

# CAST Oracle Forms Extractor - General panel



This section provides a detailed description of the contents of the **General panel** in the [CAST Oracle Forms Extractor](#).

General	Options	Target
Verbose	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Platform	Forms	
Forms Root Path	C:\Users\James	

This panel enables you to define the input parameters for the extraction process. Each item is explained in more detail below:

<b>Verbose</b>	By default this option is set to TRUE. When set to true, the log (see <a href="#">Log panel</a> ) will contain information about the time taken to perform each specific action in milliseconds. This increases the size of the log, but is useful for troubleshooting.
<b>Platform</b>	This field is automatically set to <b>Forms</b> .
<b>Forms Root Path</b>	<p>Enter the location of the folder that contains your Oracle Forms source code files - or use the browse button to locate the folder you require. This can be a network location or a folder on your local machine. The following file types will be taken into account:</p> <p><b>Oracle Forms</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• .fmb</li><li>• .olb</li><li>• .mmb</li><li>• .pll</li></ul> <div data-bbox="215 1020 254 1060"></div> <p>Note that if you have already run an extraction and delivered/analyzed the results and you subsequently decide to perform another code extraction (because your source code has changed since the last analysis) you should be aware of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• if the location of the source code is different to the location used in the previous extraction, the analysis results will reflect this: the objects will be recorded as deleted and then added. This is due to the fact that the source code root path is used to form the GUID for each Forms/Reports object, therefore when the root path changes, the GUID of the object will change resulting in objects being recorded as deleted and then added.</li></ul>