Designing and Deploying Dashboards



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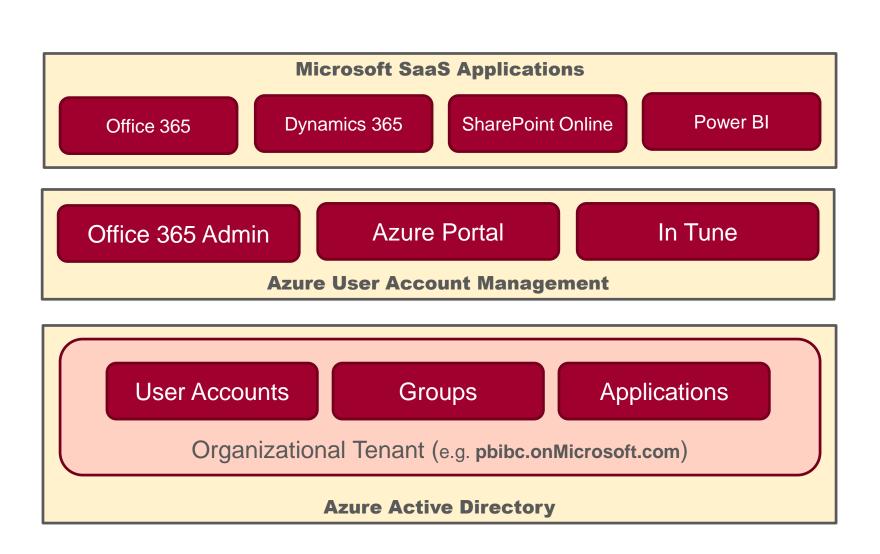


Power BI Built on Azure Active Directory

- Azure AD manages identity in Microsoft cloud
 - Organization creates user accounts & groups in Azure AD
 - Users accounts and groups created in scope of tenant
 - Azure AD provides user authentication service
- Azure AD manages licensing and permissions
 - Provides users authorized access to Office 365
 - Provides users authorized access to SharePoint Online
 - Provides users authorized access to Dynamics 365
 - Provides users authorized access to Power BI



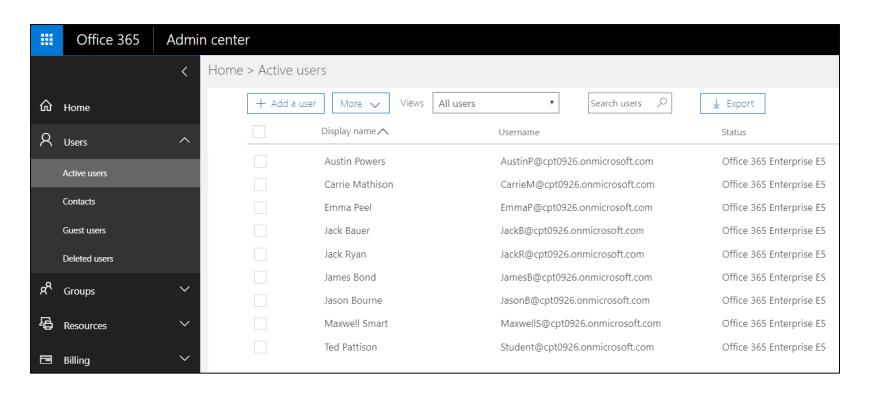
Managing User Accounts and Groups





Azure AD User Accounts and Licensing

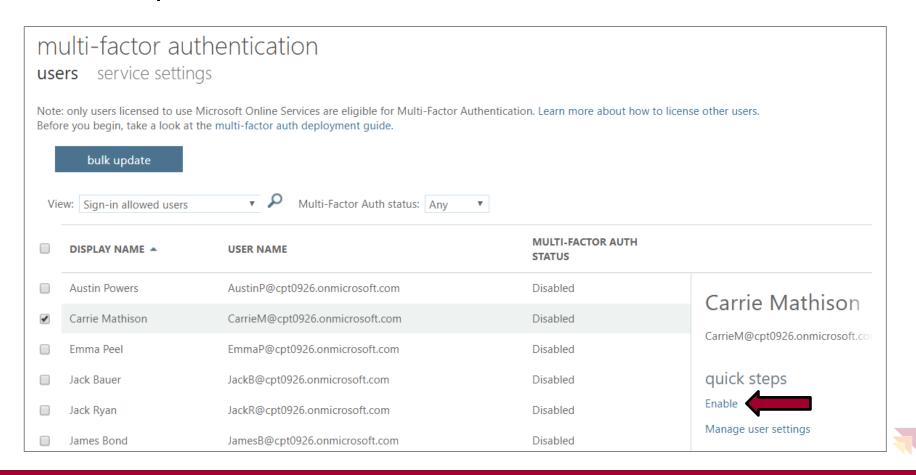
- User account created within scope of tenant
 - Office 365 admin create accounts and assigns licenses





Multifactor Authentication

- Enabled through admin portal
 - Requires Office 365 or Azure AD Premium



User Access Control for Mobile Devices

- Mobile Device Power BI App Management
 - Controlled via InTune for iPhone (iOS7) and Android
 - Policy can be configured to make users enter PIN
 - Account locked after max number of failed PIN logins
- Configuring the Power BI app with InTune
 - 1. Specify the Power BI app as the app to configure
 - Configure policies (e.g. require PIN)
 - 3. Enable for deployment
 - Users install Power BI app from company portal





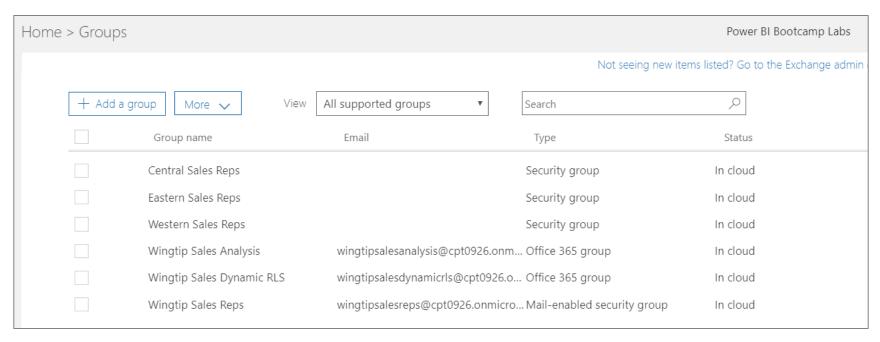
Conditional Access for Web and Mobile

- Azure AD supports configuring conditional access
 - Control which IP address ranges can connect (Corp LAN)
 - Control which devices can connect
 - Configure access so only group members can connect
 - Configure which users or IP address ranges require 2FA
 - Lots more is possible



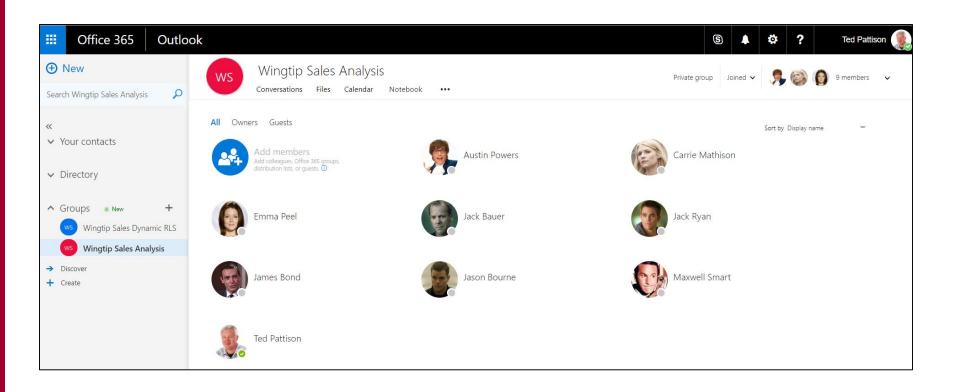
Azure AD Group Types

- Azure AD Group Types
 - Security Groups
 - Mail-enabled Security Groups
 - Office 365 Groups





Office 365 Groups





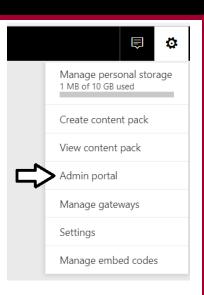
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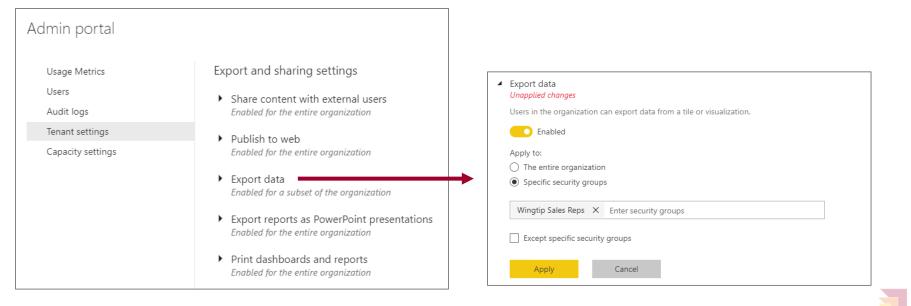
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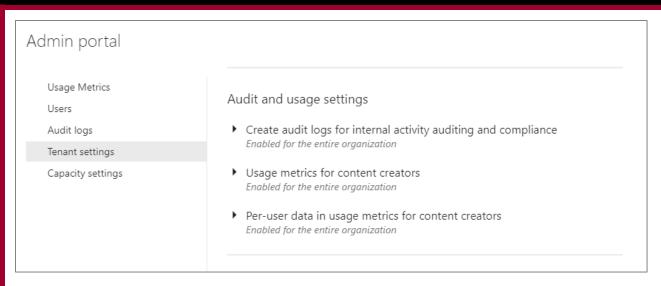
Power BI Admin Portal

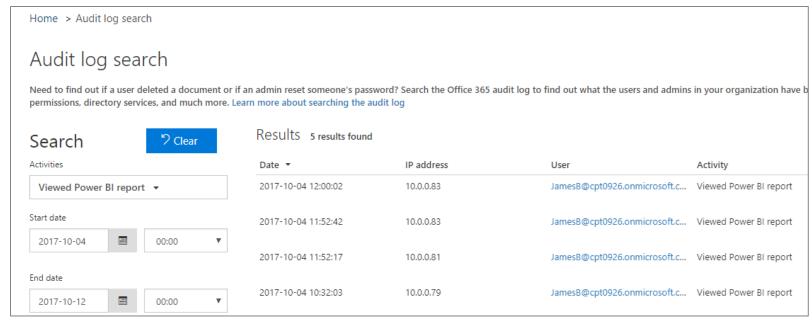
- Power BI Admins control tenant-level settings
 - Control whether users can self-register for Power BI
 - Control who can publish to web
 - Control who can export & share content
 - Control who can create content packs





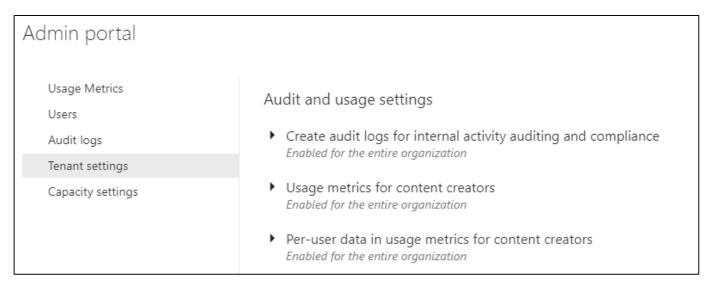
Power BI Audit Log

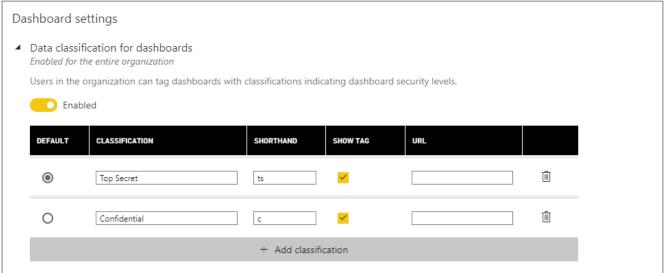






Data Classification for Dashboards





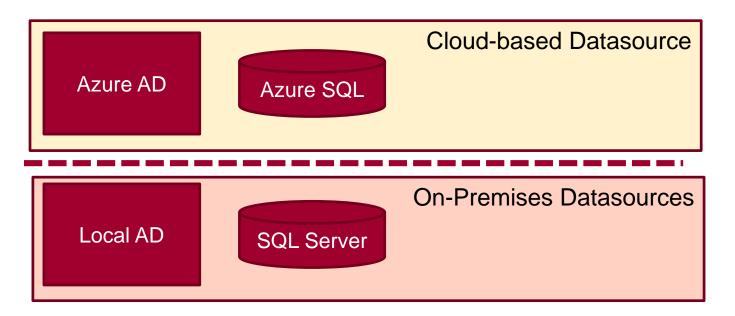
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Types of Data

- Imported Data (aka ETL Data)
 - Data cached in Power BI and refreshed using saved credentials
- Live Connection or Direct Query
 - Data pulled into Power BI at query time using saved credentials
- Pushed Data
 - Data pushed into Power BI by external application





Data Is Always in One of Three States

- Data can be In Transit
 - Moving between data source, Power BI and client
 - Data is always encrypted using HTTPS or Azure Service Bus
- Data can be In Process
 - Data loaded into cloud-based memory
- Data can be At Rest
 - Data stored in cloud-based storage
 - Data encrypted using internally managed encryption keys



Storage of Data At Rest

- What types of data must be stored at rest?
 - Data (i.e. Dataset)
 - Credentials
 - Metadata for report and dashboard layouts

Data source	Data	Metadata	Credentials
Imported Data	Azure Blob Storage	Azure Blob Storage	Azure SQL
Direct Query	Nothing	Azure Blob Storage	Azure SQL
Live Connection	Nothing	Azure Blob Storage	Azure SQL
Push Dataset	Azure SQL	Azure Blob Storage	N/A



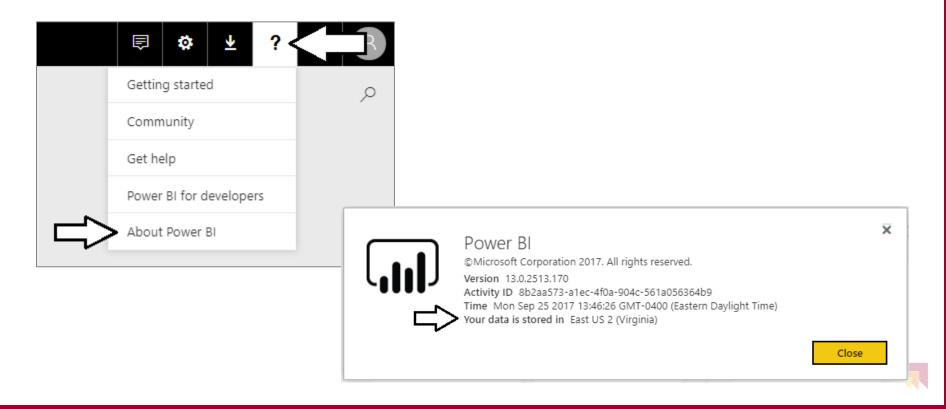
Data Encryption

- Power BI uses encryption keys for blob storage
 - Keys stored in separate location from Power BI service
 - Fully managed by internal Microsoft service
- Azure SQL manages encryption internally
 - Power BI relies on Azure SQL TDE Technology
 - Used to encrypt credentials to cloud-based sources
- For credentials to access on-premises sources
 - Encryption key created in on-premises data gateway
 - Encryption key used to encrypt creds stored in cloud



Data Storage Location

- Data storage location can be important
 - Especially with European rules and regulations
- Organization has tenant in specific data center



Data Residency and Azure Region Pairs

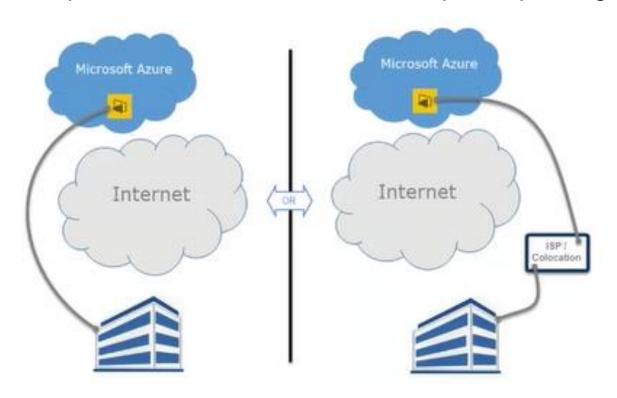
- Data stored in specific Azure Region
 - Azure region defined data residency
 - Within a region, data centers are paired

Geography	Paired regions	
North America	North Central US	South Central US
North America	East US	West US
North America	US East 2	US Central
North America	West US 2	West Central US
Europe	North Europe	West Europe
Asia	South East Asia	East Asia
China	East China	North China
Japan	Japan East	Japan West
Brazil	Brazil South (1)	South Central US
Australia	Australia East	Australia Southeast
US Government	US Gov Iowa	US Gov Virginia
India	Central India	South India
Canada	Canada Central	Canada East
UK	UK West	UK South



Connecting Through Express Route

- Allows you to create private network connection
 - Connect to Power BI without going through public Internet
 - Can also connect through ISP's colocation facility
 - Azure Express route with Power BI uses public peering





Compliance and Market Availability

OMPLIANCE	AVAILABILITY	REGIONS DATA LOCATIONS
ISO/IEC 27001: 2013	√	Asia Pacific
ISO/IEC 27018:2014	√	Australia
НІРАА ВАА	√	Brazil
EU Model Clause	√	Canada
Data Processing Terms	√	Europe
PCI Security Standards Council	√	India
CSA STAR Certification	√	Japan
G-Cloud (UK)	√	United Kingdom
Section 508 VPATs	√	United States
SOC 1 & SOC 2 (SSAE 16)	Coming soon	
Sarbanes-Oxley	Coming soon	
FedRAMP High (in Azure government environment)	√	

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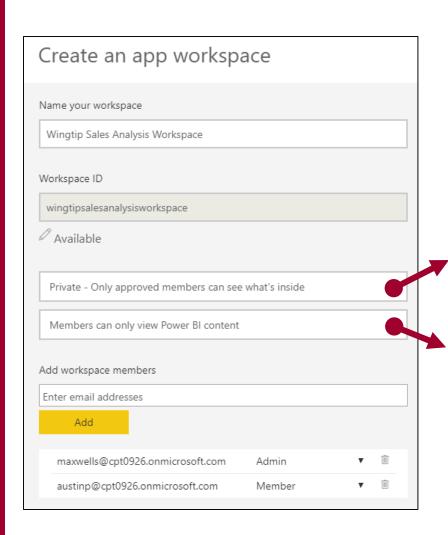


What Exactly is an App Workspace?

- App Workspace is Power BI resource container
 - Provides storage for datasets, reports and dashboards
- App Workspace created as Office 365 Group
 - Acts as both a security group and distribution list
 - Requires provisioning SharePoint team site
- On the Power BI Roadmap
 - Creating workspace without SharePoint provisioning



Creating an App Workspace



Public - Anyone can see what's inside

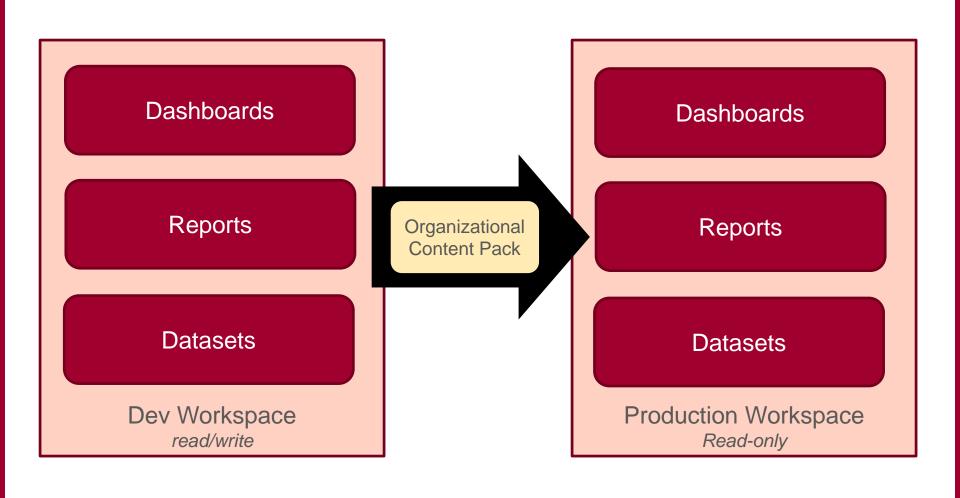
Private - Only approved members can see what's inside

Members can only view Power BI content

Members can edit Power BI content

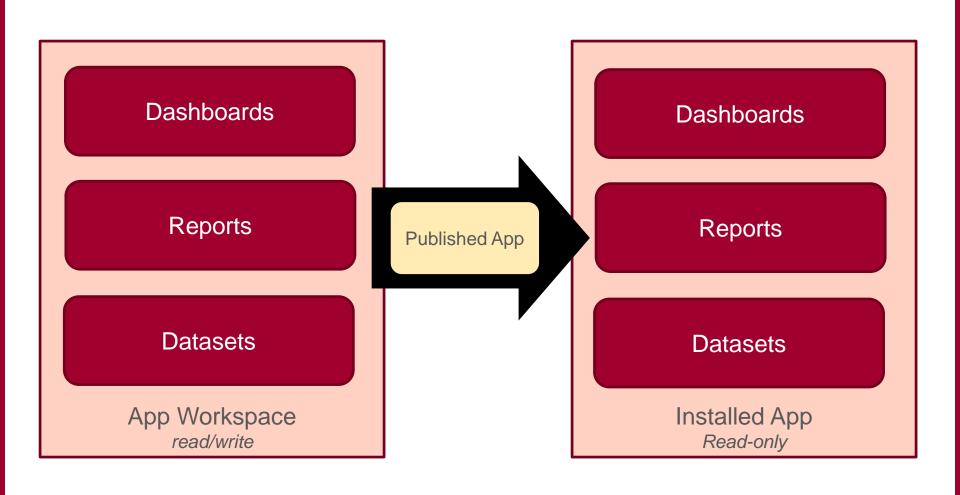


Old Distribution Model





New Distribution Model





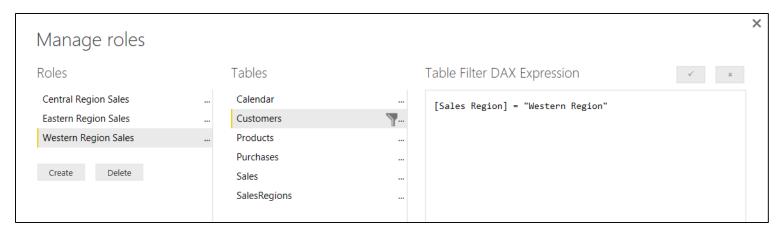
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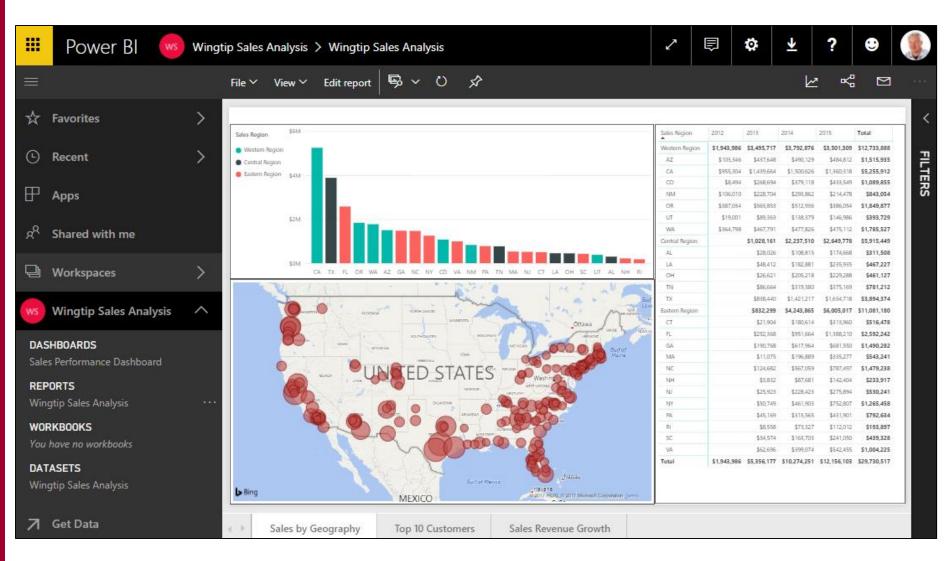
What Is Row-level Security (RLS)

- Security Scheme based on Named Roles
 - Roles are defined using Power BI Desktop
 - Each role is scoped to the dataset within a PBIX project
- Role defined using one or more DAX expressions
 - DAX expressions restrict which rows are accessible



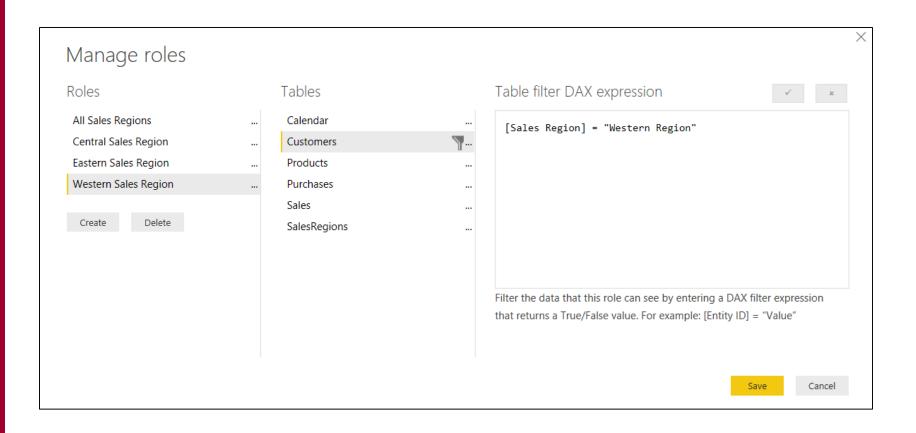


Common RLS Scenario



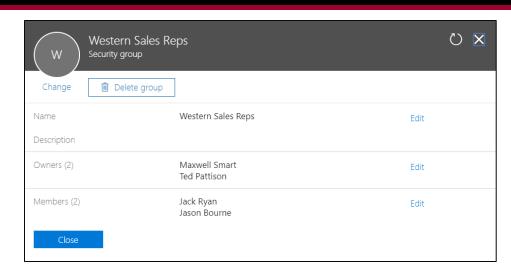


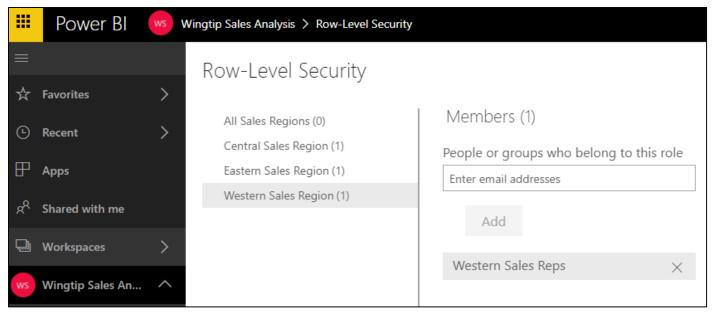
Configuring RLS in the Power BI Desktop





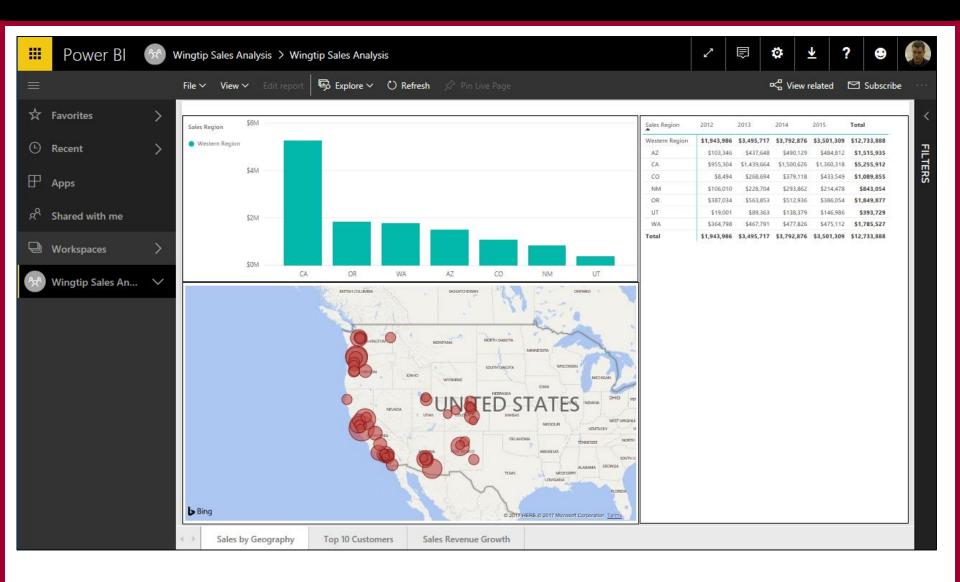
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RLS Enforcement







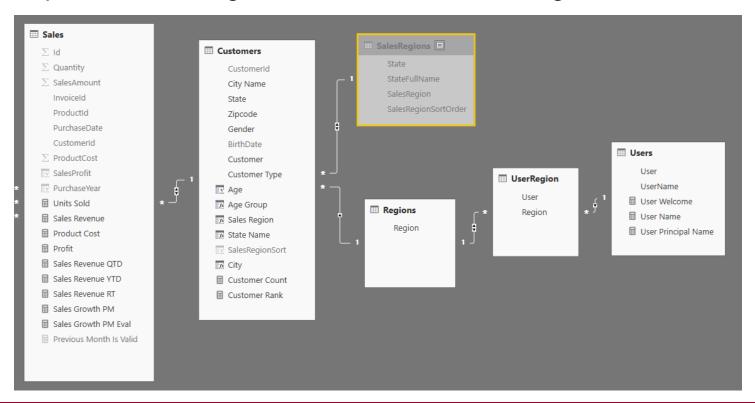
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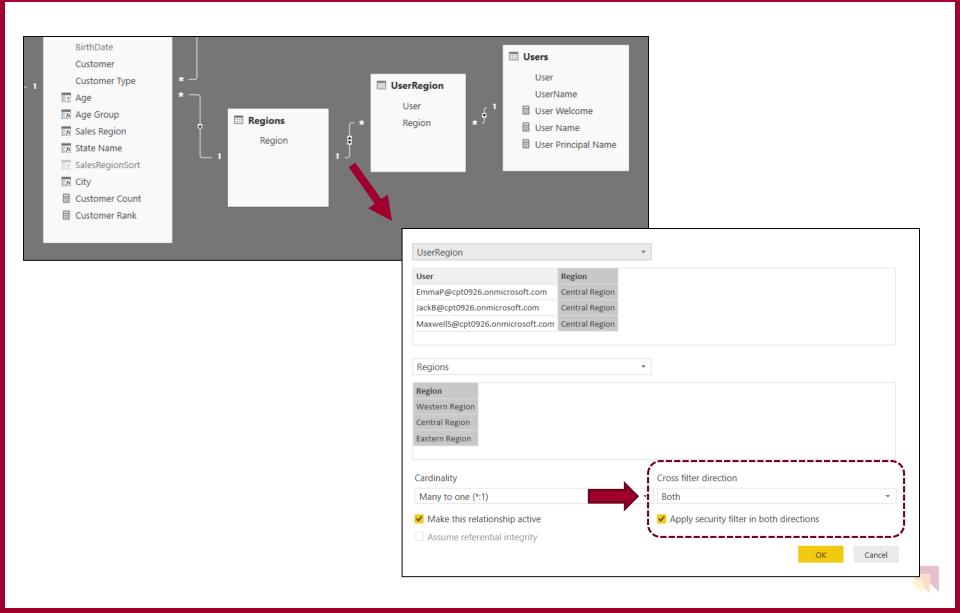
Dynamic RLS

- Design pattern for data-driven security
 - RLS set up to use login name of current user
 - Permission assignments are included as part of dataset
 - Implemented using bi-directional cross-filtering

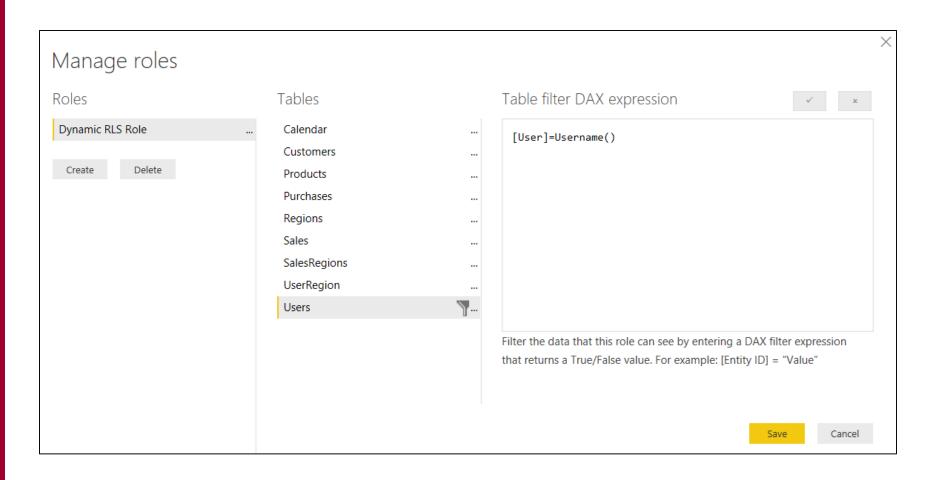




Configuring Cross-direction Filtering

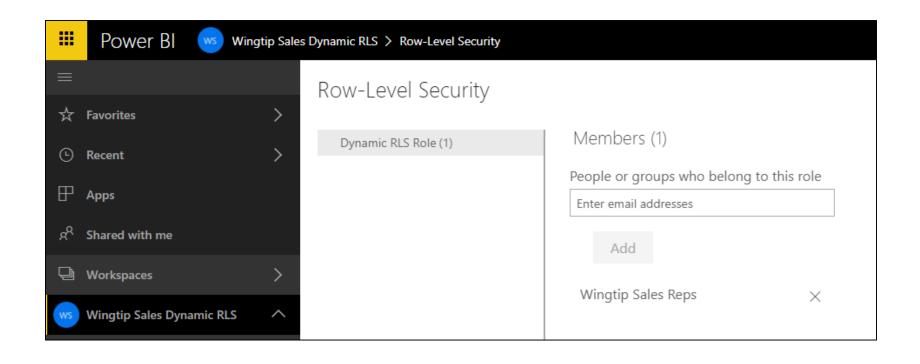


Dynamically Tracking the Current User



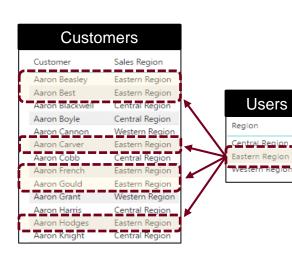


All Users Must Be Added To a Role

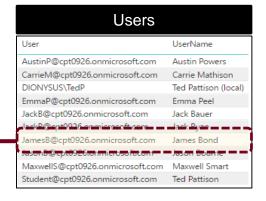




Dynamic RLS Table Filtering

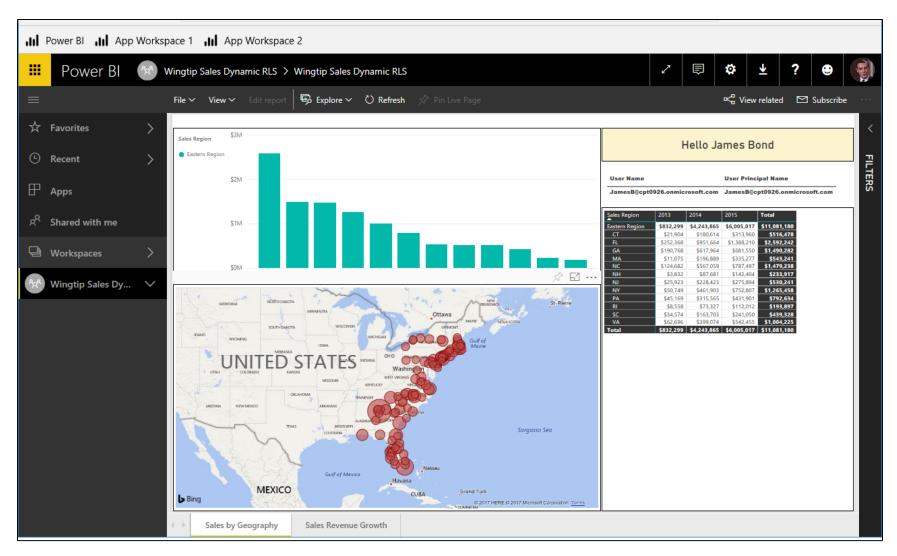


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Central Region	EmmaP@cpt0926.onmicrosoft.com	
Central Region	JackB@cpt0926.onmicrosoft.com	
Central Region	MaxwellS@cpt0926.onmicrosoft.com	
Central Region	Student@cpt0926.onmicrosoft.com	
Eastern Region	AustinP@cpt0926.onmicrosoft.com	
Eastern Region	CarrieM@cpt0926.onmicrosoft.com	
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Eastern Region	JamesB@cpt0926.onmicrosoft.com	
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