduced PX-Publ and PC-Axis SQL
- Lanched free online web access to StatBank interface in 2001

Experiences with PX-Products Some history

- Opened for saved queries via web interface (in XML) around 2003
- Introduced **DataShooting** (e-mail service)
- Using PX-Web for external sites in 2004
- Created PX-iGraph for web interface
- Opened StatHost service for statistical producers
- Started .Net developments around 2008
- Also been using PX-Edit, PX-Batch but only limited





Datamodel

- + Re-use of metadata
- + Large datasets (e.g. 10-20 GB)
- No common interface for updating data and metadata
- Complicated to setup and use

PX-files

- + Easy to create and manage, due to PX-Edit and PX-Make
- + Easy to share, overview and change
- Redundant metadata information
- More difficult to search and query

- Many different setups around the world
- Important to use a setup that suits your production process best



Features of the StatBank system

- Search: Adwords, synonyms, misspellings etc.
- Aggregate Time periods on the fly
- Manual Pivot: Drag and Drop
- Saved Queries
- Re-select from selection
- Time Series output / program
- DataShooting: One mail per day
- Comming up: Calculations



Services for Dynamic Updating

We offer:

- Saved queries
- Graphs and Maps wrapped in XML
- XML feed through URL
- Web Service HTML wrapped in XML
- Standardized deep links / Web queries
- Example?

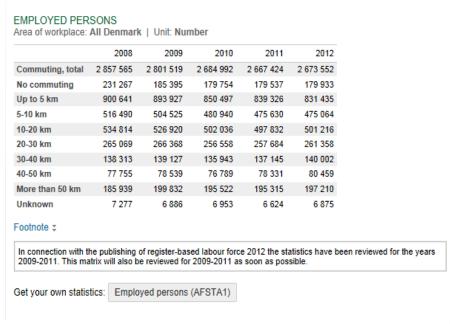


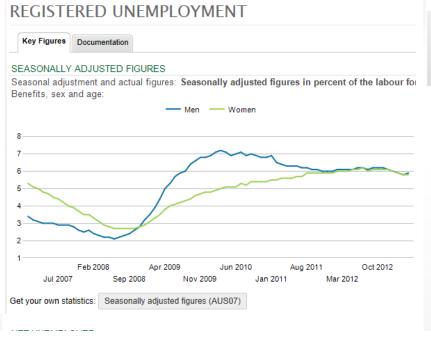
Data and Metadata administration in SQL Datamodel

- Using in-house developed tools
- SumTimes: for databank administrators (centrally used)
- SumTools: for statisticians (decentrally used)
- Not easy to share with other countries

Dynamic web pages #1

 200 topic sites built and automatically maintained via 300-400 saved queries and web service







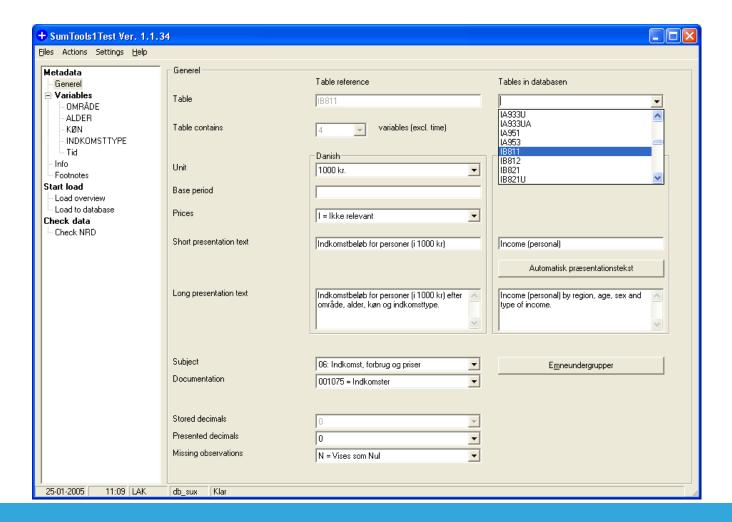
Dynamic web pages #2

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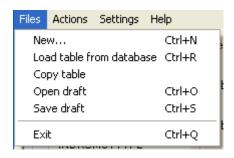
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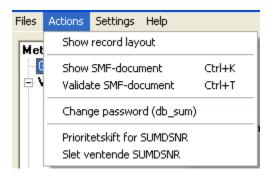
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National accounts			t/(t-1)	
Gross domestic product, real growth (DKK million, 2005-price level chain figures)	Q1/13	387,164	0.2	ddl i
Private consumption, real growth (DKK million, 2005-price level chain figures)	Q1/13	194,411	0.1	ddl i
Government consumption, real growth (DKK million, 2005-price level chain figures)	Q1/13	107,152	-2.1	ddl i
Investments in buildings and civil engineering works, real growth (DKK million, 2005-price level chain figures)	Q1/13	29,814	-2.1	w i
Other gross fixed capital formation, real growth (DKK million, 2005-price level chain figures)	Q1/13	42,097	0.7	ill i
Imports of goods and services, real growth (DKK million, 2005-price level chain figures)	Q1/13	204,686	1.6	ill i
Exports of goods and services, real growth (DKK million, 2005-price level chain figures)	Q1/13	214,802	-0.4	ddl i
Employment. National accounts (1000 persons)	Q1/13	2,788	-0.3	ddl i
Labour market			t/(t-4)	
Jobs. WTA (number)	Q4/12	2,890,593	-0.1	ddl i
Jobs. Hours worked, WTA (1000 hours)	Q4/12	924,467	-0.9	ddl i
Indices of average earnings in the private sector (1. qtr. 2005=100)	Q4/12	123.7	1.4	ill i
Indices og average earnings in the public sector, central government (1. qtr 2005=100)	Q1/13	126.6	2.0	ddl i
Indices of average earnings in the public sector, local government (1. qtr. 2005=100)	Q1/13	126.1	0.6	ddl i
Registered unemployment			t/(t-12)	
Gross unemployment (converted into full-time) per cent of the labour force $^{2)}$	Apr/13	5.9	-0.1	ddl i

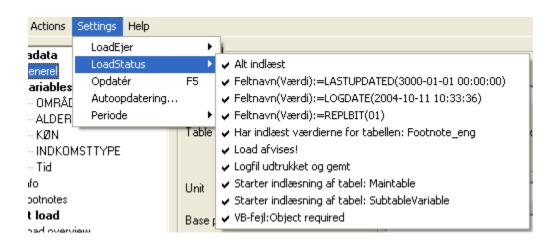
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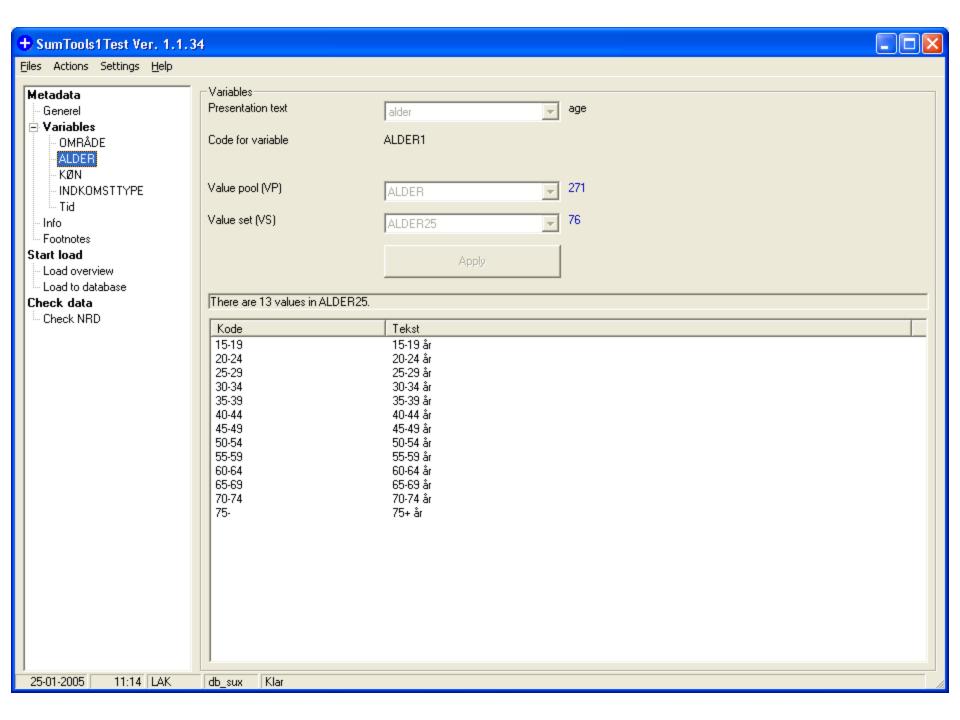


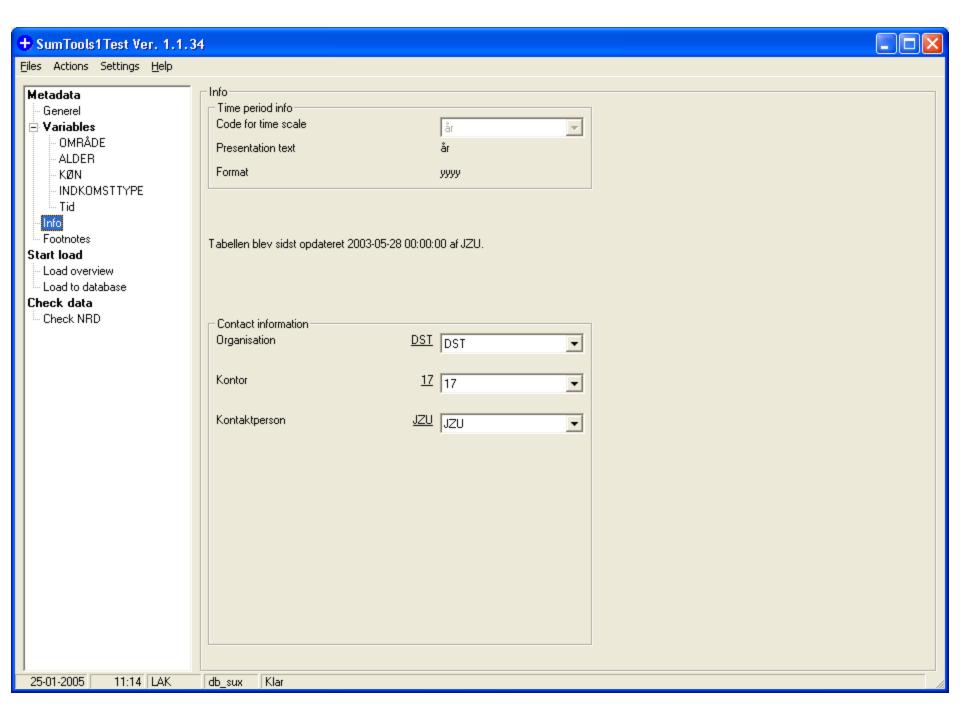


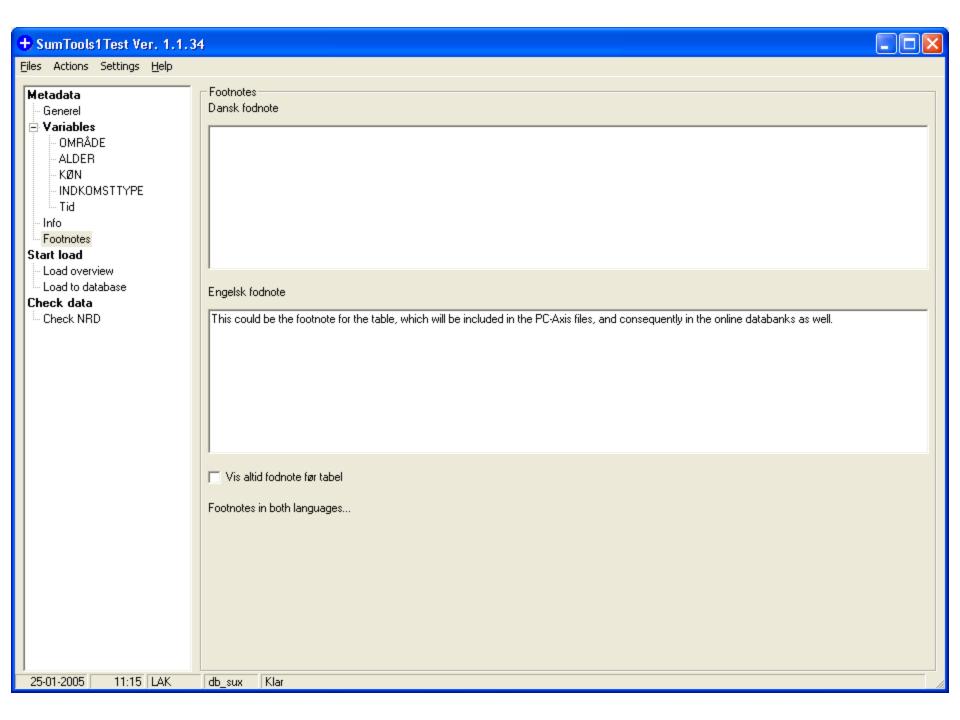


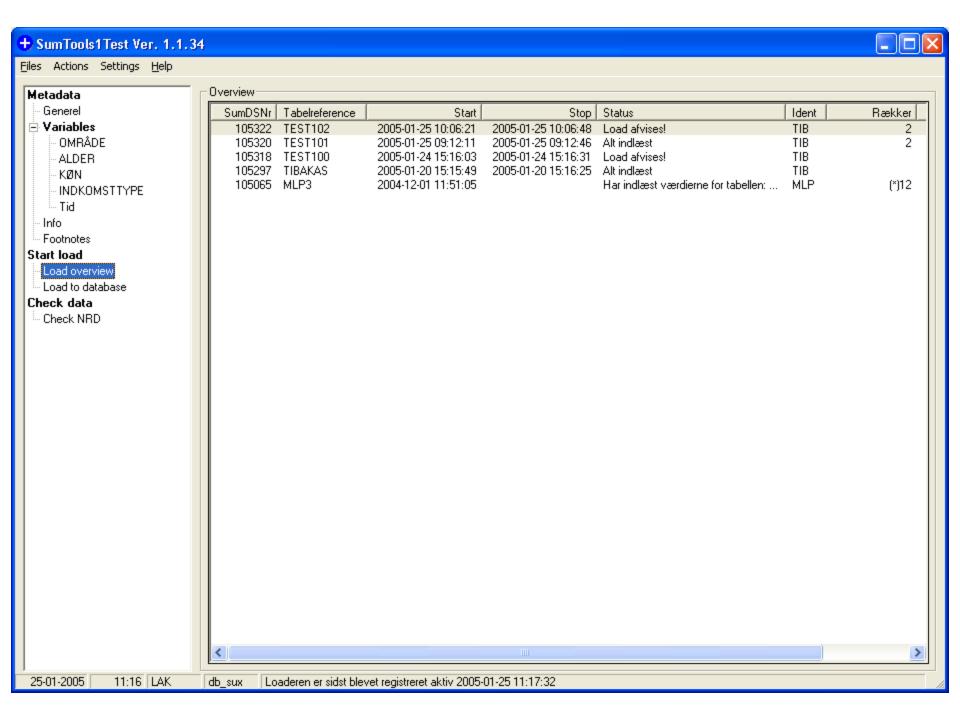


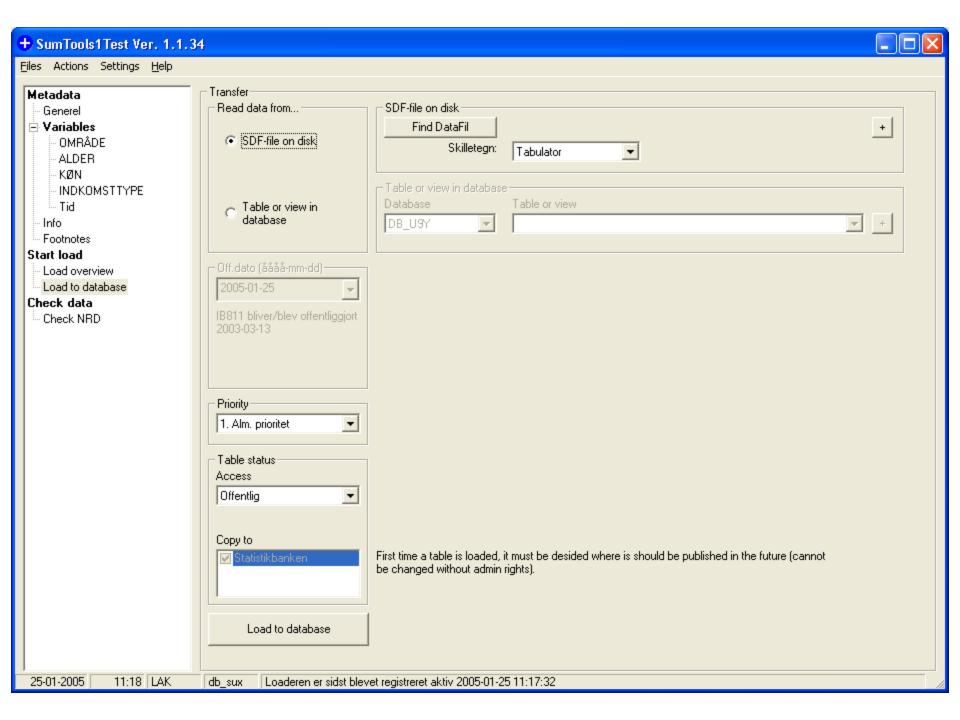


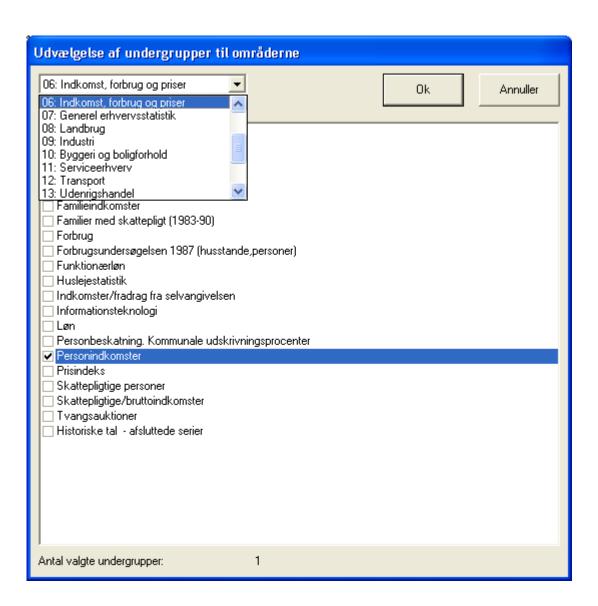












Future setup ...

- Using as much of PX-Web.Net as possible
- Develop part we need in-house
- Re-write administration tools to .Net

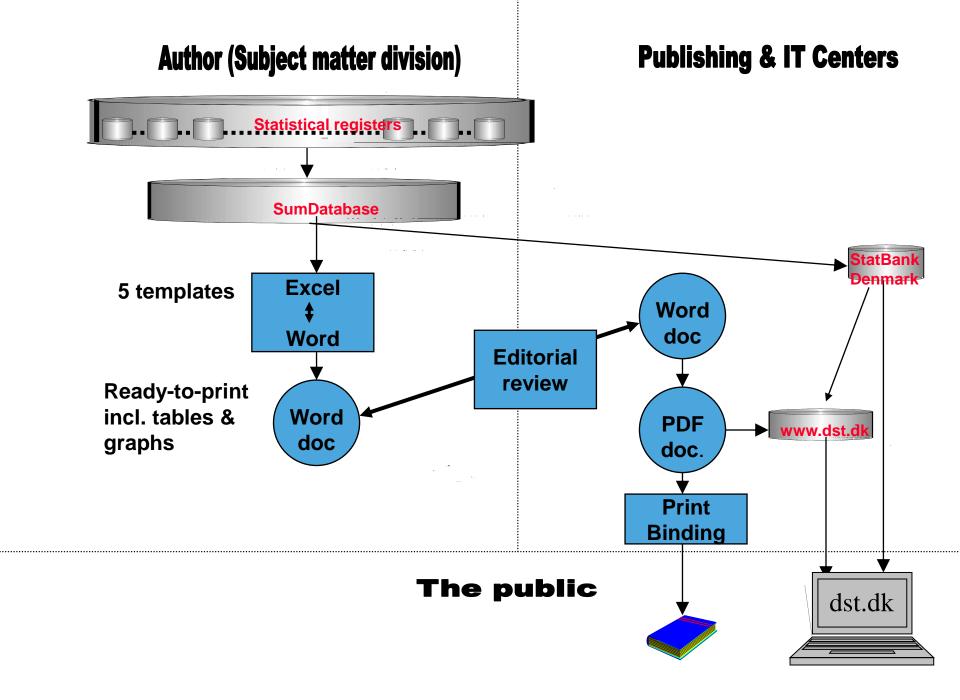
Development of PX-Products

- StatBank web interface towards SQL datamodel
- PX-Make
- PX-iGraph
- PX-Publ
- Net: Menu object model and new PX-iGraph

From Database to publications

 PX-Publ: Retrieves data from SQL Datamodel, into Excel and Word





Features of PX-Publ

- Retrieve data dynamically from database
- Easy updating of data tables in publications
- Ensure relationship between databank table and publication
- Make table editing in Excel possible
- Ensure consistency between web and paper releases