Overview of the SQL Server Data Warehousing / Business Intelligence Toolset

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Constructing a DW/BI Solution

- Create the Data Warehouse
- ETL Extract Transform Load
- Analytics Aggregation Trending Correlations
- Reporting



Our goal

- Adventure Works Lite Bike Company, a subsidiary of Adventure Works.
- Our sales department needs a new report.
- Need to see sales based on the Line Total value in the sales tables.
- Drill down by Product Category, Subcategory, and Product
- Drill down by Country, State, City, Company



The Microsoft Toolset

- Construct: Visual Studio 2010 Database Project
- ETL: SSIS SQL Server Integration Services
- Analyze: SSAS SQL Server Analysis Services
- Report: SSRS SQL Server Reporting Services
- SSMS SQL Server Management Studio



The end result

"You've got to be very careful if you don't know where you're going, because you might not get there."

-- Yogi Berra



Source Database

SQL Server Management Studio



Creating the Data Warehouse

Visual Studio 2010 Database Project



ETL

SQL Server Integration Services



Analytics

SQL Server Analysis Services



Reporting

SQL Server Reporting Services



Summary

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