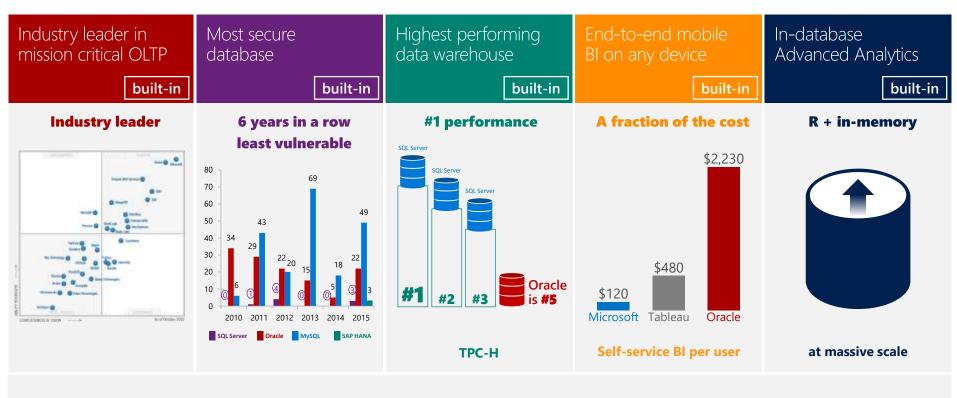


# SQL Server 2016 and 2014 In-Memory OLTP and Data Warehousing George Walters

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# SQL Server 2016: Everything built-in



In-memory across all workloads



#### Consistent experience from on-premises to cloud



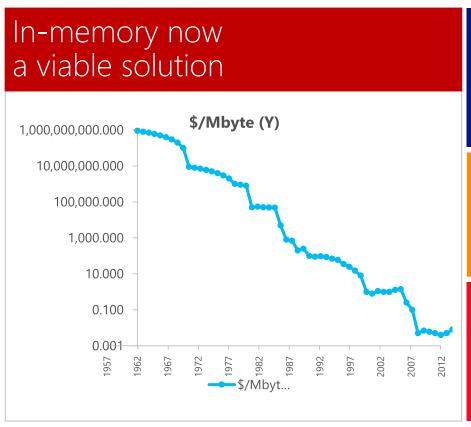
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National Institute of Standards and Technology Comprehensive Vulnerability Database update 10/2015

TPC-H non-clustered results as of 04/06/15, 5/04/15, 4/15/14 and 11/25/13, respectively. http://www.tpc.org/tpch/results/tpch\_perf\_results.asp?resulttype=noncluster



## Key trends for In-Memory



## \$1.1 trillion

Enabled by cloud innovation

"By 2015, business revenues from IT innovation enabled by the cloud could reach US\$1.1 trillion a year."

Data Explosion 85% from new data types

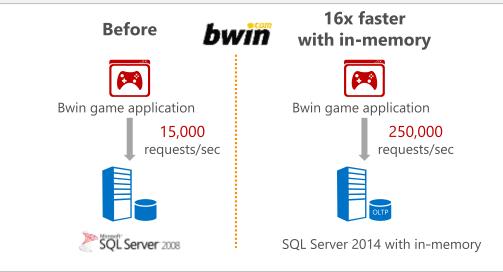
10x increase every 5 years

## In-Memory built-in to SQL 2014

#### Built-in On average 10x faster, without having rewrite entire app Leverage full SQL Server capabilities **Flexible** Select only highly utilized tables to be in-memory Optimize in-memory to fit existing hardware Spans all In-memory performance across OLTP, DW, and BI workloads All in a single SKU

#### Key features

New in-memory OLTP
Enhanced in-memory ColumnStore for DW
In-memory BI with PowerPivot
Buffer pool extension to SSDs and enhanced query processing



#### In-Memory OLTP

#### **Benefits**

Low latency

Up to 30 times the improvement in performance

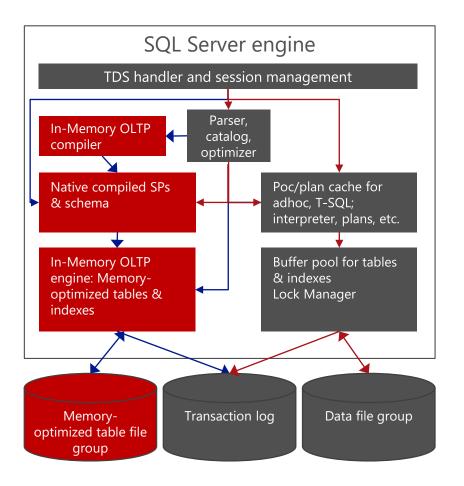
2 to 5 times the improvement in scalability

Takes advantage of investments in Microsoft SQL Server

#### How it works

New high-performance, memory-optimized online transaction processing (OLTP) engine integrated into SQL Server and architected for modern hardware trends

- Integrated into SQL Server relational database
- Full ACID support
- · Memory-optimized
- Non blocking multi-version optimistic concurrency control (no locks or latches)
- T-SQL compiled to native code



## Design Considerations For Memory-optimized Tables

**Benefits** 

# In-Memory OLTP Tech Pillars

High performance data operations

#### Main-memory optimized

- Optimized for in-memory data
- Indexes (hash and ordered) exist only in memory
- No buffer pool
- Stream-based storage for durability

#### Hardware trends

Steadily declining memory price, NVRAM

#### Table constructs

Fixed schema; no ALTER TABLE; must drop/recreate/reload No LOB data types; row size limited to 8,060 No constraints support (primary key only) No identity or calculated columns, or CLR

#### Data and table size considerations

Size of tables = (row size \* # of rows) Size of hash index = (bucket\_count \* 8 bytes) Max size SCHEMA AND DATA = 512 GB

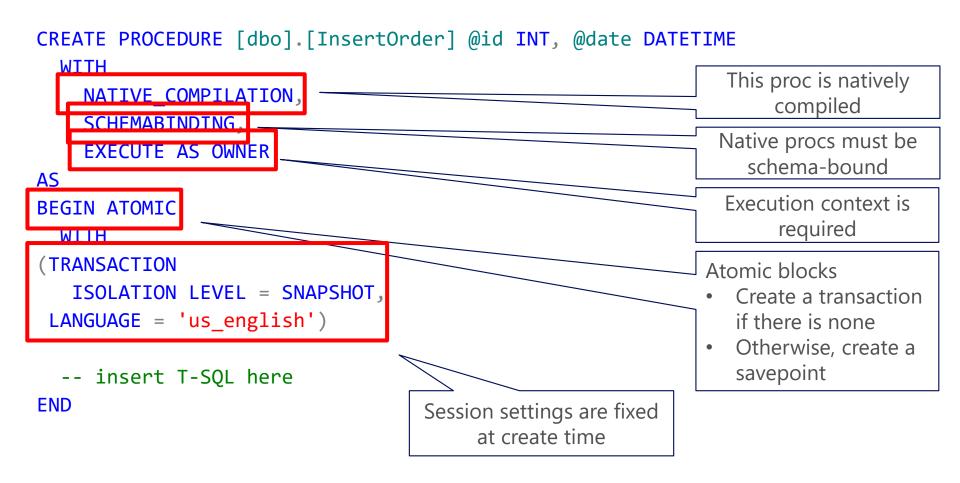
#### IO for durability

SCHEMA\_ONLY vs. SCHEMA\_AND\_DATA Memory-optimized filegroup Data and delta files Transaction log Database recovery

#### Create Table DDL

```
CREATE TABLE [Customer](
    [CustomerID] INT NOT NUL
             PRIMARY KEY NONCLUSTERED HASH WITH (BUCKET_COUNT = 1000000)
    [Name] NVARCHAR(250) NOT NIII
                                                                           Hash index
      INDEX [IName] HASH WITH (BUCKET COUNT = 1000000)
    [CustomerSince] DATETIME NULL
                                                                  Secondary indexes
                                                                   are specified inline
WITH (MEMORY_OPTIMIZED = ON DURABILITY = SCHEMA_AND_DATA);
     This table is
                                                                  This table is durable
 memory optimized
```

#### Create Procedure DDL



#### In-Memory OLTP summary

#### What's being delivered

High-performance, memory-optimized OLTP engine integrated into SQL Server and architected for modern hardware trends

#### **Main benefits**

- Optimized for in-memory data up to 20–30 times throughput
  - Indexes (hash and range) exist only in memory; no buffer pool,
     B-trees
  - T-SQL compiled to machine code via C code generator and Visual C compiler
  - Core engine uses lock-free algorithms; no lock manager, latches, or spinlocks
- Multiversion optimistic concurrency control with full ACID support
- On-ramp existing applications
- Integrated experience with same manageability, administration, and development experience



## DEMO!

- Memory-Optimized Tables
  - Help solve many-threaded contention issues (latch contention)

In-memory OLTP enhancements



## In-memory OLTP enhancements

```
ALTER TABLE Sales.SalesOrderDetail
ALTER INDEX PK_SalesOrderID
REBUILD
WITH (BUCKET_COUNT=100000000)
```

```
T-SQL surface area: New
```

{LEFT|RIGHT} OUTER JOIN
Disjunction (OR, NOT)
UNION [ALL]
SELECT DISTINCT
Subqueries (EXISTS, IN, scalar)

#### **ALTER** support

Full schema change support: add/alter/drop column/constraint

Add/drop index supported

#### Surface area improvements

Almost full T-SQL coverage including scaler user-defined functions

#### Improved scaling

Increased size allowed for durable tables; more sockets

#### Other improvements

MARS support

Lightweight migration reports

## Altering memory-optimized tables

```
ADD
       <column definition>
       ,...n T
 DROP
         CONSTRAINT ]
            constraint name
          [ ,...n ]
          COLUMN
            column name
          [ ,...n ]
          INDEX
            index name
         } [ ,...n ]
| ALTER INDEX index name
REBUILD (WITH <rebuild index option>)
```

The **ALTER TABLE** syntax is used for making changes to the table schema, as well as for adding, deleting, and rebuilding indexes

Indexes are considered part of the table definition

Key advantage is the ability to change the **BUCKET\_COUNT** with an **ALTER INDEX** statement

## Altering natively compiled stored procedures

```
CREATE PROCEDURE [dbo].[usp 1]
WITH NATIVE COMPILATION, SCHEMABINDING, EXECUTE AS
OWNER
AS BEGIN ATOMIC WITH
 TRANSACTION ISOLATION LEVEL = SNAPSHOT, LANGUAGE
= N'us english'
SELECT c1, c2 from dbo.T1
END
GO
ALTER PROCEDURE [dbo].[usp 1]
WITH NATIVE COMPILATION, SCHEMABINDING, EXECUTE AS
OWNER
AS BEGIN ATOMIC WITH
 TRANSACTION ISOLATION LEVEL = SNAPSHOT, LANGUAGE
= N'us english'
 SELECT c1 from dbo.T1
END
GO.
```

You can now perform **ALTER** operations on natively compiled stored procedures using the **ALTER PROCEDURE** statement

Use **sp\_recompile** to recompile stored procedures on the next execution

## Greater Transact-SQL coverage

- CREATE PROCEDURE (Transact-SQL)
- DROP PROCEDURE (Transact-SQL)
- ALTER PROCEDURE (Transact-SQL)
- <u>SELECT (Transact-SQL)</u> and INSERT SELECT statements
- SCHEMABINDING and BEGIN ATOMIC (required for natively compiled stored procedures)
- NATIVE\_COMPILATION
- Parameters and variables can be declared as NOT NULL
- Table-valued parameters.
- EXECUTE AS OWNER, SELF, and user.
- GRANT and DENY permissions on tables and procedures.
- Nesting natively compiled stored procedures
- RIGHT OUTER JOIN, LEFT OUTER JOIN, INNER JOIN, and CROSS JOIN in SELECT statements
- NOT, OR, and IN operators in SELECT, UPDATE and DELETE statement
- UNION ALL and UNION
- SELECT DISTINCT
- GROUP BY clause with no aggregate functions in the SELECT clause (<select> list).
- COLUMNSTORE
- COLLATE

## Improved scaling

#### Other enhancements include:

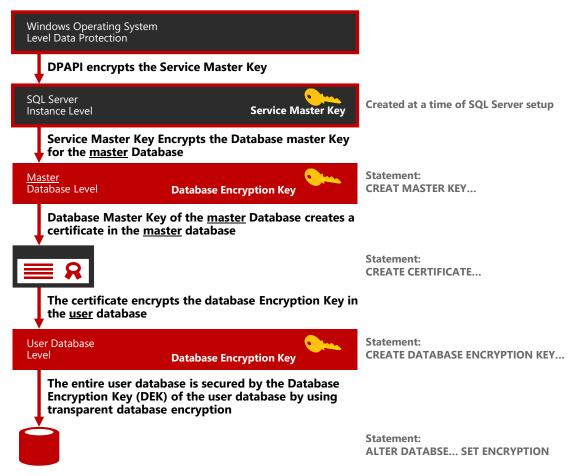
- Multiple threads to persist memory optimized tables
- Multi-threaded recovery
- MERGE operation
- Dynamic management view improvements to sys.dm\_db\_xtp\_checkpoint\_stats and sys.dm\_db\_xtp\_checkpoint\_files
- Using multiple active result sets (MARS)
  - Data Source=MSSQL; Initial Catalog=AdventSecurity=SSPlureWorks; Integrated; MultipleActiveResultSets=True

In-memory OLTP engine has been enhanced to scale linearly on servers up to 4 sockets

Setup MARS connection for memory optimized tables using the **MultipleActiveResultsSets=True** in your connection string

## Support for Transparent Data Encryption

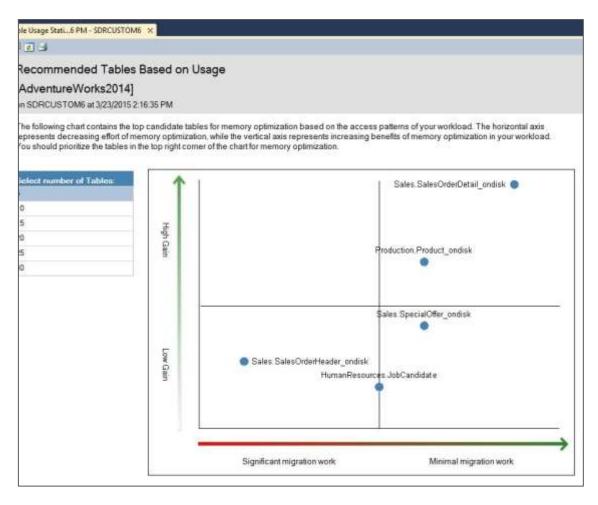
Transparent Database Encryption Architecture



In SQL Server 2016, the storage for memory-optimized tables will be encrypted as part of enabling TDE on the database

Simply follow the same steps as you would for a disk-based database

## New Transaction Performance Analysis Overview report



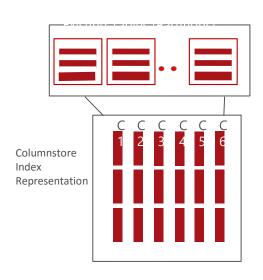
New report replaces the need to use the Management Data Warehouse to analyze which tables and stored procedures are candidates for inmemory optimization

## In-Memory In the Data Warehouse

- In-Memory ColumnStore
- Both memory and disk
- Built-in to core RDBMS engine
- Customer Benefits:
  - 10-100x faster
  - Reduced design effort
  - Work on customers' existing hardware
  - Easy upgrade; Easy deployment

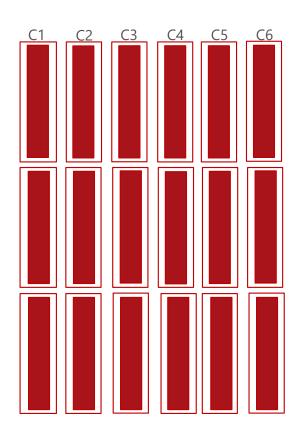
"By using SQL Server 2012 In-Memory ColumnStore, we were able to extract about 100 million records in **2 or 3 seconds** versus the **30 minutes required** previously."

- Atsuo Nakajima Asst Director, Bank of Nagoya



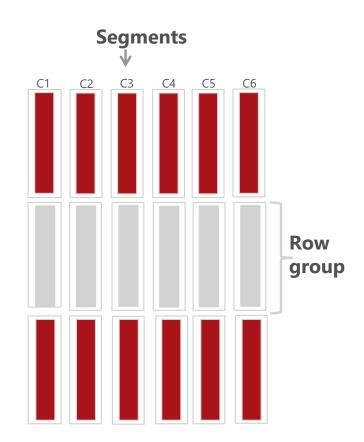
# In-Memory DW Storage Model Data Stored Column-wise

- Each page stores data from a single column
- Highly compressed
  - More data fits in memory
- Each column can be accessed independently
  - Fetch only columns needed
  - Can dramatically decrease I/O



# In-Memory DW Index Structure Row Groups & Segments

- A segment contains values for one column for a set of rows
- Segments for the same set of rows comprise a row group
- Segments are compressed
- Each segment stored in a separate LOB
- Segment is unit of transfer between disk and memory



## In-Memory DW Index Processing an Example

OrderDateKey	ProductKey	StoreKey	RegionKey	Quantity	Sales Amount
20101107	106	01	1	6	30.00
20101107	103	04	2	1	17.00
20101107	109	04	2	2	20.00
20101107	103	03	2	1	17.00
20101107	106	05	3	4	20.00
20101108	106	02	1	5	25.00
20101108	102	02	1	1	14.00
20101108	106	03	2	5	25.00
20101108	109	01	1	1	10.00
20101109	106	04	2	4	20.00
20101109	106	04	2	5	25.00
20101109	103	01	1	1	17.00

## Horizontally Partition Row Groups

OrderDateKey	ProductKey	StoreKey	RegionKey	Quantity	Sales Amount
20101107	106	01	1	6	30.00
20101107	103	04	2	1	17.00
20101107	109	04	2	2	20.00
20101107	103	03	2	1	17.00
20101107	106	05	3	4	20.00
20101108	106	02	1	5	25.00
OrderDateKey	ProductKoy	StoroKov	PagionKoy	Quantity	Salos Amount

OrderDateKey	ProductKey	StoreKey	RegionKey	Quantity	Sales Amount
20101108	102	02	1	1	14.00
20101108	106	03	2	5	25.00
20101108	109	01	1	1	10.00
20101109	106	04	2	4	20.00
20101109	106	04	2	5	25.00
20101109	103	01	1	1	17.00

## Vertical Partition Segments

OrderDateKey	ProductKey	StoreKey	RegionKey	Quantity	Sales Amount
20101107	106	01	1	6	30.00
20101107	103	04	2	1	17.00
20101107	109	04	2	2	20.00
20101107	103	03	2	1	17.00
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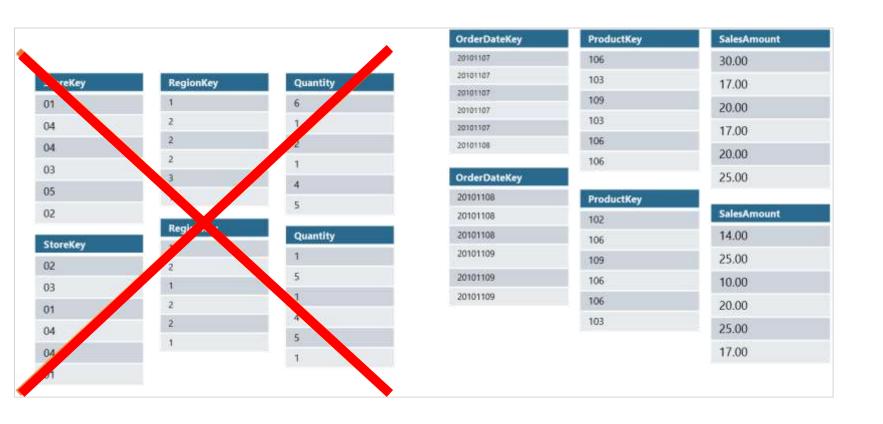
# Compress Each Segment\* Some Compress More than Others

OrderDateKey	ProductKey	StoreKey	RegionKey	Quantity	SalesAmount
20101107	106	01	1	6	30.00
20101107	103	04	2	1	17.00
20101107	109	04	2	2	20.00
20101107	103	03	2	1	
20101107	106	05	3	4	17.00
20101100	106		1	5	20.00
OrderDateKey		02	RegionKey		25.00
20101108	ProductKey	StoreKey	1	Quantity	
20101108	102	02	2	1	SalesAmount
20101108	106	03	1	5	14.00
20101109	109	01	2	1	25.00
20101109	106		2	4	10.00
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		01			25.00
					17.00

<sup>\*</sup>Encoding and reordering not shown

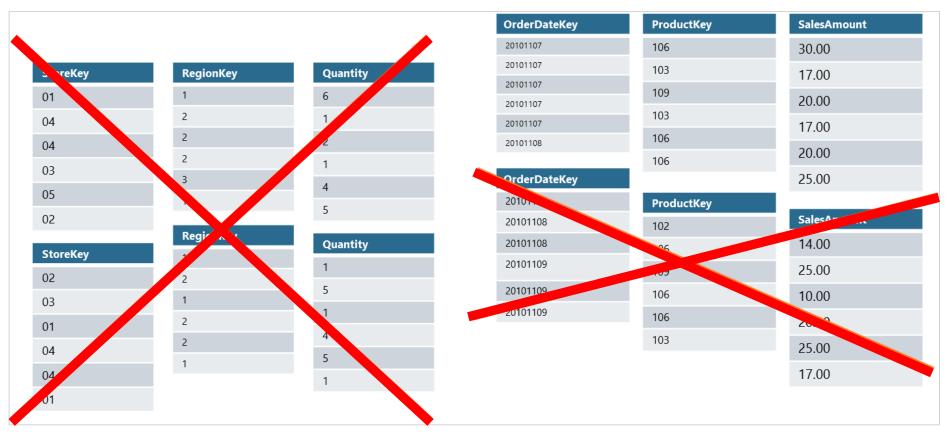
## Fetch Only Needed Columns Segment Elimination

SELECT ProductKey, SUM (SalesAmount) FROM SalesTable WHERE OrderDateKey < 20101108

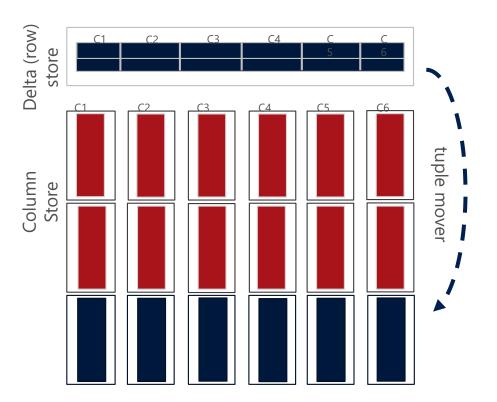


## Fetch Only Needed Segments Segment Elimination

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SELECT ProductKey, SUM (SalesAmount)
FROM SalesTable
WHERE OrderDateKey < 20101108
```

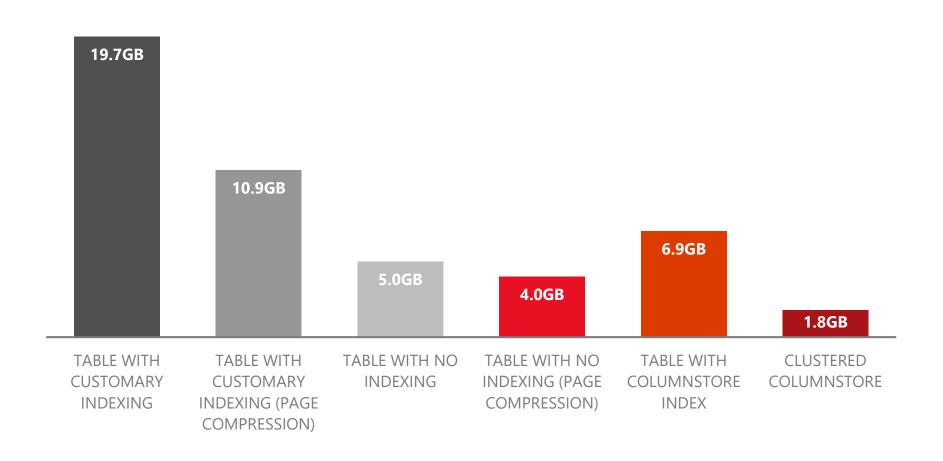


## Updatable Columnstore Index (2014 CCI, 2016 NCCI)



- Table consists of column store and row store
- DML (update, delete, insert) operations leverage delta store
- INSERT Values
  - · Always lands into delta store
- DFLFTF
  - · Logical operation
  - Data physically remove after REBUILD operation is performed.
- UPDATE
  - DELETE followed by INSERT.
- BULK INSERT
  - if batch < 100k, inserts go into delta store, otherwise columnstore
- SELECT
  - Unifies data from Column and Row stores internal UNION operation.
- "Tuple mover" converts data into columnar format once segment is full (1M of rows)
- REORGANIZE statement forces tuple mover to start.

## Comparing Space Savings 101 Million Row Table + Index Space



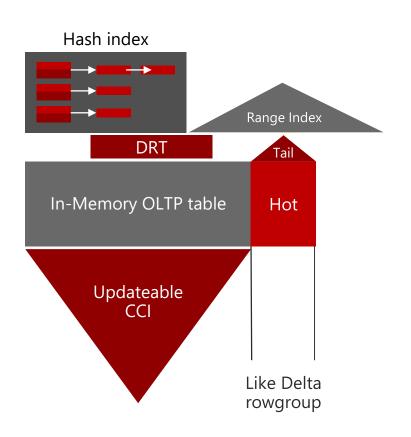
## Columnstore enhancements summary

- What's being delivered
  - Clustered and updateable columnstore index
  - Columnstore archive option for data compression
  - Global batch aggregation
- Main benefits
  - Real-time super fast data warehouse engine
    - Ability to continue queries while updating without the need to drop and recreate index or partition switching
  - Huge disk space saving due to compression
    - Ability to compress data 5–15x using archival per-partition compression
  - Better performance and more efficient (less memory) batch query processing using batch mode rather than row mode
- SQL 2016
  - NonClustered updateable columnstore index
  - Filtered Columnstore Indexing

Operational analytics for in-memory tables



# Operational analytics: Columnstore on in-memory tables



#### SQL Server 2016 – CTP2 limitation

You can create columnstore index on empty table All columns must be included in the columnstore

#### No explicit delta rowgroup

Rows (tail) not in columnstore stay in in-memory OLTP table

No columnstore index overhead when operating on tail Background task migrates rows from tail to columnstore in chunks of 1 million rows not changed in last 1 hour.

**Deleted Rows Table (DRT) – Tracks deleted rows** 

Columnstore data fully resident in memory Persisted together with operational data

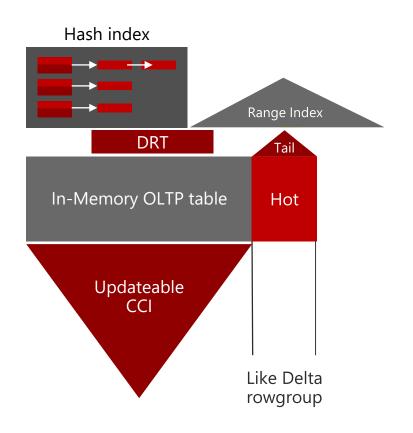
No application changes required.

## Operational Analytics: Columnstore Overhead

#### DML operations on In-Memory OLTP

Operation	Hash or Range Index	нк-ссі
Insert	Insert row into HK	Insert row into HK
Delete	<ul><li>(a) Seek row(s) to be deleted</li><li>(b) Delete the row</li></ul>	<ul><li>(a) Seek row(s) to be deleted</li><li>(b) Delete the row in HK</li><li>(c) If row in TAIL then return</li><li>else insert <colstore-rid> into DRI</colstore-rid></li></ul>
Update	<ul><li>(a) Seek the row(s)</li><li>(b) Update (delete/insert)</li></ul>	<ul><li>(a) Seek the row(s)</li><li>(b) Update (delete/insert) in HK</li><li>(c) If row in TAIL then return</li><li>else insert <colstore-rid> into DRT</colstore-rid></li></ul>

## Operational Analytics: Minimizing Columnstore overhead



#### DML Operations

Keep hot data only in-memory tables Example – data stays hot for 1 day, 1 week...

CTP2: Work-Around
Use TF – 9975 to disable auto-compression
Force compression using a spec-proc
"sp\_memory\_optimized\_cs\_migration"

#### Analytics queries

Offload analytics to AlwaysOn Readable secondary

## Summary: Operational analytics (2016)

Data Warehouse queries can be run on in-memory OLTP workload with no application changes.

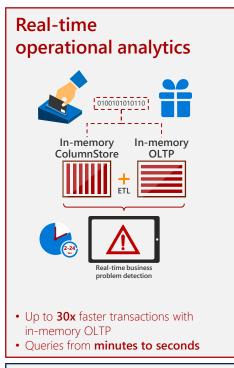
These operations have minimal impact on OLTP workload.

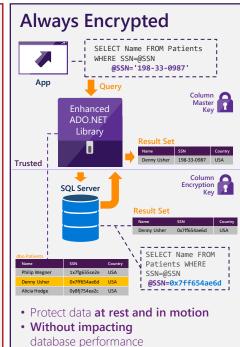
Best performance and scalability available

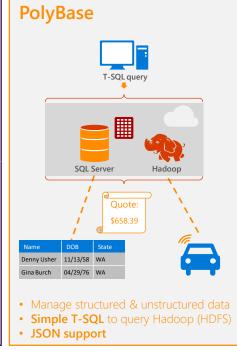
Offloading analytics workload to Readable Secondary

Minimizing impact on OLTP Example: for HOT/WARM (Predicate)

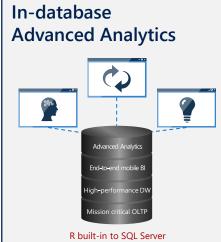
Minimizing impact on OLTP Example: for HOT/WARM (Time Based)











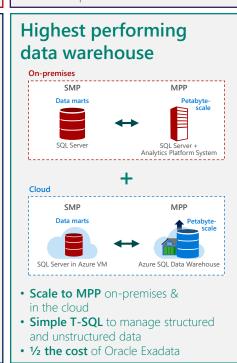
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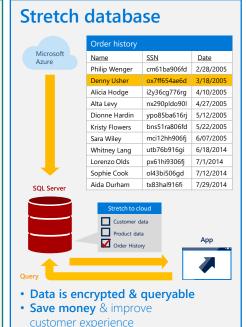
without moving the data

massive parallel processing

Open source R with in-memory &

massive scale - multi-threading and

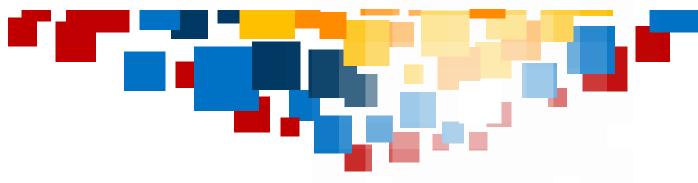




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