Extending Power BI governance with Microsoft Purview

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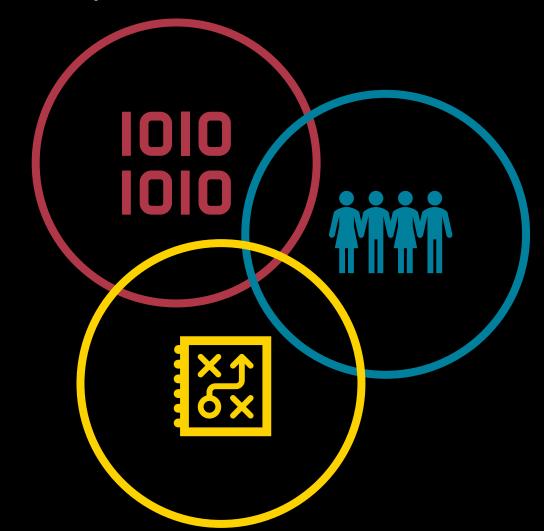
## Objectives of today

- What do we understand as Governance
- Governance in Power BI
  - Data classification
  - Sensitivity labels
  - Endorsement
- What is Microsoft Purview
- Magic uncovered
- Strategy
- Findings & experiences



## Combination of three components

- Data
- Analytics
- People



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[data + analytics + people]
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- Cloud
- On-prem
- Hybrid







## [ data + analytics + people ]



#### Discover

Search for data and combine different sources to one model



#### Share

Share insights and analytics across the organization



#### Analyze

Analyze tons of data in a few clicks and let it add value



#### Find & Explore

Find answers and explore data in visuals + Q&A capabilities



#### Visualize

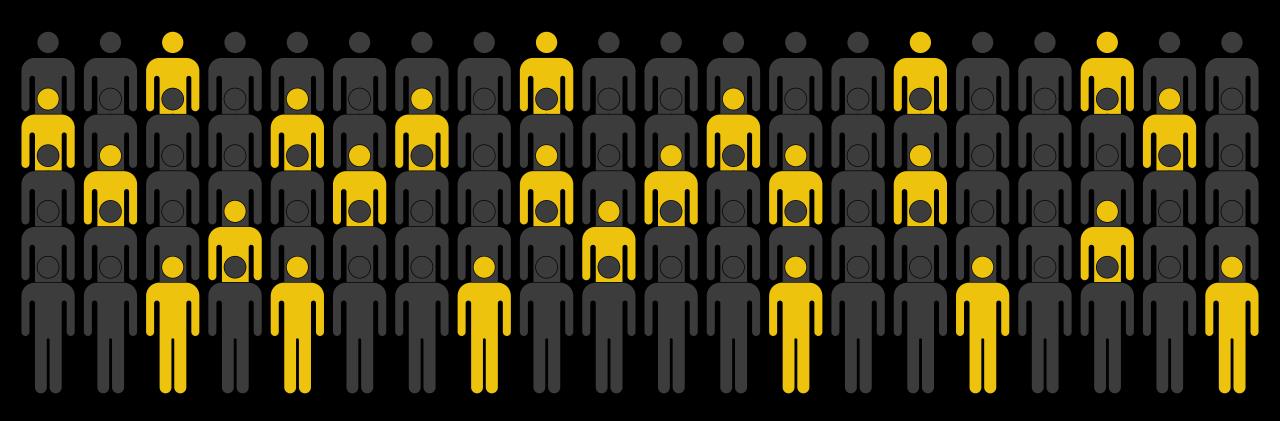
Transform millions of rows of data in stunning visuals



#### Anywhere

Your data on your fingertips on any device wherever you are.

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= competitive advantage

## Data driven ambition



## Open ends



Where does the data come from?



How reliable is the data?



What do I already have available?

# Understanding of governance



## Data governance is becoming increasingly interdisciplinary



## Challenges for Data Consumers

- There's no central location to register data sources
- Data-consumption experiences require users to know the connection string or path.
- Data sources and documentation might live in several places
- There's no explicit connection between the data and the experts that understand the data's context.

## Challenges for Data Producers

- Annotating data sources with descriptive metadata is often a lost effort. Client applications typically ignore descriptions that are stored in the data source.
- Creating documentation for data sources can be difficult and it's an ongoing responsibility to keep documentation in sync with data sources. Users might not trust documentation that's perceived as being out of date.
- Creating and maintaining documentation for data sources is complex and time-consuming.
- Restricting access to data sources and ensuring that data consumers know how to request access is an ongoing challenge.

## Challenges for security administrators

- Everything just mentioned and:
- An organization's data is constantly growing and being stored and shared in new directions. The task of discovering, protecting, and governing sensitive data is one that never ends.
- How to ensure that the organization's content is being shared with the correct people, applications, and with the correct permissions.
- Understanding the risk levels in an organization's data requires diving deep into the content, looking for keywords, RegEx patterns, and sensitive data types.
- Constantly monitor all data sources for sensitive content, as even the smallest amount of data loss can be critical to your organization.
- Ensuring that an organization continues to comply with corporate security policies is a challenging task as the content grows and changes.

## Governance in Power Bl



## Our scope for Power Bl governance today

- Cataloguing of Power BI artifacts
- Ownership / contact information
- Data classification
- Content endorsement

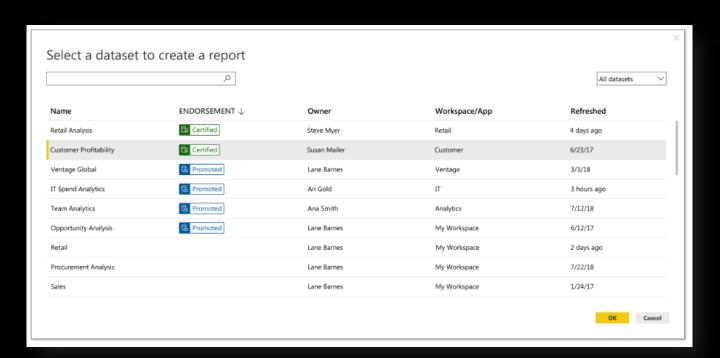
### Endorsement

#### Helps with:

- Reuse of content
  - Certified datasets
  - Promoted datasets
- Indicates a certain quality of the solution
- Works for dataflows, datasets, reports, dashboard and apps
- Makes datasets discoverable

#### **Requires:**

- Mail enabled security group, who can grant certified stamp
- Mail enabled security group, who can make datasets discoverable
- Process around certification







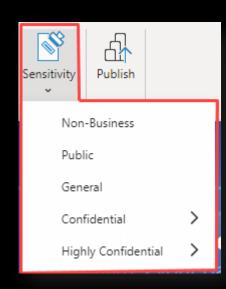
## Sensitivity labeling in Power BI

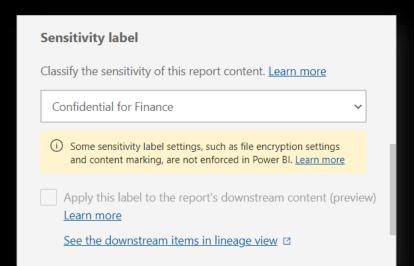
#### Helps with:

- Data classification on type of data (like compliance of data etcetera)
- Have an idea of the sensitivity of the data (e.g., GDPR compliancy)
- Give an impression on where the data can be used / shared according to assigned policies and labels.
- Has policies assigned to which extend the content can be used.

#### **Requires:**

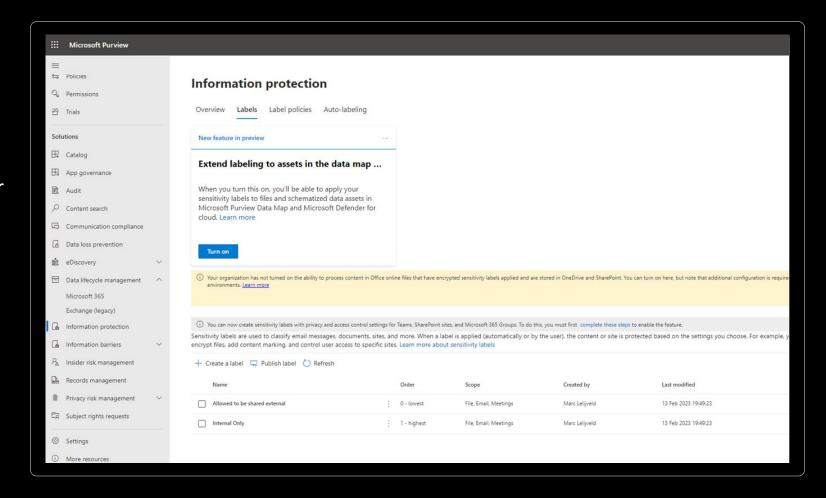
- Right licensing (security and compliance as part of E5)
- Policies to be setup
- (Potentially) force labeling of all content through tenant configuration





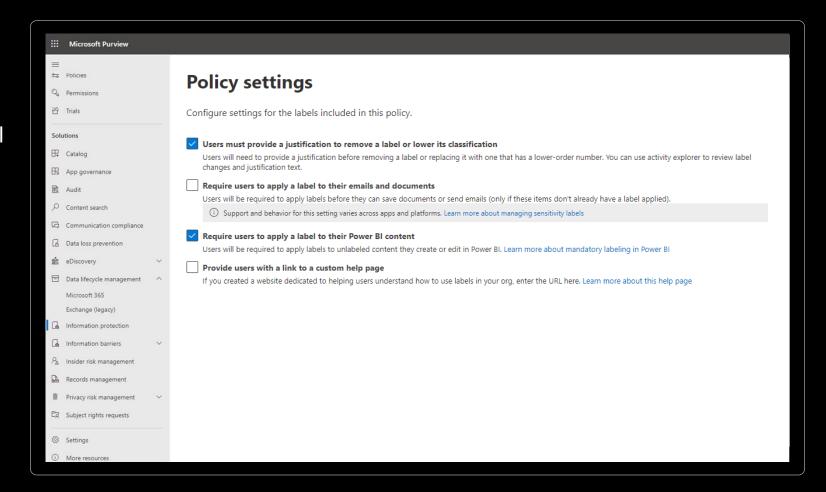
## Setting up sensitivity labels

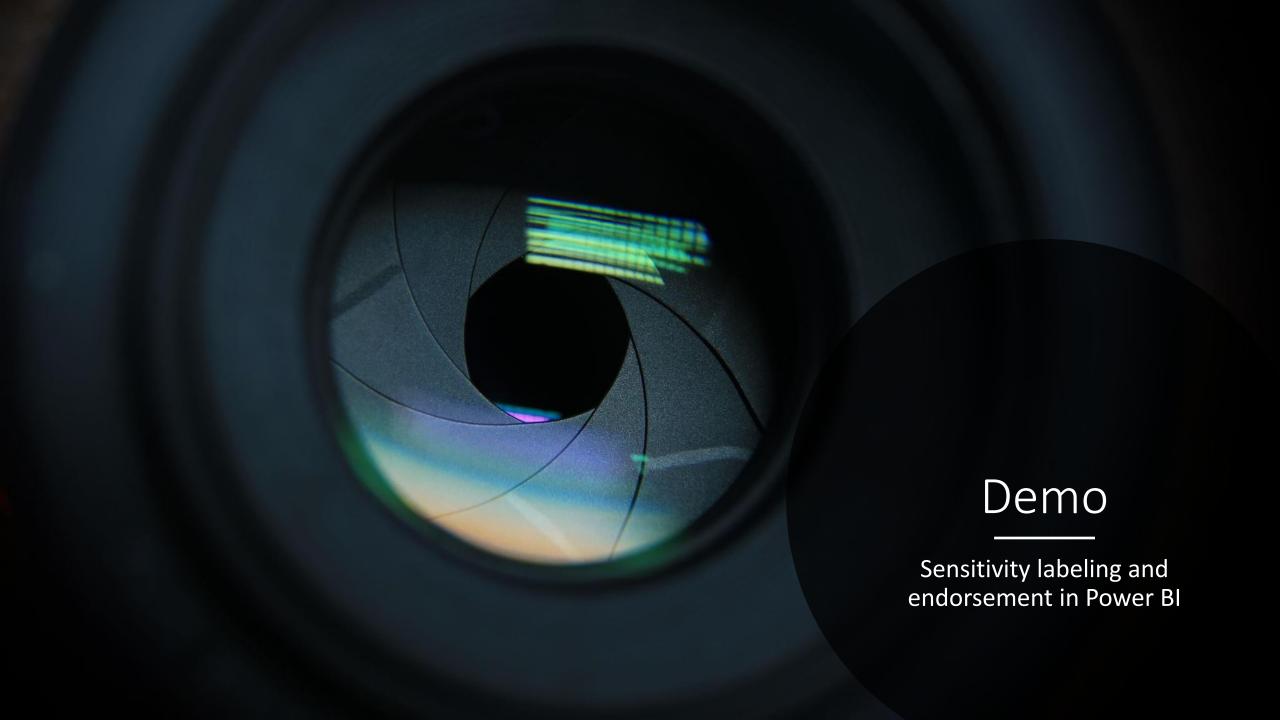
- Navigate to the compliance & security center, recently rebranded to Microsoft Purview.
- This center is only accessible for compliance admins. Power BI Service admin permissions will not suffice.



## Create policies

- After creating a label, you must set policies to labels.
- Labels can be setup for all Microsoft 365 content, as well as Power BI specific.
- Label enforcement can be configured for all Power BI content.





## Overview of Purview



## History



• Microsoft Purview april 2022



• Azure Purview sept 2021



• ADC Gen 2



• BlueTalon Acquisition june 2019



• ADC Gen 1

#### **Azure Purview is now Microsoft Purview**

Microsoft Purview brings together trusted products for governance and compliance under one umbrella so it's easier to manage all of your data.

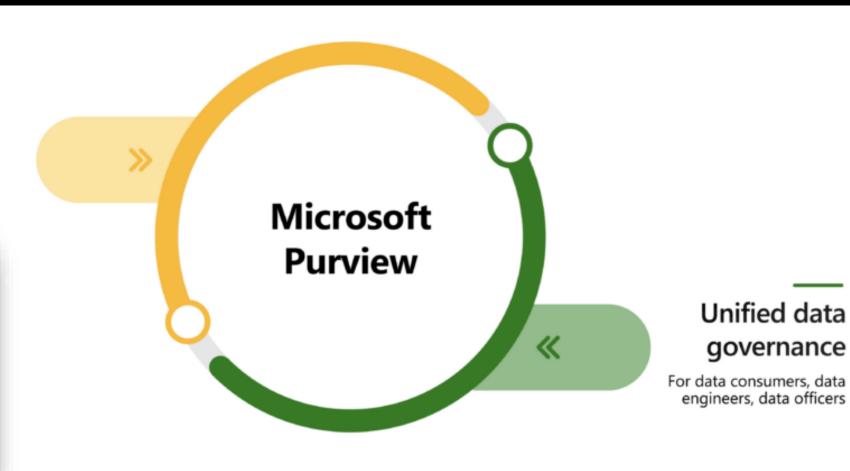
## Microsoft Purview

The future of compliance and data governance



For risk, compliance, and legal teams

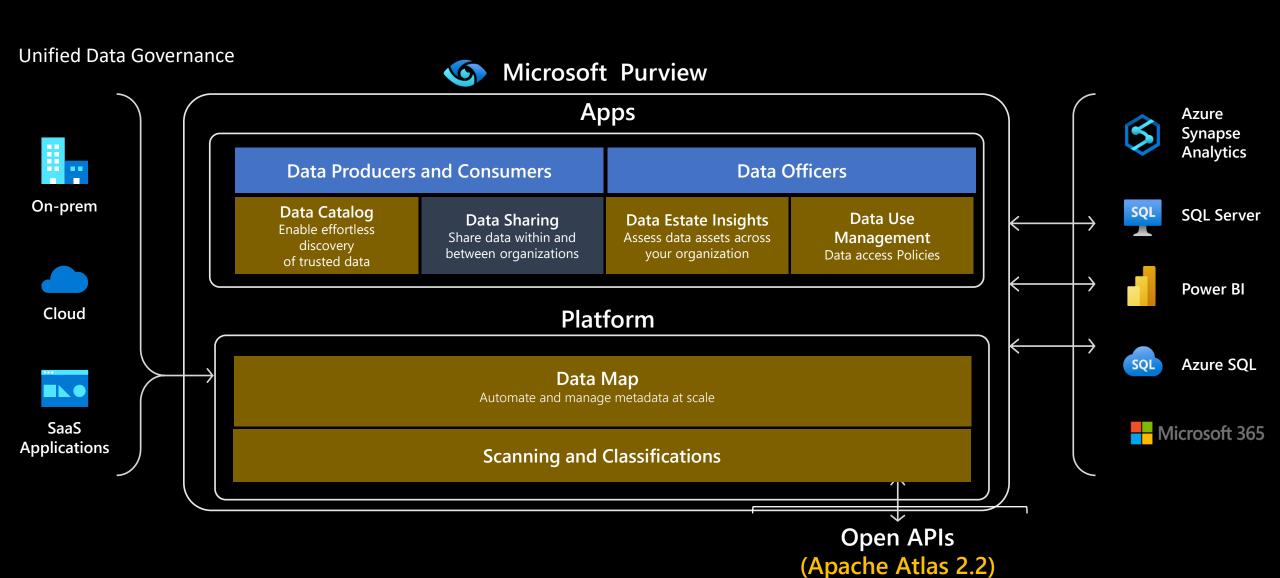
Former Name	New Name
Microsoft 365	Microsoft Purview
Advanced Audit	Audit (Premium)
Microsoft 365 Basic	Microsoft Purview
Audit	Audit (Standard)
Microsoft 365	Microsoft Purview
Communication	Communication
Compliance	Compliance
Microsoft Compliance	Microsoft Purview
Manager	Compliance Manager





Preview

## Microsoft Purview



### Microsoft Purview Overview

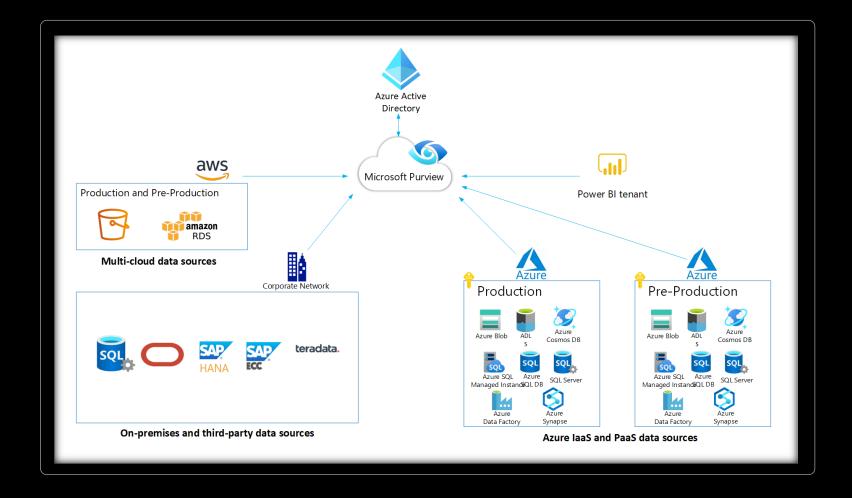
**Power BI** 

**Azure IaaS and PaaS Data sources** 

**AWS** 

**On-Premise data sources** 

**Third-Party datasource** 



## Connect Power BI To Microsoft Purview





#### Scan Power Bl

#### **Admin Portal**

- · Allow Service Principal
- Detailed Metadata
- Dax and Mashup Expressions

⊿	Enhance admin APIs responses with DAX and mashup expressions  Enabled for the entire organization	
	Users and service principals eligible to call Power BI admin APIs will get detailed metadata about queries and expressions comprising Power BI items. For example, responses from GetScanResult API will contain DAX and mashup expressions. Learn more	
	Note: For this setting to apply to service principals, make sure the tenant setting allowing service principals to use read-only admin APIs is enabled. <u>Learn more</u>	
	Enabled	
	Apply to:	
	The entire organization	
	Specific security groups	
	Except specific security groups	

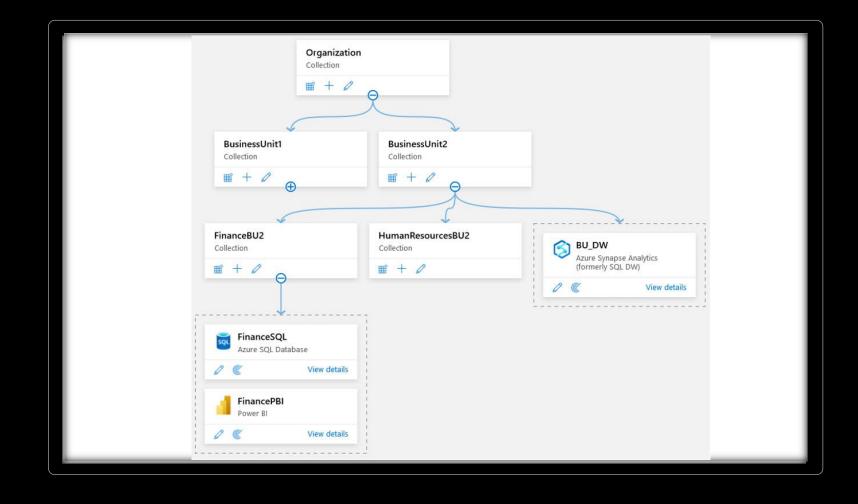
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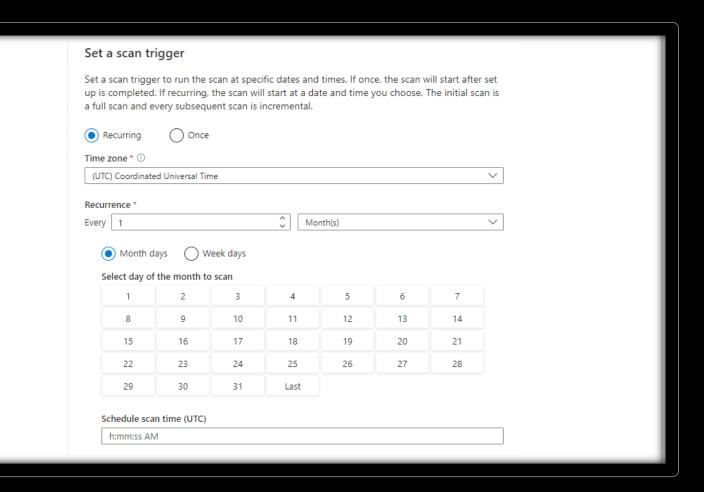
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#### **Setup Scan**

Personal Workspace (in- / excluded)

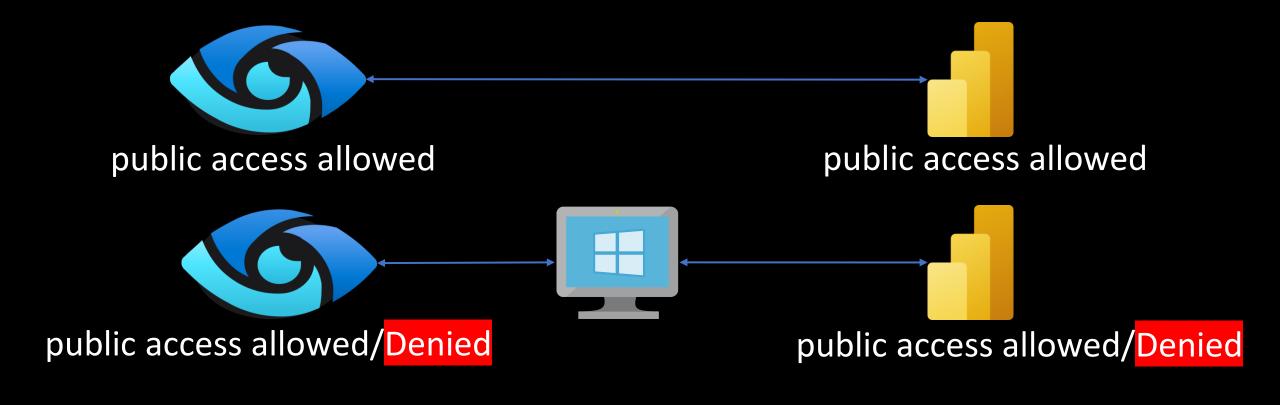


## Supported capabilities

- Metadata Extraction
- Full Scan
- Incremental Scan
- Lineage
- Scoped Scan
- Classification
- Access Policy
- Data Sharing

- Workspaces
- Dashboards
- Reports
- Datasets including tables and columns
- Dataflows
- Datamarts

## Supported Scenarios (security wise)



Disabled from all networks
 Public network access will be disabled for Purview account, portal, and ingestion.

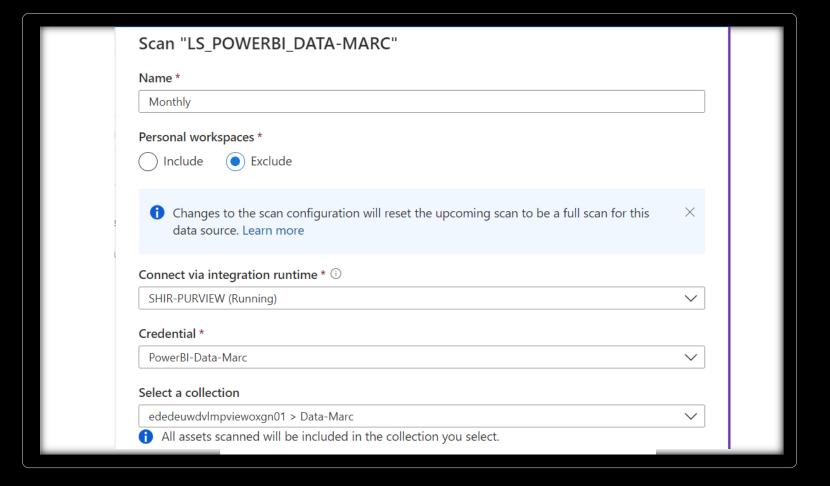
- Azure Private Link

  Enabled for the entire organization
- Block Public Internet Access Enabled for the entire organization

#### Scan Power Bl Cross-Tenant

#### Setup Scan

- · Create Credential
- · Connect via SHIR
- Add Credential



## Observations

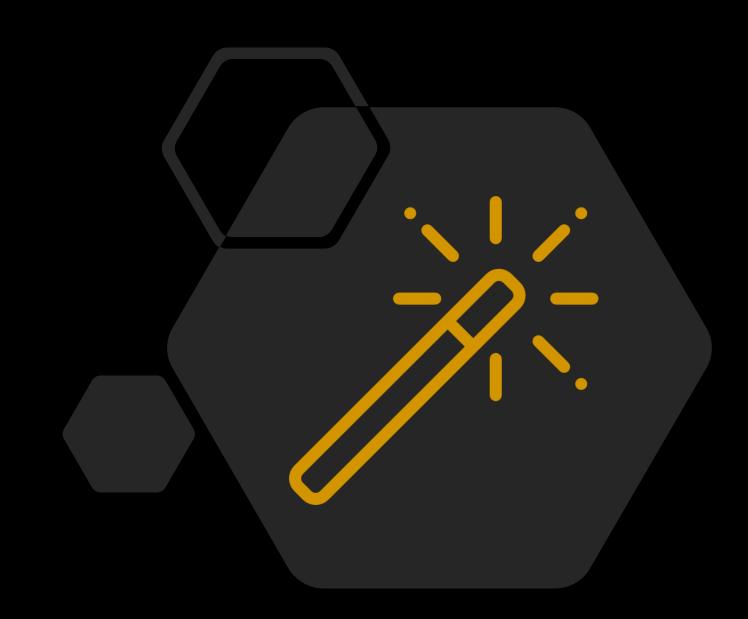
• When scanning without SHIR, user account with PBI Service Admin permissions + App Registration is required.

Scanning with SHIR an App Registration will suffice.



Demo Microsoft Purview

Magic uncovered?



### Scanner API

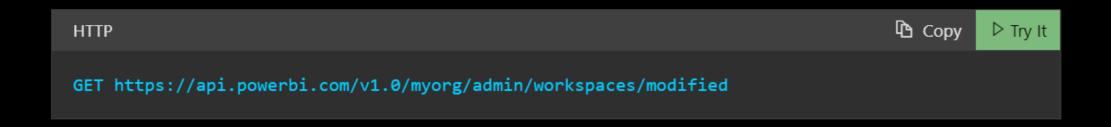
#### Set of 4 APIs to get all Admin Insights

GET Modified Workspaces To list all workspaces with changes

POST Workspace Info
 To start a scan

GET Scan Status
 To start polling till scan is ready

GET Scan Results
 To get the results of the scan



## Cost

- Purview cost
  - Incremental scans
  - Full scans
- Creating your own solution
  - Development effort

# Pricing - Example

**Data Map Consumption** 

1,5 CPU x €0.407 X 730 hours

€ 445

**Data Map Population** 

4 scans x 4 hours x 32 VCore x €0.623 per vCore per hour

€ 320

€865,00

**Data Map Enrichement** 

60 scans x 1 hour x 8 VCore x €0.208 per 1vCore per hour(Resource set)

€ 100,00

# Findings and experiences



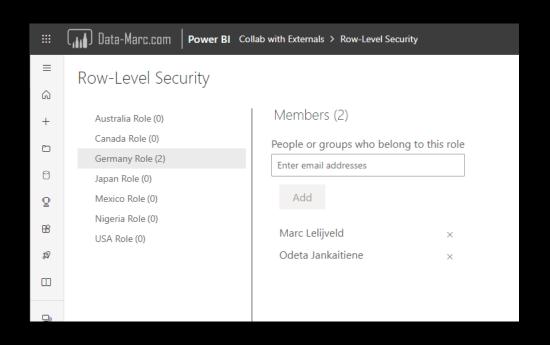
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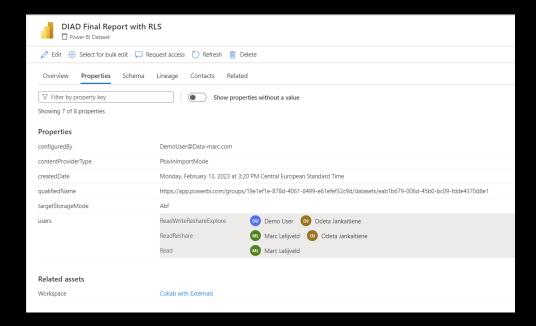
- None / Promoted / Certified
- Purview has its own version of certified for non-Power BI artifacts.
- Power BI artifacts cannot be endorsed within Purview
- Policies in Power BI tenant settings define who can certify.



## Power BI dataset security

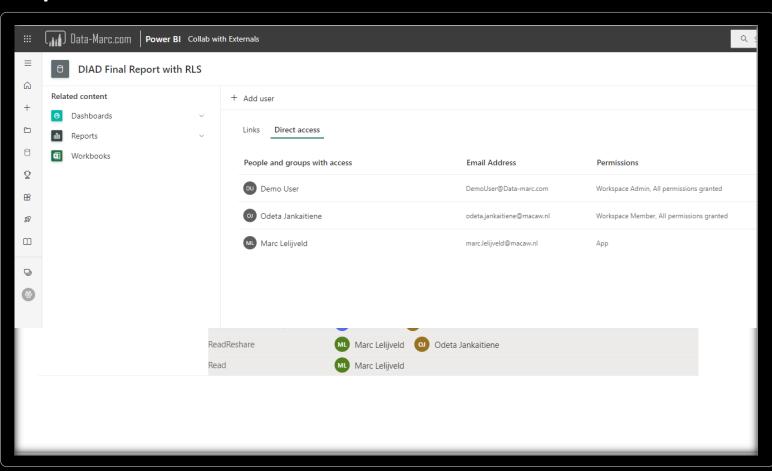
• Roles (RLS/OLS) are not visible within Purview.





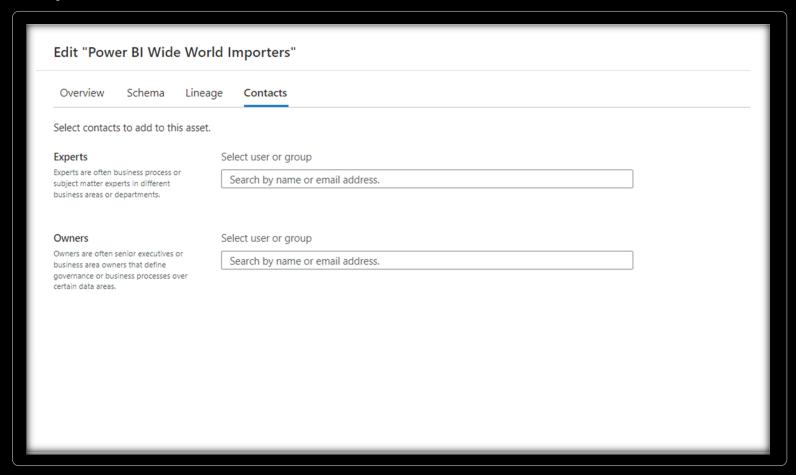
## Some unclear aspects

Ownership and permissions on dataset cannot be matched with what we see in Power BI.



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Contact information from Power BI reports and solutions is not shared to Purview.



## Impact on Power BI

- Purview gives a glossary of Power BI artifacts
- Might decrease duplication of solutions
- Most valuable when enriched with
  - Sensitivity Labels (requires E5)
  - Endorsement
  - Additionals like contact information
- Purview primarily focusses on meta data leaves out usage & adoption aspects.



# Thank you for attending!



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