
Better Business Results Through Predictive Analytics

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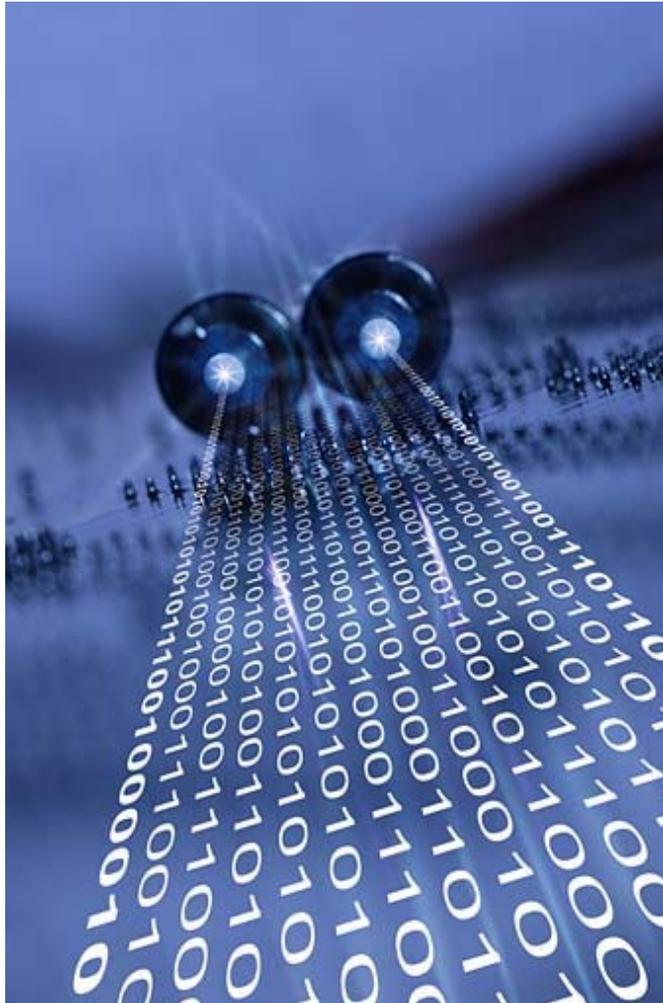


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What is Predictive Analytics?



Predictive Analytics helps connect **data** to effective **action** by drawing reliable conclusions about current conditions and **future** events.

— Gareth Herschel, Research Director, Gartner Group

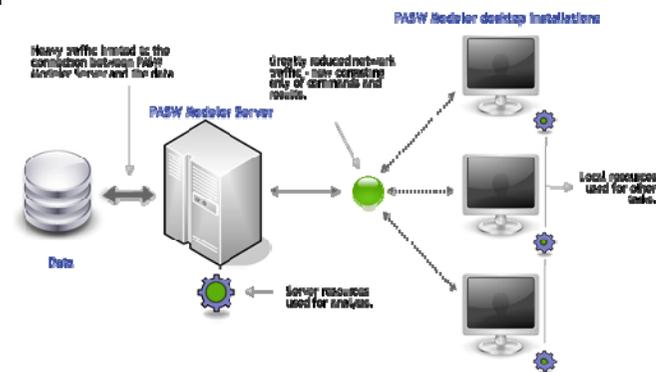
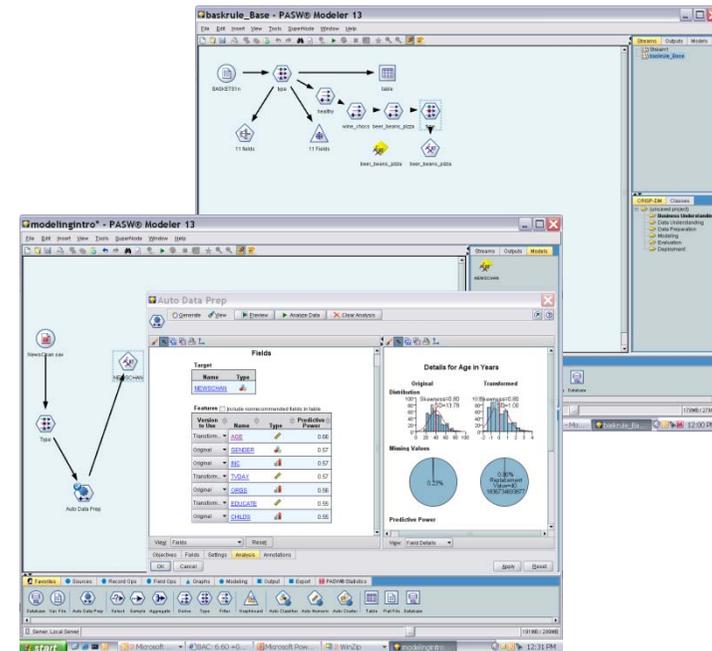
Why Predictive Analytics?

- Proactive customer service
- Acquire profitable customers efficiently
- Sell more to existing customers
- Keep profitable customers longer
- Proactively manage risk from fraudulent activity
- Proactively manage resources, human and physical

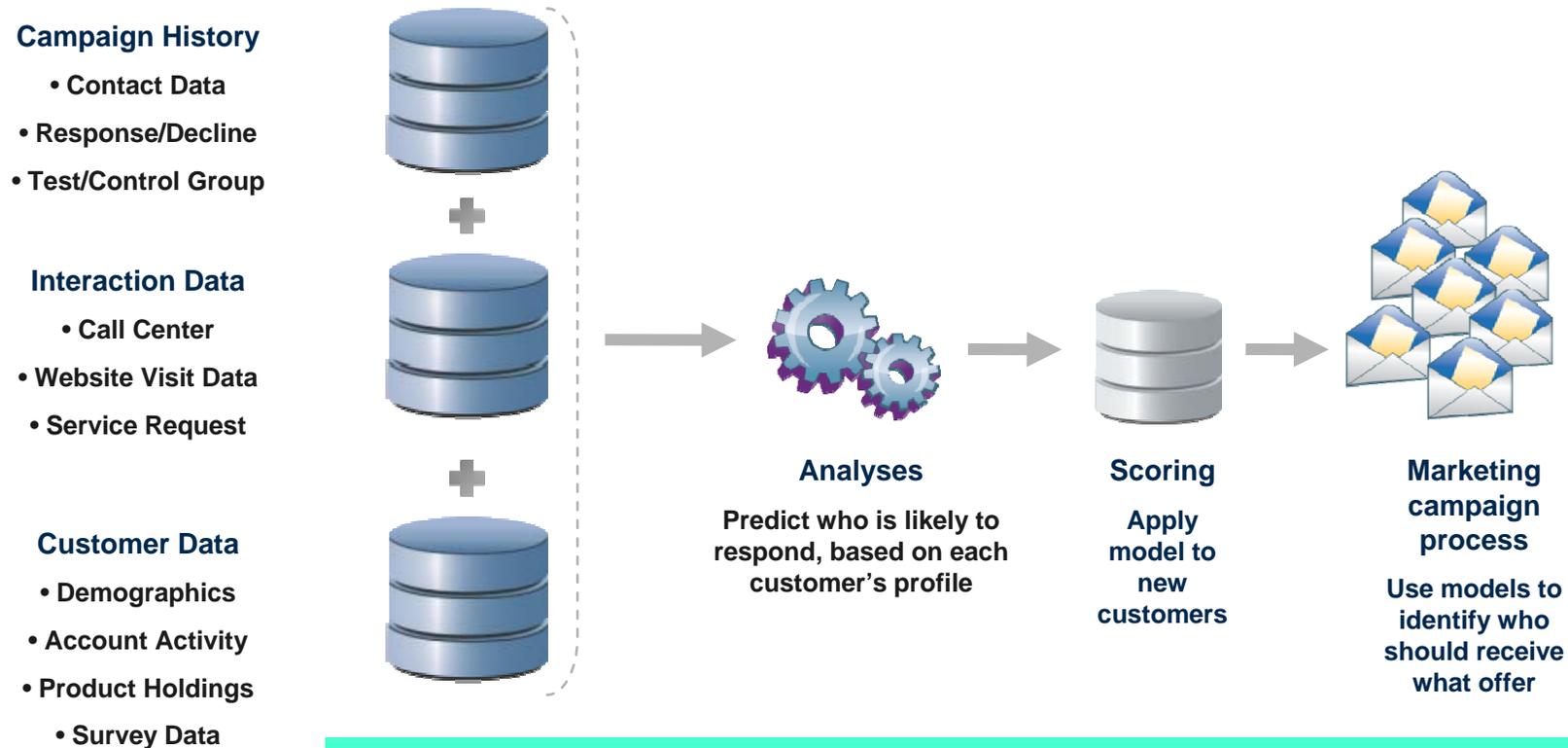


What is IBM SPSS Modeler?

- High-Performance Data Mining and Text Analytics workbench
- Easy to Learn / Intuitive Visual Interface
 - Visual approach - no programming
- Powerful Automated modeling
 - Automated data preparation
 - Multi model creation & evaluation
 - Integrated analysis of text, web & survey data
- Open and scalable architecture
 - Data mining within standard databases with SQL pushback support
 - Maximized use of infrastructure with multithreading, clustering and use of embedded algorithms (in database mining)
 - Integration with IBM technologies such as IBM Cognos Business Analytics and IBM InfoSphere Warehouse



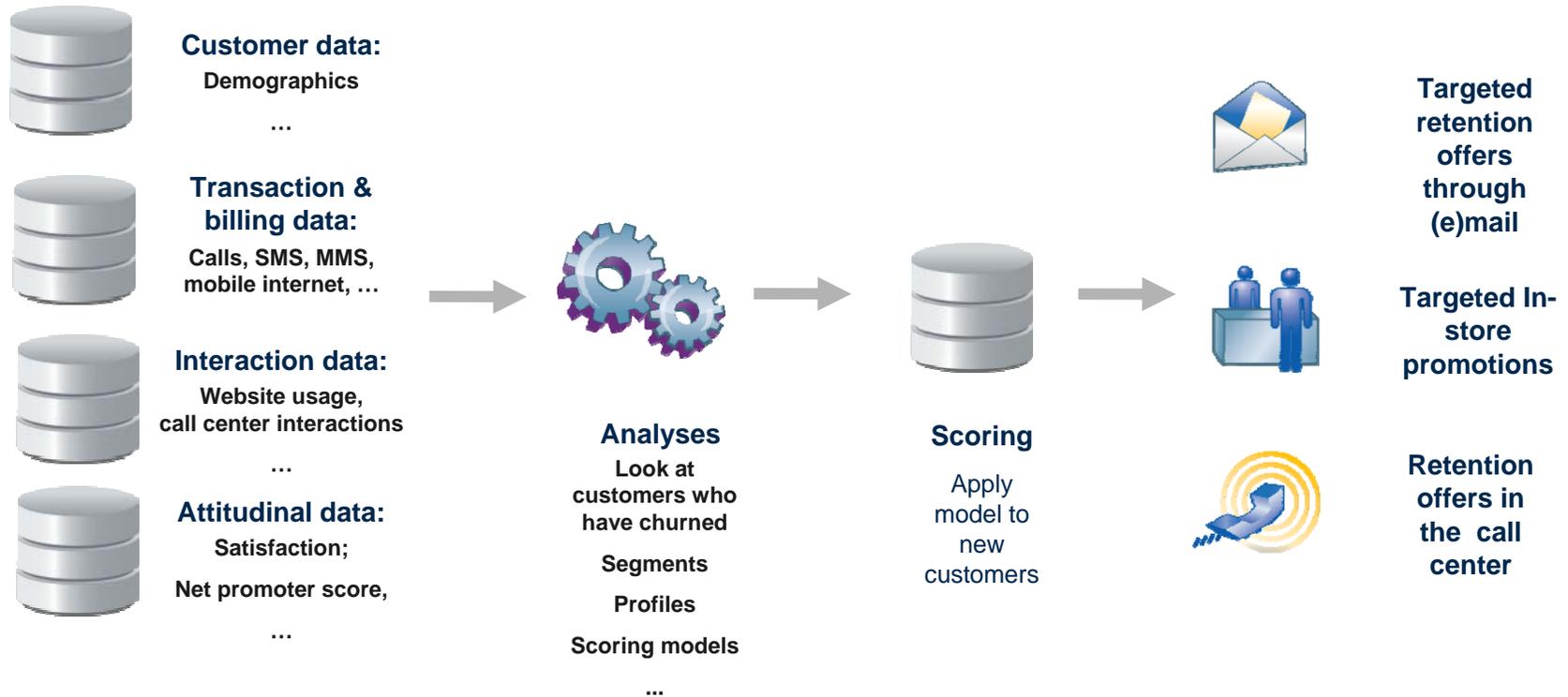
Example 1: Optimize Marketing Campaigns



Results:

- Lower mailing costs, higher response, more profit
- Better cross-sell/up-sell rates

Example 2: Proactive Customer Retention



Results:

- Reduction in churn due to proactive reach-out
- Maintain market share
- Proactive issue identification

What Makes IBM SPSS Modeler Unique?

- Industry-leading ease of use and analytical power makes it the tool of choice for both the business and expert user
- Comprehensive range of features and functions that help users get results fast
- Open and scalable architecture that minimizes IT investment and system disruption
- Multiple deployment options and integration with key IBM technologies such as IBM Cognos Business Intelligence and IBM InfoSphere Warehouse provides comprehensive and integrated solution with best in class data warehousing, data preparation, data mining, text analysis and deployment into business intelligence.



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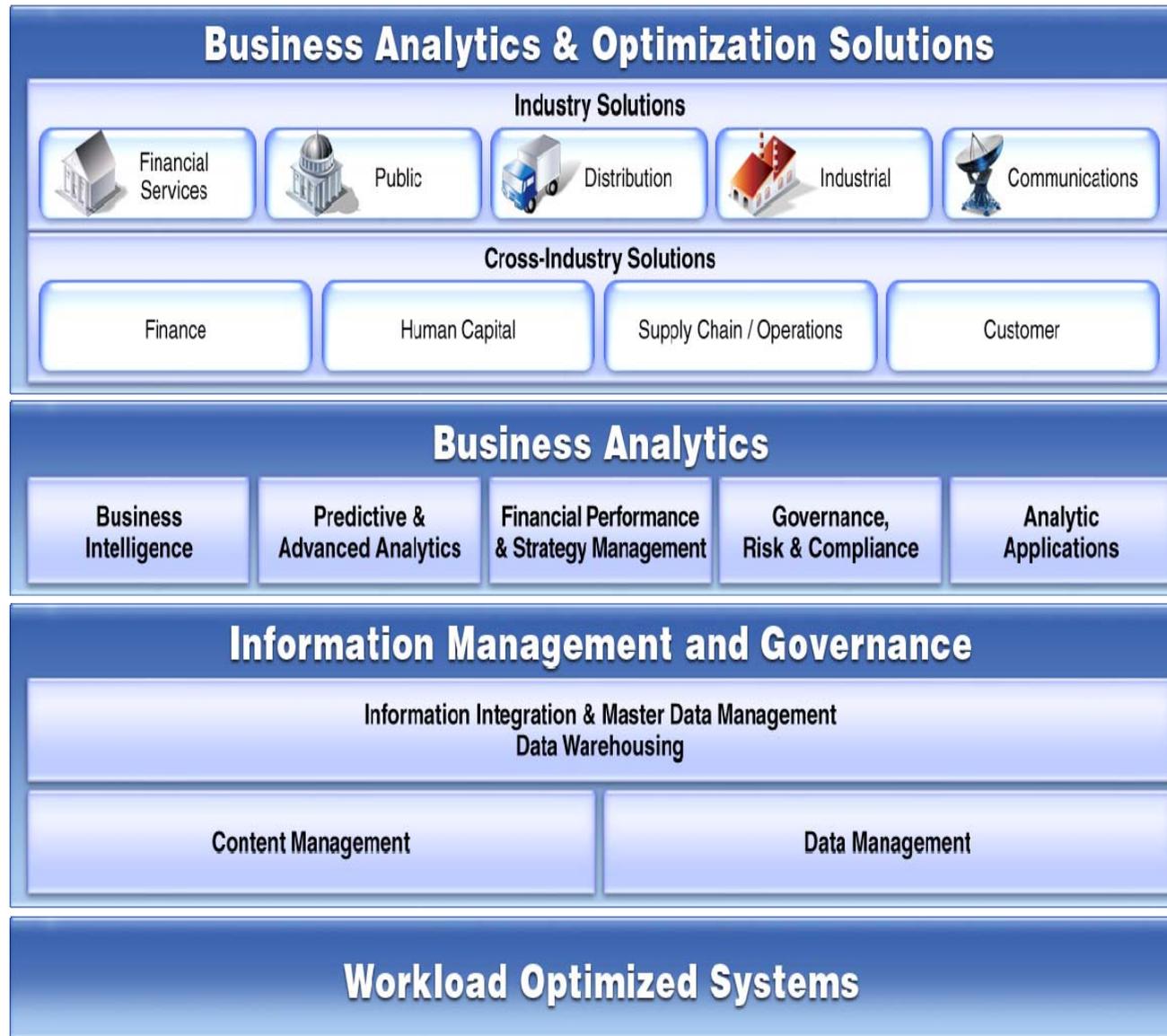
Business Analytics delivers insights to drive better outcomes



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Introducing Cognos 10



Revolutionizes the experience

Expands traditional BI capabilities

Advances market-proven platform

Cognos 10: Intelligence Unleashed Smarter Decisions. Better Results.

Freedom to Think

- Unified workspace
- All time horizons
- Progressive interaction

Connect with Others

- Decision networks
- Business context
- Accountability

and Simply Do

- Mobile and Disconnected
- Integrated
- Real-time

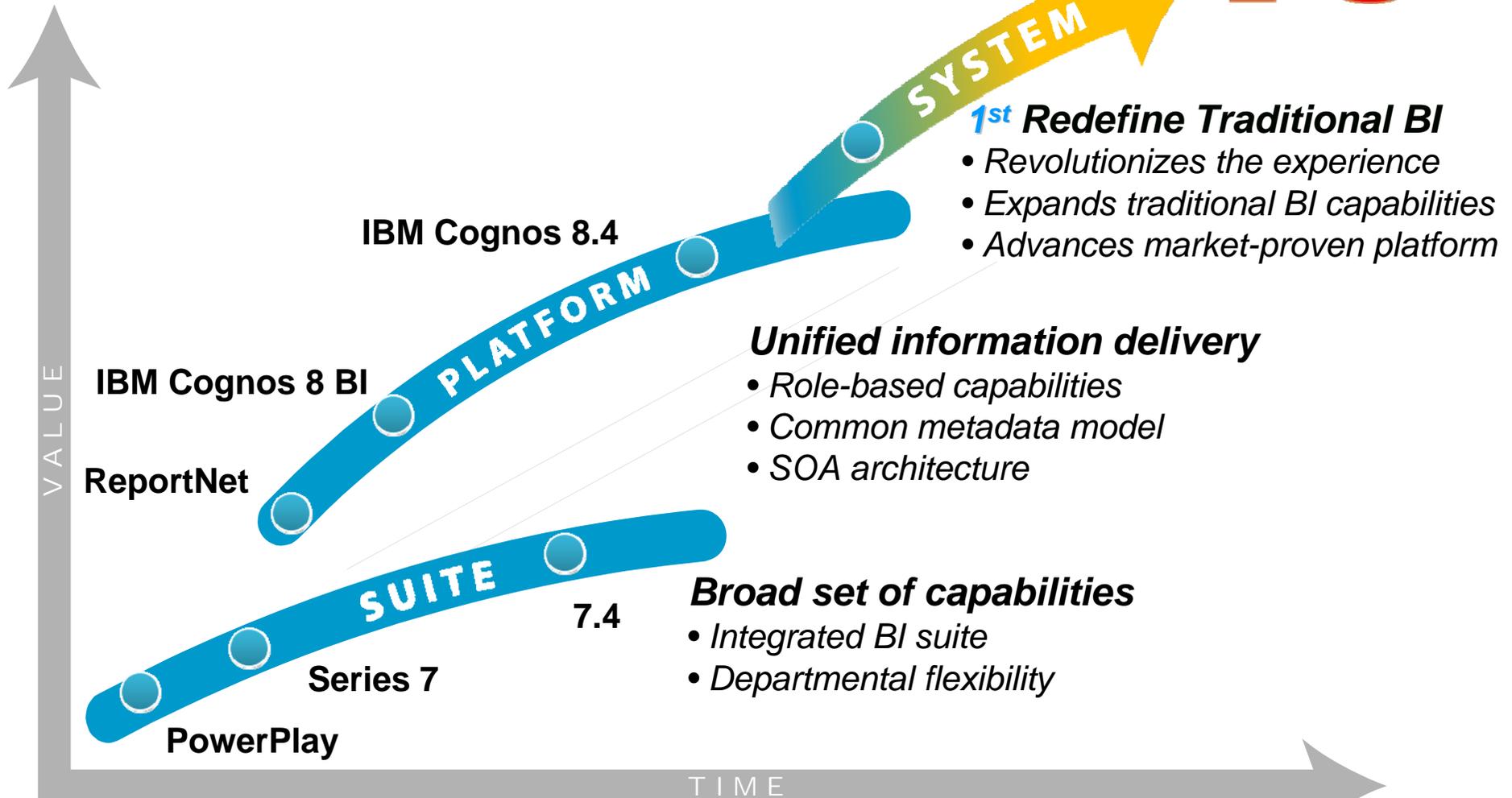


**A revolutionary BI workspace
delivered on a proven platform
with seamless upgrade**

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Cognos 10 begins a new series of innovations for Business Analytics



Cognos 10 redefines traditional BI



Meet the needs of an evolving workforce

- Analytics everyone can use in a BI workspace
- Sharpen individual skills to answer key business questions



Step up team decision making

- Collective intelligence with built-in collaboration and social networking
- Connect people and insights to gain alignment

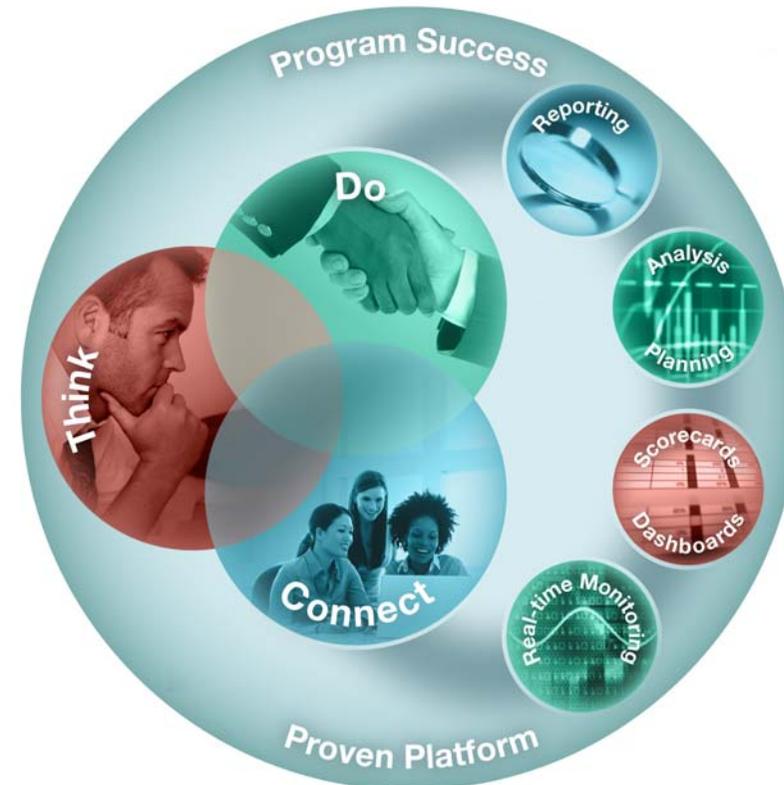


Accelerate business impact

- Actionable insight everywhere in mobile, real-time and business processes
- Instantly respond at the point of impact

Cognos 10 advances the platform

- **Optimize performance**
 - in-memory processing
- **Accelerate model design**
 - guided workflow-driven modeling
- **Enhance system management**
 - more granular visibility and control
- **Streamline lifecycle management**
 - ability to seamlessly upgrade



3x faster query

* When compared against IBM Cognos 8 BI software. Based on selective results from tests conducted in the IBM Performance and Scalability Labs on pre-release Cognos 10 software

Proven platform to cost-effectively
scale for growing user
communities and data volumes

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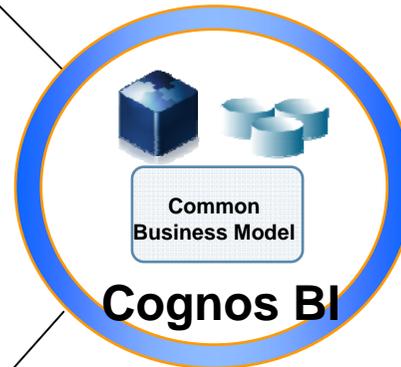
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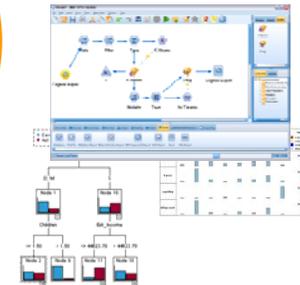
Infuse Business Intelligence with Predictive Analytics



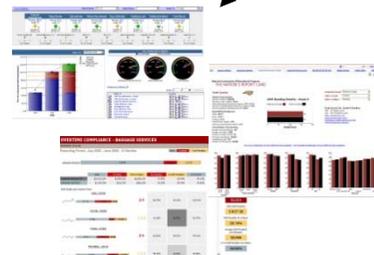
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2) Use SPSS predictive analytics & feed results back into the BI layer



3) Results widely distributed via BI for consumption by Business Users



Access IBM Cognos Business Intelligence Data

The screenshot displays the IBM SPSS Modeler interface. At the top, a menu bar includes File, Edit, Insert, View, Tools, SuperNode, Window, and Help. Below the menu is a toolbar with various icons for file operations and analysis. The main workspace shows a data pipeline starting with 'Demographics from CO.Distinct', followed by 'Merge', 'Time', 'Termination Model', 'Time', '(generated)', and 'Termination Model'. A yellow callout box above the pipeline reads: '1. Get data from virtually any source' and '2. Clean, reformat, and combine data visually using interactive graphs to both visualize and create data manipulations'. A blue arrow points from the first step to a 'Demographics from COGNOS BI' dialog box. This dialog box has tabs for 'Data', 'Filter', 'Types', and 'Annotations'. It shows a connection to 'http://ropevdev1.9300/p2pd/servelet/dispatch' and a package named 'GO Data Warehouse (analysis)'. The 'Package content' section lists 'GO Data Warehouse (analysis)' and 'go_data_warehouse'. The 'Fields to import' section lists various fields like '[Employee summary]', '[Employee summary fact]', '[Salary]', '[Bonus percentage]', '[Vacation days taken]', and '[Sick days taken]'. A yellow callout box on the right side of the dialog box reads: '4. Use intuitive model visualizations to understand results and deploy results to the enterprise in a variety of ways'. The dialog box also has 'OK', 'Cancel', 'Apply', and 'Reset' buttons. In the background, a 'CRISP-DM' diagram is visible with a tree structure: (unsaved project) -> Business Understanding -> Data Understanding -> Data Preparation -> Modeling -> Evaluation -> Deployment. The bottom status bar shows 'Server: Local S' and '277MB / 401MB'.

Users interact with familiar data view and minimize need for IT involvement for data access and preparation.

Export Predictive Intelligence to IBM Cognos Business Intelligence

The screenshot displays the IBM SPSS Modeler interface with a workflow diagram. A large blue callout box on the left contains the text: **Export directly to IBM Cognos Business Intelligence**. A yellow callout box at the top right states: **5. Export directly to IBM Cognos 8 Business Intelligence -by updating underlying data and creating a package to use for building reports.** A blue arrow points from the workflow to the 'IBM Cognos BI Export' dialog box. A yellow callout box at the bottom center states: **3. Choose from a wealth of individual modeling techniques or use auto-modeling techniques to create powerful models that get results.** The workflow includes nodes for Training, Distinct, Merge, Type, Termination_Model, (generated), Termination_Model, and predicted_attrition_... The 'IBM Cognos BI Export' dialog box shows the following configuration:

- Connection: http://ropevdev1:9300/p2pd/servlet/dispatch
- Data source: great_outdoors_warehouse
- Folder: /Public Folders
- Package name: employeeprediction_jmh2
- Mode: Publish package n...
- File: C:\Documents and Settings\Administrator\My Documents\Mod...

Add Predictive Intelligence to Business Intelligence Dashboards and Reports Using Familiar IBM Cognos BI Tools

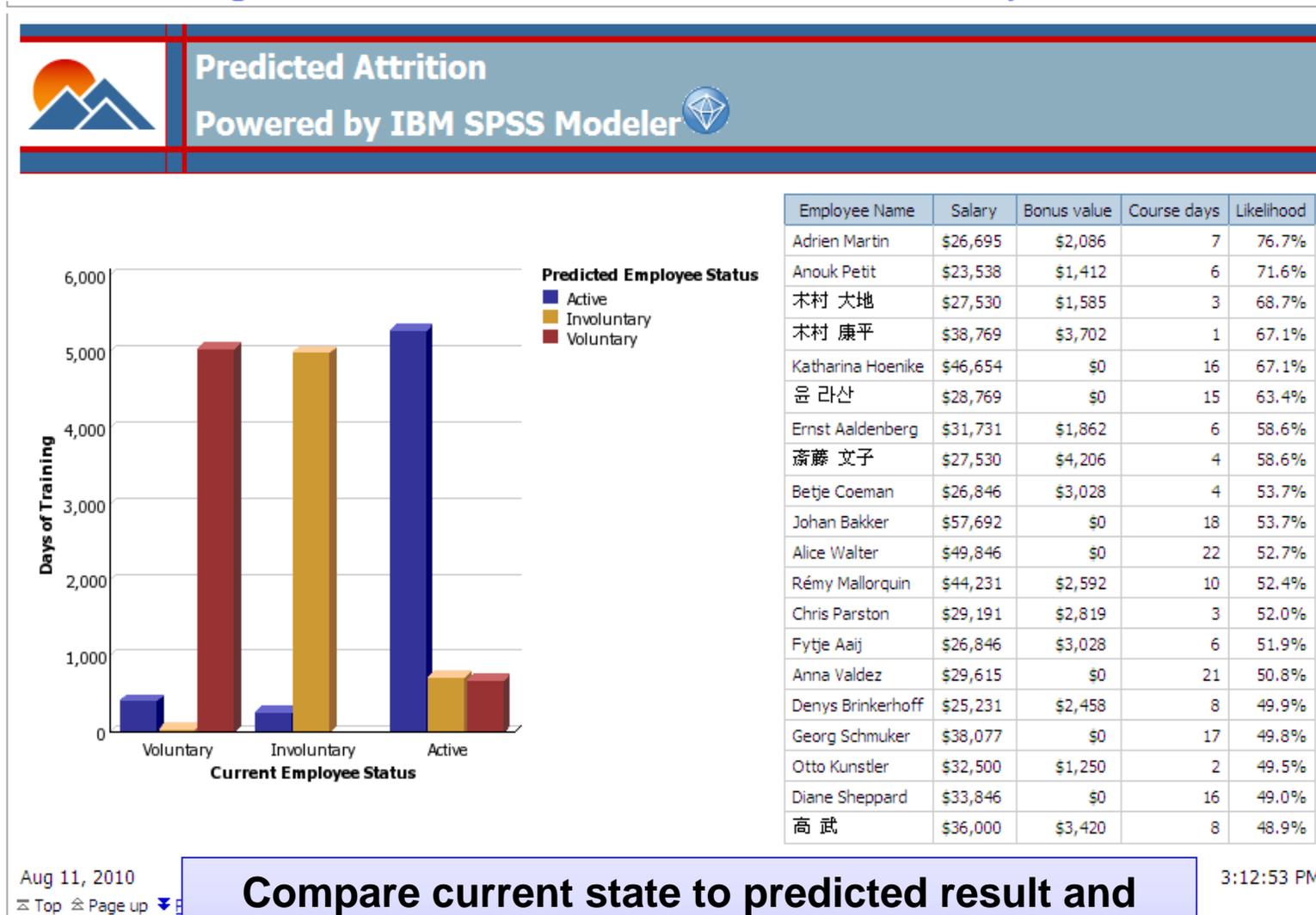
Exported package is immediately available to IBM Cognos Business Intelligence

The screenshot displays the IBM Cognos 8 BI Report Studio interface. The main report area shows a bar chart titled "Predicted Employee Status" with a table below it. The table lists employee data and their predicted likelihood of termination.

Employee Name	Salary	Bonus value	Course days	Likelihood
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The left sidebar shows the "Insertable Objects" pane with a list of variables including "predicted_attrition_jmh", "Employee name (multiscript)", "Salary", "Bonus percentage", "Bonus value", "Vacation days taken", "Sick days taken", "Termination code", "Termination reason", "Employee level", "Position name", "Course days", "Termination_Model", and "\$XSC-Termination_Model".

Business Intelligence Infused With Predictive Analytics



Compare current state to predicted result and measure by effect of key factors on predicted outcome. Focus efforts around the future – anticipate, rather than react.

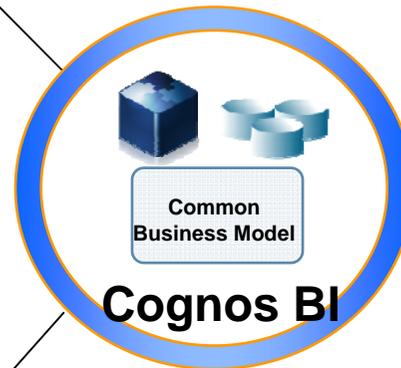
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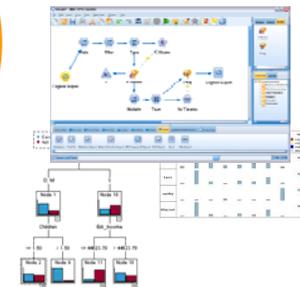
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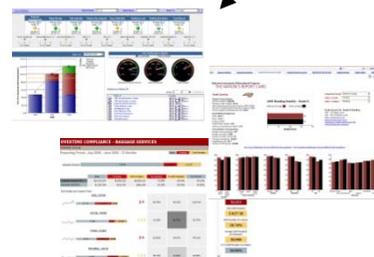
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Business Drivers for IBM Cognos 10 Statistics

Business Analysts and Specialists are looking to...

- See proof that proper statistical evidence is being used to support decision making
 - Example: Identify the impact of demand generation marketing programs on in quarter buying patterns

Subset of Commonly Used Statistics from SPSS Stats

- Visualize statistical results to more easily identify patterns and outliers
 - Example: Histogram charts to understand profiles of where employee performance is deviating outside of means

New SPSS Statistical Chart Types

- Incorporate statistical results with business reporting
 - Example: Distribute and share information around operational quality that correlates operational quality with different shifts and products

Integration with Report Studio for broad and enterprise distribution

Broad distribution of statistical results off of trusted data

Differences between Statistics and Data Mining

Statistical Analysis	Data Mining
<p>To draw conclusions or insights & determine cause-and-effect patterns between events from a sample of data.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Based on sample poll, predict election winner▪ Which advertising medium drives better sales▪ How does the use of cell phones vary by age	<p>Uncovers relationships & patterns within large volumes of data that can be used to predict behaviour and events</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ What customers are likely to leave?▪ Which files should be investigated for fraud?▪ Which products sell best together?
Small data sets (thousands)	Large data sets (millions)

Differences between Cognos Statistics and SPSS Statistics

IBM Cognos Statistics	SPSS Statistics Workbench
For LOB Analysts & Prof. Report Authors	For the specialist Statistical Analyst
Seamlessly integrated within Report Studio	Stand alone disconnected workbench
Subset of commonly used statistical functions	Full range of statistical functions
Supports all IBM Cognos platform data sources	Limited data source support

SPSS: Predictive Analytics Software (PASW)

4 Key Categories

➔ **Data Collection** *Delivers an accurate*

- PASW Data Collection

IBM Cognos Statistics –
Exposes a subset of commonly used Statistical functions from SPSS in C10

➔ **Statistics** *Drives confidence in your results & decisions*

- PASW Statistics

➔ **Modeling** *Brings repeatability to ongoing decision making*

- PASW Modeler
- PASW Text Mining

➔ **Deployment** *Maximizes the impact of analytics in your operation*

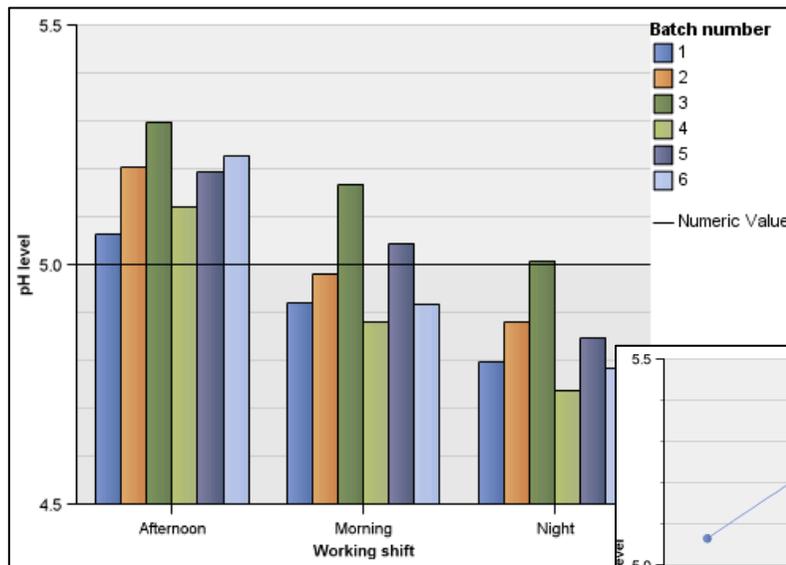
- PASW Decision Management
- PASW Collaboration & Deployment Services



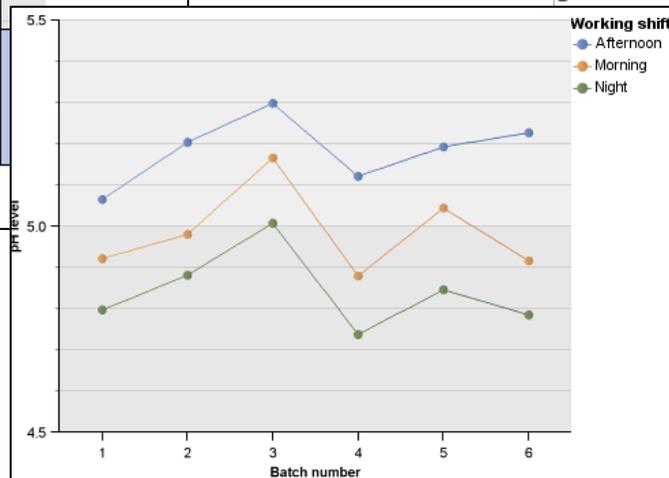
When Might Statistics Help?

BI can answer many questions, but is not well suited to some

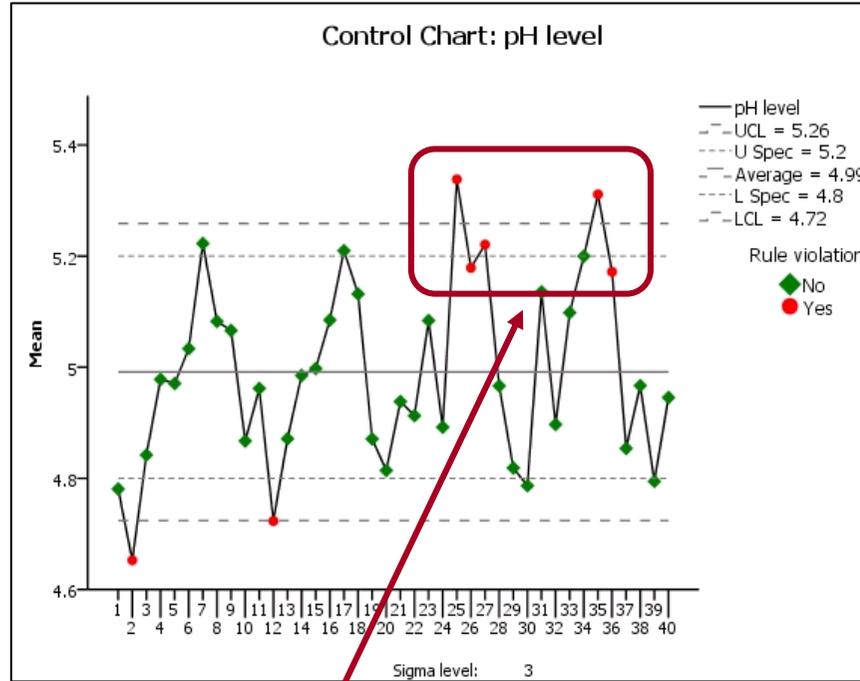
“What manufacturing shifts cause products to fall outside of acceptable quality standards?”



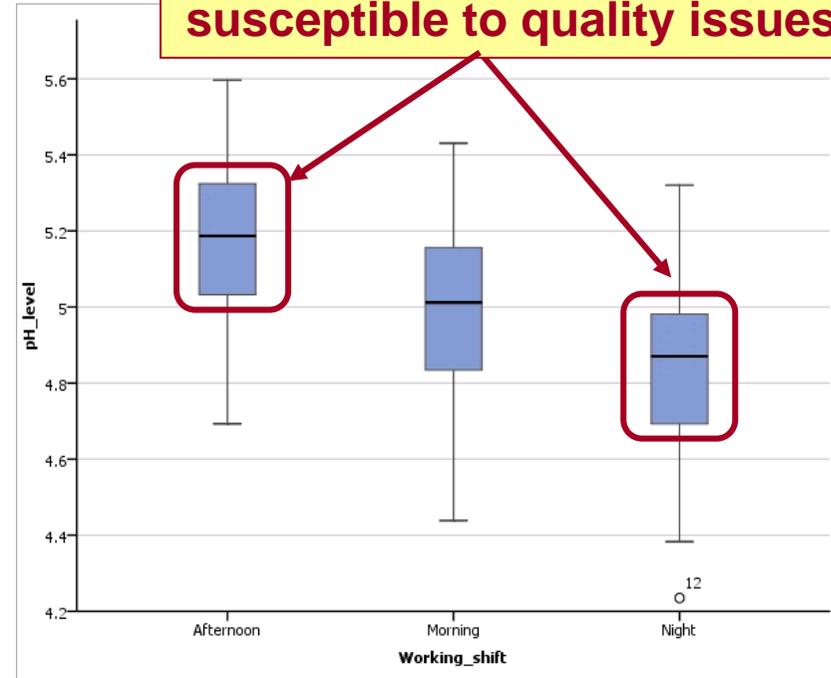
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	2	Night	2	4.65
	3	Night	3	4.91
	4	Night	4	4.62
	5	Night	5	4.84
	6	Night	6	4.69
1 - Summary				4.78
2	7	Night	1	4.52
	8	Night	2	4.73



Extra Value through Statistics



Night and morning shifts are susceptible to quality issues



Quality standard were outside of their acceptable means on these occasions

Rule Violations
 7 points violate control rules.

Time of measurement	Violations for Points
2	Less than -3 sigma
2	2 points out of the last 3 below -2 sigma
12	Less than -3 sigma
25	Greater than +3 sigma
26	2 points out of the last 3 above +2 sigma
27	2 points out of the last 3 above +2 sigma

Use Cases – Where Statistical Reporting can help to better answer business questions?

Finance

- How accurate and reliable is our current forecast and targets based on historical trends?

Human Resources

- What is our distribution on employees nearing retirement? What's the month-over-month trend?

Sales and Marketing

- What is the correlation between marketing activity and same quarter sales? Which activities are more effective in leading to higher sales opportunities?

Operations

- What products and shifts are 3 sigmas outside of our quality control standards? What is the month-over-month trend?

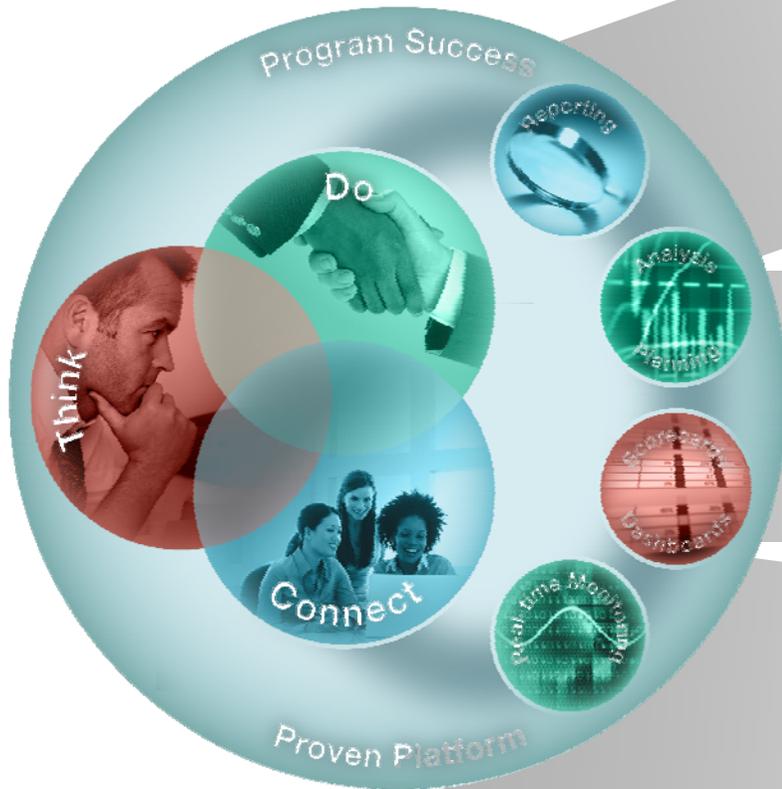
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