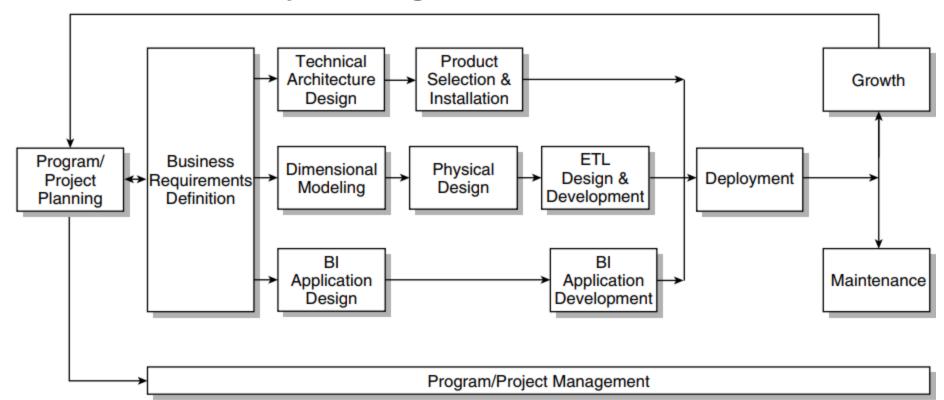
Data Warehousing and Business analytics

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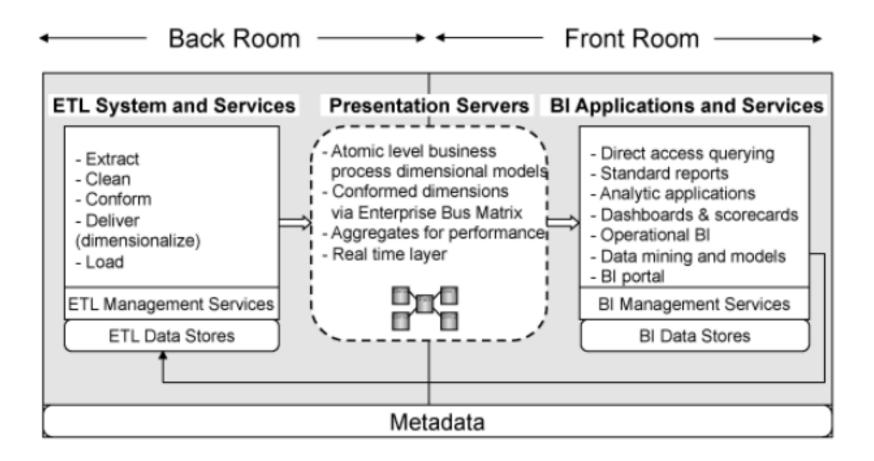
Business Intelligence Applications

Business Intelligence (BI) Applications

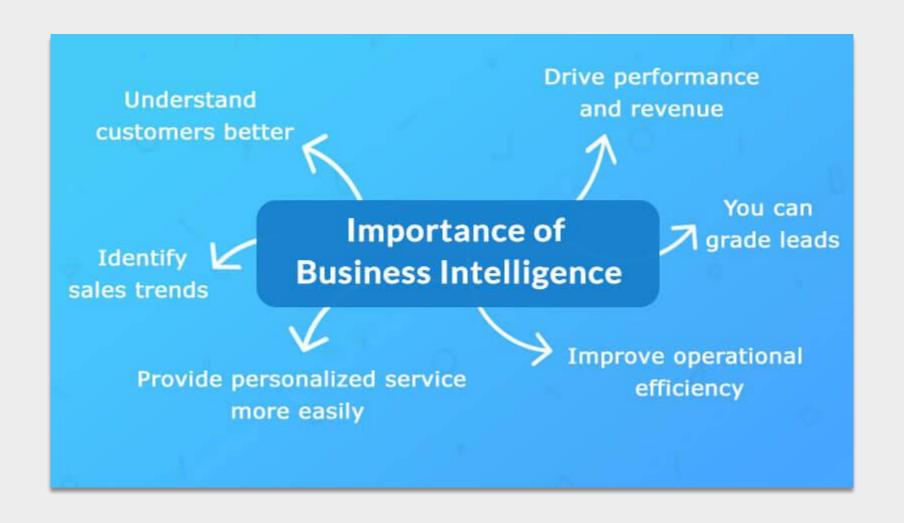
The Kimball Lifecycle diagram



Architecture model sample



BI Applications



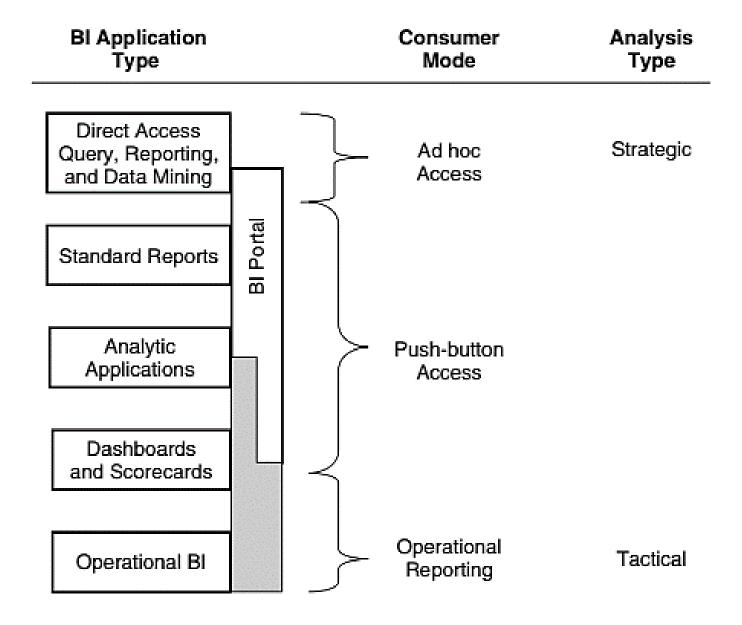
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- √ Be a long-term investment

Characteristics of BI Applications

- ✓ Be correct. Bl applications must provide accurate audit reports and document differences compared to other systems.
- ✓ Perform well. A response time of less than five seconds for the average query is a good goal.
- ✓ Be easy to use. Users who have enough skill to order a book online should be able to use at least the standard reports. Getting customized results with less than ten mouse clicks is a good goal.
- ✓ Look good. Tools and reports should be clear and attractive.
- ✓ Be a long-term investment. Applications must be properly documented, maintained, enhanced, and extended

Types of BI Applications vs. Customer mode



- ✓ Direct access query and reporting tools
- ✓ Data mining
- √ Standard reports
- ✓ Analytic applications
- ✓ Dashboards and scorecards
- ✓ Operational BI and closed loop applications

Direct access query and reporting tools

- Provide the user with direct access to the dimensional model,
- Ad hoc tools are mostly used by expert power users who have both technical and business savvy.

Data mining





Data mining

- ✓ Clustering
- ✓ Classifying
- ✓ Estimating and Predicting
- ✓ Affinity Grouping
- ✓ Anomaly Detection

Standard reports



List of Computers With a Particular Software Update

Deployed State: Yes

Article Name: 2020-08 Security Only Update for .NET Framework 3.5, 4.5.2, 4.6, 4.6.1, 4.6.2, 4.7, 4.7.1, 4.7.2, 4.8 for Windows 8.1 and Server 2012 R2 for x64 (KB4570502)

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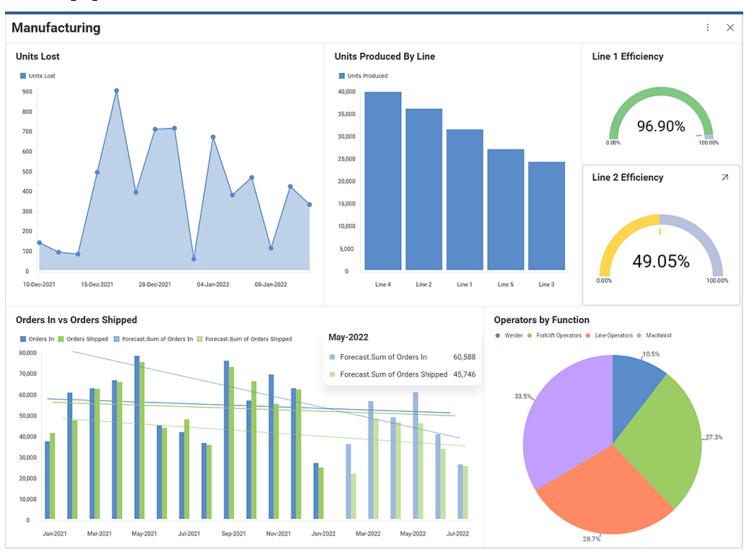
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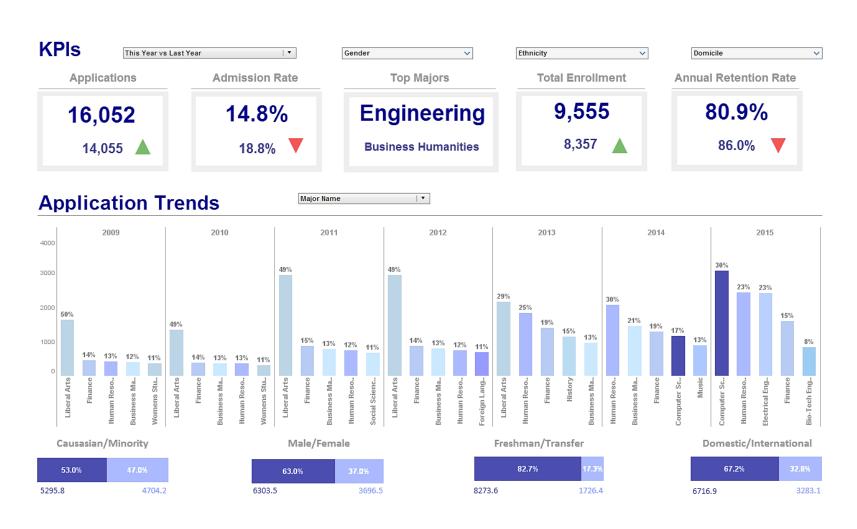




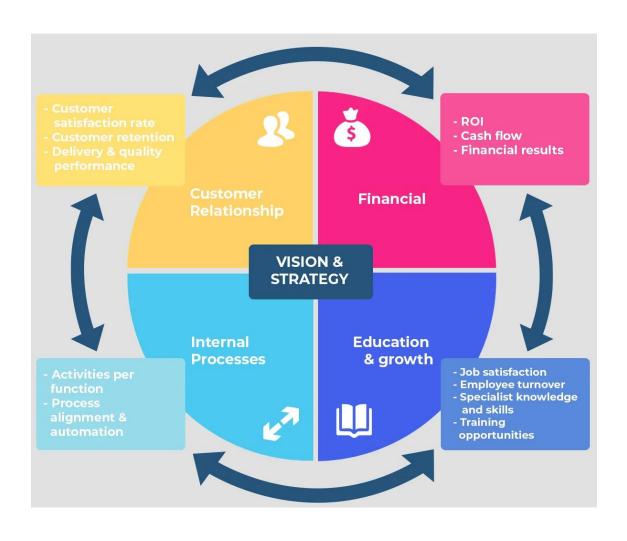
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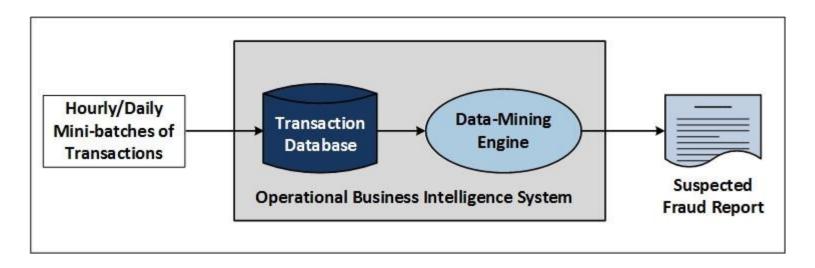
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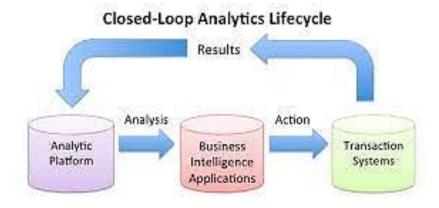


Balanced scorecards



Operational BI and closed loop applications





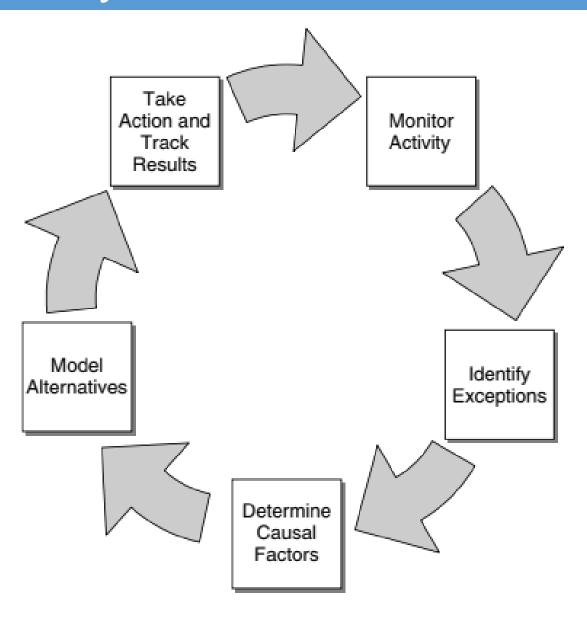
Successful BI portal

- ✓ Usable. People have to be able to find what they need.
- ✓ Content rich. should include a great deal more than just the reports.
- ✓ Clean. The portal should be nicely laid out so people are not confused or overwhelmed by it.
- ✓ Current. keep the content up-to-date.
- ✓ **Interactive.** include functions that engage the users and encourage them to return.
- ✓ Value oriented. DW/BI system is a valuable resource, something that helps users do a better job.

Analytic Cycle for Business Intelligence

- 1. Monitor Activity
- 2. Identify Exceptions
- 3. Determine Causal Factors
- 4. Model Alternatives
- 5. Take Action and Track Results

Analytic Cycle for Business Intelligence



Applications of Business Intelligence

- ✓ BI Increases Company Revenue
- ✓ BI Improves Financial Efficiency
- ✓ BI Provides Decision Making Process Support
- ✓ BI Accelerates Business Insights
- ✓ BI Increases Market Spend Efficience
- ✓ BI Reduces IT Dependency
- ✓ BI Builds Customer Satisfaction
- **√** ...

