

# Transform your business with the Power Trio: Power BI, Power Apps & Power Automate

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- Power BI + Power App + Power Automate = Better Together Power Platform Ecosystem | PBI Integration | Automation
- **Power Apps Visual** Intro | Benefits | Things to consider
- Power BI Visuals in Power Apps Why Embed PBI Tiles | Interactive Charts & Reports | How-To
- Power Automate Visual in PBI What it is | Use Cases
- Power Automate + Power BI Connector Actions | Triggers | Data driven subscriptions
- **Demos** 6 PBI Embeded App Use case | Power Automate Visual Use cases | PBI visual in Power Apps | PBI Connector in Power Automate



### Microsoft Power Platform



#### **Power BI**

for data exploration, analytics and reporting



#### **Power Apps**

for web and mobile application development



#### **Power Automate**

for process or workflow automation



#### **Power Virtual Agents**

for chatbots and conversational agents



#### **Power Pages**

for building secure, data-centric business websites



Data connectors



**Al Builder** 



Microsoft Dataverse



Power Fx



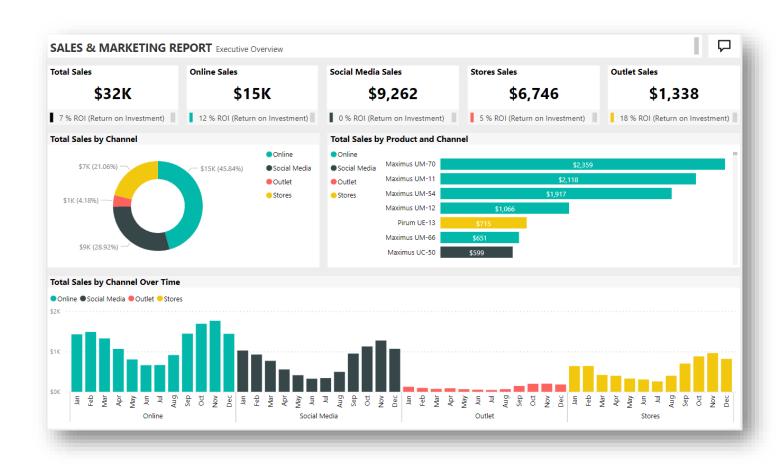
Managed Environments

## Power BI + Power Apps



#### Power BI - Business Intelligence and Data Visualization tool

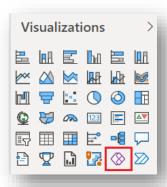
- Make sense of your data with ease, and drive quick and confident decisions across your organization
- Connect to diverse set of data sources and share insights with anyone
- WYSIWYG Design experience
- Data visualizations to bring your data story to life

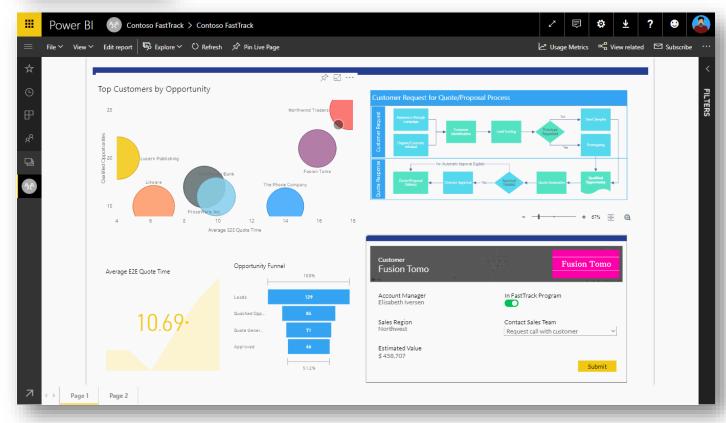




#### Power Apps Visual

- Embed new/existing Canvas apps from environments and map data fields in PBI Web
- PBI Desktop can be used to embed visual
  - Cannot trigger a refresh report/data set
  - Data not provided to Power Apps Studio when editing app (Use PBI Web)
- 'PowerBIIntegration' object provides read-only collection of data from PBI to Power App
- Pass context-aware data (PBI) to a canvas app
  - 1000 max records can be passed from PBI to Power Apps visual using 'PowerBIIntegration' object
  - What if I need to display > 1000 records?
- Data Refresh
  - Trigger a Refresh from the app (Direct Query)
  - Trigger a DataSet Refresh via Power Automate (Import model)
  - Data Refresh Limits and options

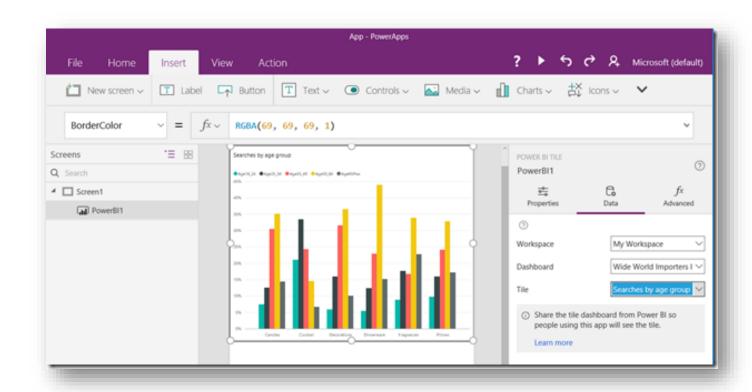






#### Power BI Visual in Power Apps

- Embed Power BI tiles, Interactive charts and visual in Canvas apps
- Why PBI Tile in Power Apps?
  - Default charts in Power Apps don't fit the need
  - Conditionally display reports/tiles
  - Include reports from different workspaces
- Minimal customization options for control
- Optimized for performance on mobile device
- Advanced filtering supported
  - Filter value must be enclosed in single quotes
  - Dynamic filtering with optimized data models
  - Not supported on mobile or embedded scenarios
- Minimize visuals on screen for performant app load times
- Limitations
  - Power BI Tile control not available on GCC High & DoD environments
  - Dataset needs to be refreshed to reflect updates
  - Refresh limits apply (8/day or 48/day on Premium Capacity)

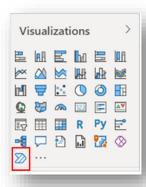


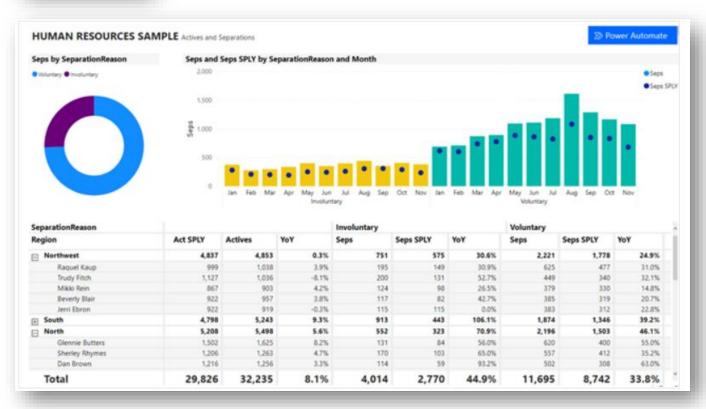
## Power BI + Power Automate



#### Power Automate Visual (preview)

- Built-in templates available for use
- Automate tasks without leaving Power BI
- Pass filtered data set (PBI) to flow
  - 1000 max records can be passed from PBI to Power Automate visual
- The visual will only display flows within your default environment
- Power BI flows created via visual can only run in the context of a Power BI report
- Dynamic or Manual inputs not supported at this time

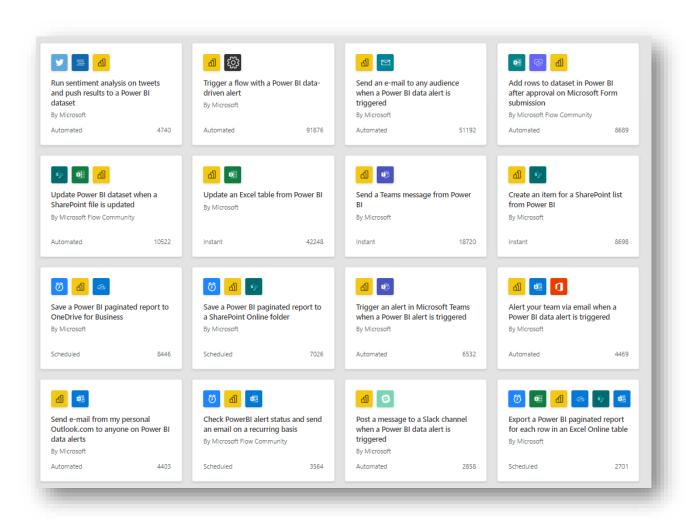




## Power Automate + Power Bl Connector

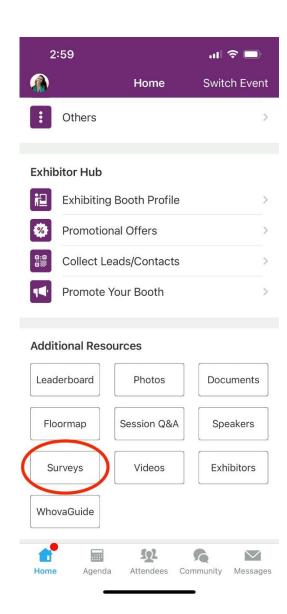


- Built-in templates available for use
- Power Automate triggers (e.g.)
  - PBI Button clicked
  - Data driven alert triggered
- Power Automate actions (e.g.)
  - Export to File PBI/Paginated report
  - Refresh Dataset
  - Add rows to dataset
- PBI Rest APIs can be leveraged to automate process
  - Premium License required (Flow or Power App)
- Limitations
  - Not supported for PBI sovereign cloud clusters (US Govt, China, Germany clusters)
  - Export to File action requires report to on premium capacity
  - Refresh Dataset & Refresh Dataflow action requires premium capacity to run> 8x/day



#### Resources

- <a href="https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/power-apps/maker/canvas-apps/powerapps-custom-visual">https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/power-apps/maker/canvas-apps/powerapps-custom-visual</a>
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- https://powerapps.microsoft.com/en-us/developerplan/



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