Module 4 Key Performance Indicators

Performance measurement

Reasons for measuring performance

- Measuring performance
- Benefit of performance management analytics tools

Measurement requirements

- Measuring for learning and improving performance
- External and compliance reporting requirements
- Measurements for controlling and monitoring
- How best practice organizations drive performance

Measures and Metrics

- Measure
- Metric
- Objective of metrics
- Differences between strategic and operational measures
- Selecting the right metrics
- Qualitative and quantitative metrics

Key Performance Indicators (KPIs)

- What is a key performance indicator
- KPI characteristics
- Which KPIs should be used
- KPIs commonly used
- KPI management
- Benefits of KPIs
- Problems with KPIs

Using metrics on dashboards

- Metrics should correlated with an organization's success
- Align metrics with the strategic goals
- What the right metrics indicate
- Include unique measures
- Effect of selecting random metrics
- Metrics to include on a dashboard
- Basic indicator rules

Developing and keeping metrics effective

- Obtain buy-in
- Benefit of simplicity
- Empower users
- Avoid perfectionism
- Review selected metrics periodically
- Pitfalls of incentives
- Check data quality periodically