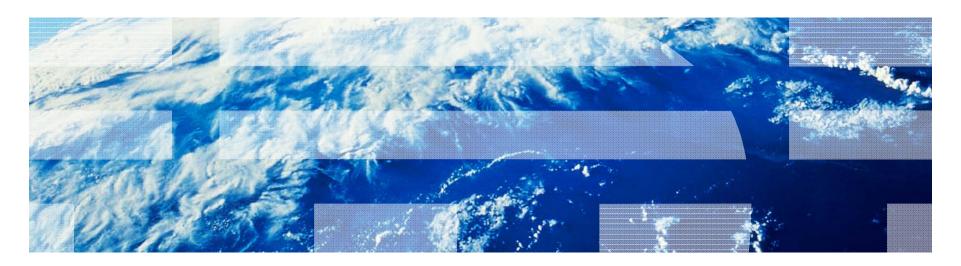


Improving business performance with IBM Cognos 8 BI: Better decisions for all users, with maximum IT efficiency





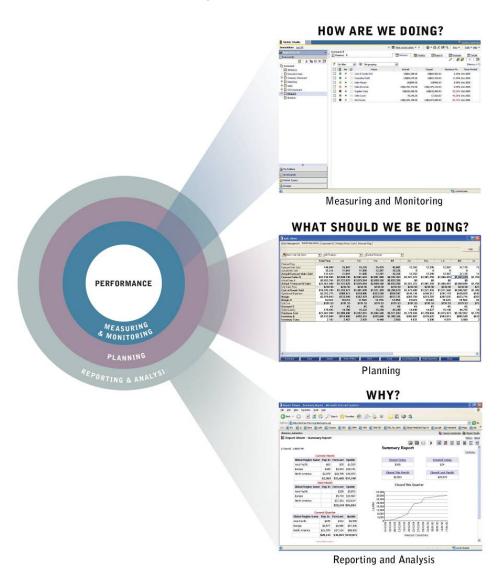
Agenda







Three questions that drive BI & Performance Management



- Provides 'snap shot' view of business
- Personalized and relevant for most impact
- Easy to modify and explore and get to the heart of the issue





The reality of living in a globally integrated world

- Economic integration and future uncertainty
- Increasingly complex supply chains and empowered consumers
- New competitors and fast-changing industry dynamics
- Slowing superpowers and emerging economies
- Energy shortfalls and erratic commodity prices



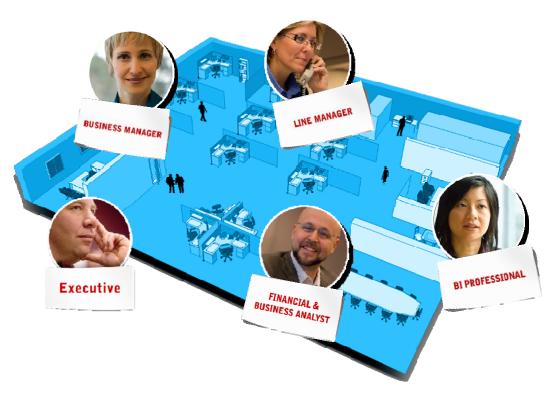
Unprecedented amounts of new information are being generated –presenting both a challenge and an opportunity for organizations seeking insight.







The BI & Performance Management Objective



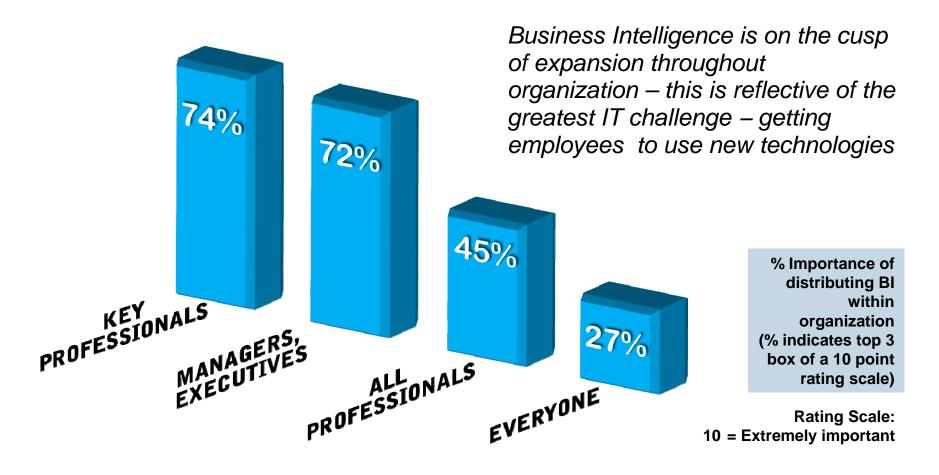
Everyone in an organization needs business intelligence to ensure they are more informed, engaged, and aligned to drive higher performance







So who actually uses BI?









Pain points

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Users get frustrated, lose patience with tools they have or don't know where to get information



Every time someone wants a different type of dashboard IT has to create a new one in a different tool



Users find it frustrating when they have conflicting information.



No ability to investigate the reasons for why the indicators are what they are.







IBM Cognos 8 BI Reporting

IBM Cognos 8 BI Reporting delivers a single environment, built on an open enterprise platform to address all reporting requirements.

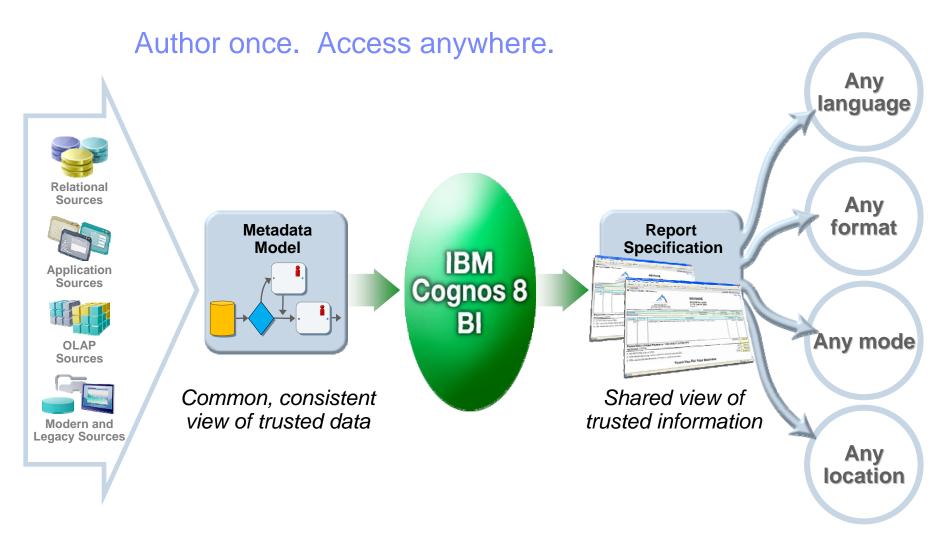
- Only IBM Cognos Reporting delivers...
 - Universal data access
 - Full breadth of report coverage
 - Author once, access anywhere
 - Holistic support for global deployments
 - Secure reporting environment
 - Integration with enterprise applications

















Constar International's reporting challenge

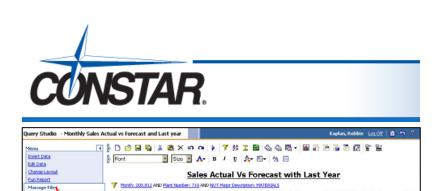
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Open in Report Studio

Save As...

- The challenge
 - Limited IT resources
- The solution:
 - Empower users to generate their own reports and then train more sophisticated users to create reports in Report Studio to "polish and upgrade" Query Studio reports in Report Studio







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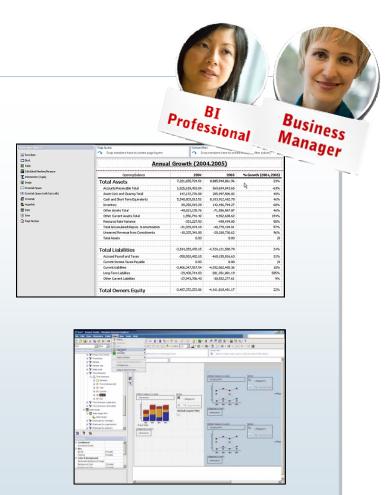






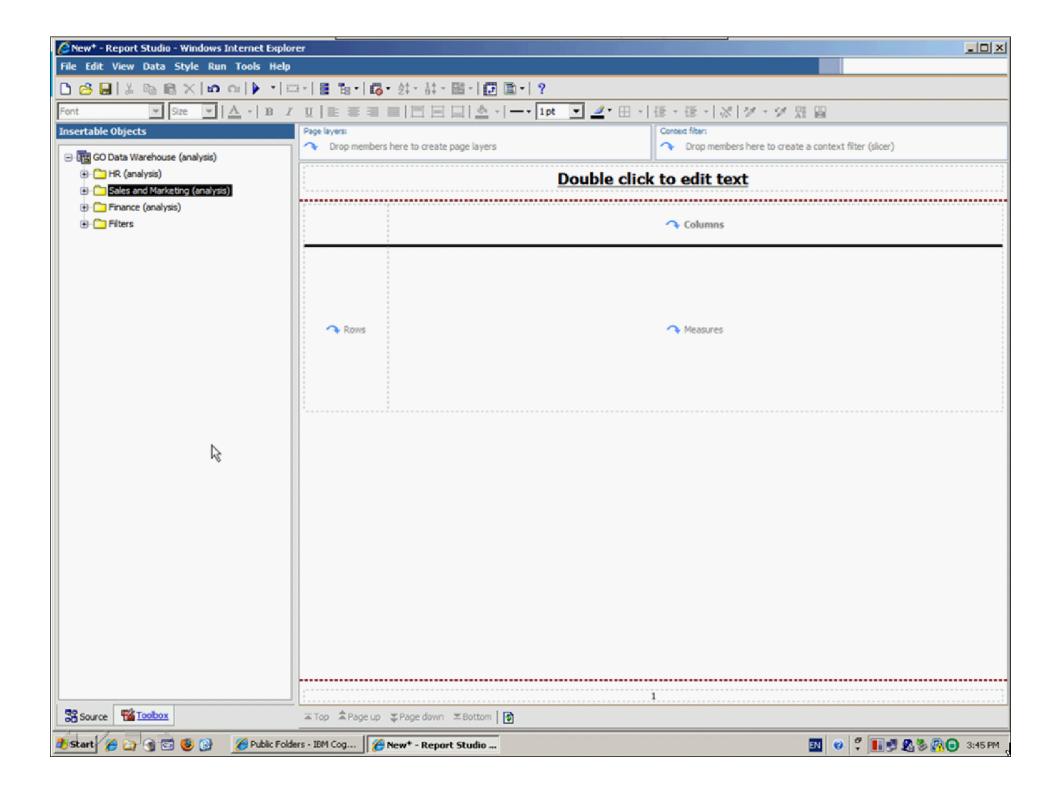
Report authoring for all users

- IBM Cognos 8 BI Report Studio
 - Express authoring mode
 - Simplified user interface
 - Live data
 - Statement-style reports
 - Professional authoring mode
 - Multi-lingual
 - Pixel-perfect formatting
 - Multi-source, multi-page, multi-style
 - All report styles with flexible output
 - Scheduling, email bursting, and event-triggers









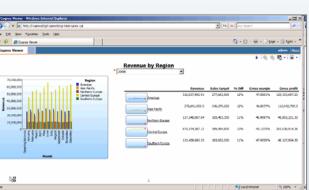


Executive

Reports on the Go!

- IBM Cognos 8 Go! Mobile
 - Delivers IBM Cognos 8 BI content to mobile users
 - Leverages the Cognos 8 platform, including security
 - Rich native client, purpose-built
 - Location awareness
 - Support for BlackBerry, Windows Mobile and Symbian



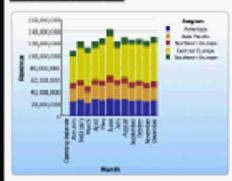






*** BlackBerry

Revenue by Region



	Revenue	Sales target	% Diff	Gross margin	Gross profit
-	312,037,992.91	277,663,900	12%	47.0081%	129,353,697.2
Americas					
	275,691,959.9	246,379,200	12%	46.9077%	113,942,795.3
Asia Pacific					
	117,148,057.64	105,403,300	11%	46.9097%	48,905,231.33
Northern Europe					
	675,574,387.12	599,454,800	13%	43.1375%	283,030,914.2
Central Europe					
	115,438,693.33	103,652,000	11%	47.0058%	48,127,934.35
Southern Europe					

Column Focus (Column 5 of 6)









Personalized dashboards

- IBM Cognos 8 Go! Dashboard
 - Dynamic and customizable dashboarding capabilities
 - End users can quickly create and personalize their dashboard
 - Drag and drop ease
 - Trusted Cognos assets



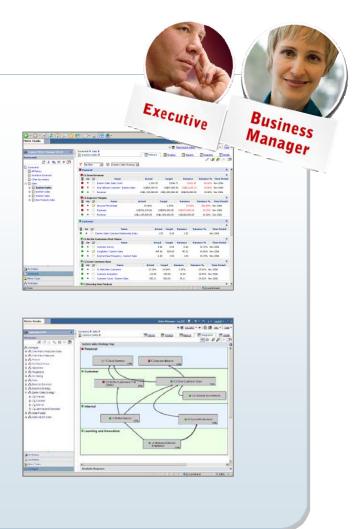






Personalized dashboards

- IBM Cognos 8 BI Metric Studio
 - Link strategy to operations
 - Communicate strategy across the organization
 - Track performance against strategic objectives
 - Create metrics with consistent business rules defining thresholds and targets
 - Provide departmental and employee focus
 - Ensure accountability and ownership
 - Scorecard metrics linked to BI reports and analysis for diagnostic detail









Enterprise, On-Premise Deployment Options

Flexibility and Control

Fast Time to Value



Enterprise Software



Virtualization





Private

Cloud

Standardize & share costs

e.g. IBM Cognos 8 BI for Linux on System z

Optimized Business System



Fast to install and run

e.g. IBM Smart Analytics System

Leverage existing IT investment

e.g. IBM
Cognos 8 BI on
supported OS
and hardware
of choice

Optimize use or resources

e.g. Support for VMWare, IBM Cognos Now!...









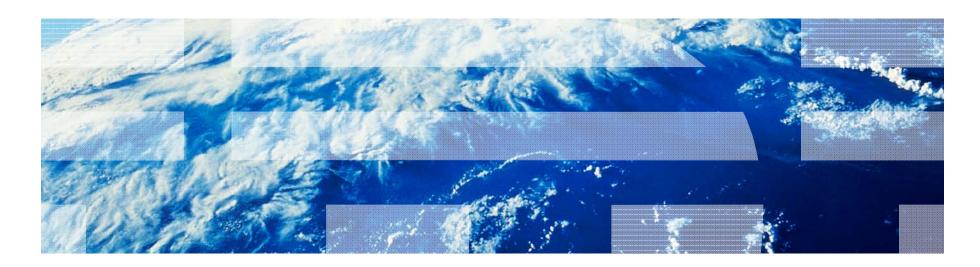
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Budgeting in turbulent times





Agenda

- The status of budgeting today
- Best practices for improving your budgeting process
- Leveraging IBM Cognos to implement better processes

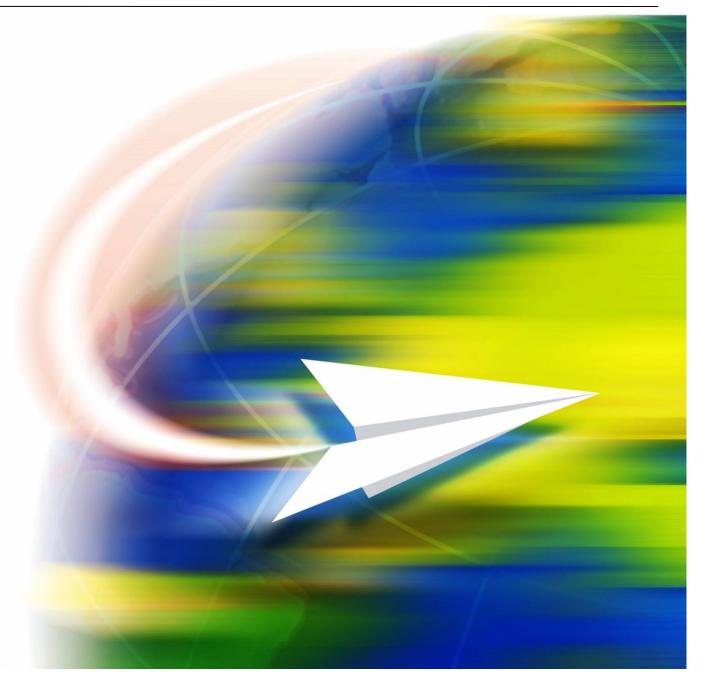


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"The world is <u>flat</u>."

Thomas Friedman



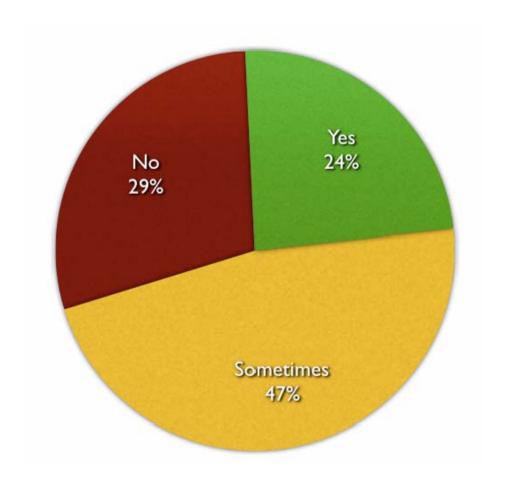


73% of surveyed companies need more than 3 months to complete the annual budget.*





Are we satisfied with the efficiency of the budget? No!





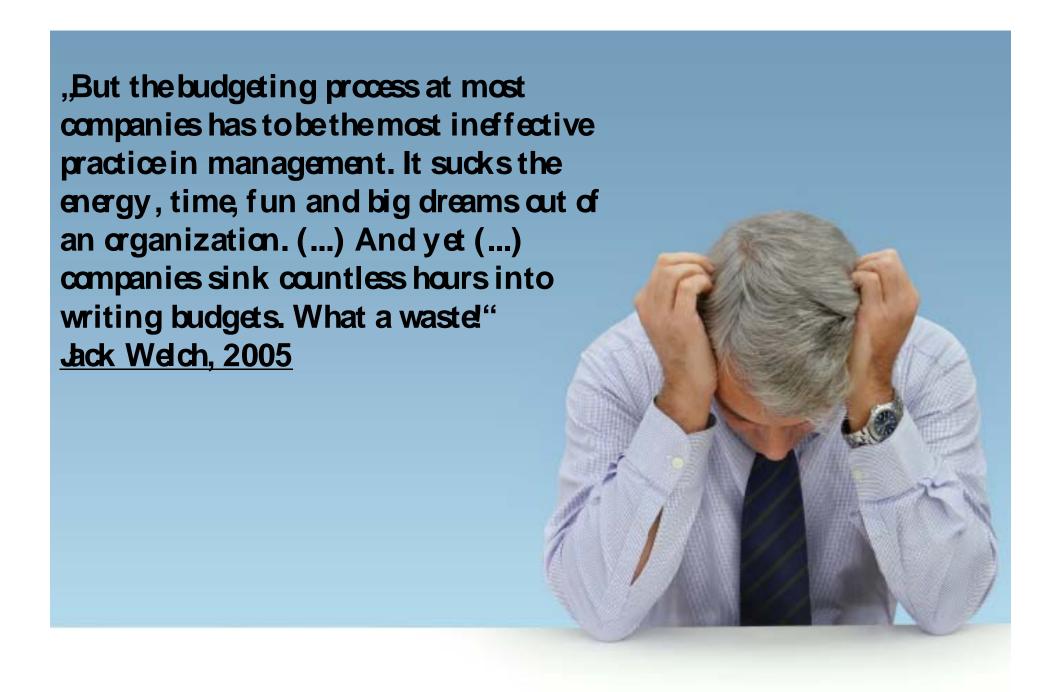
Over 35% of all companies report that their budget is out of date within the first quarter.







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How can we improve the process?







"By 1925 virtually all management accounting practices used today had been developed."

Kaplan & Johnson







The strong platform for Finance

IBM COGNOS 8 v4

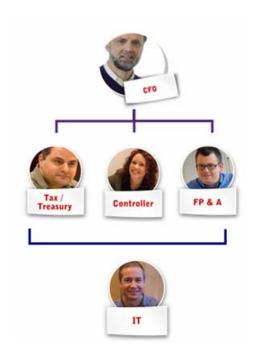








IBM Cognos Performance Management System



Performance Management Financial PM **Operational PM** Finance & Administration Sales Marketing HR Inventory Distribution Consolidation **Planning Strategy Mgmt Operational BI Scorecarding** Reporting **Analysis Profitability Dashboarding Business Intelligence**

Our Mission: Help Finance drive performance management process excellence and better business outcomes: report with confidence, accelerate alignment of resources with opportunity.



→IBM Cognos TM1

- IBM Cognos 8 Planning
- IBM Cognos 8 Business Intelligence
- IBM Cognos 8 Business Viewpoint
- Performance Blueprints

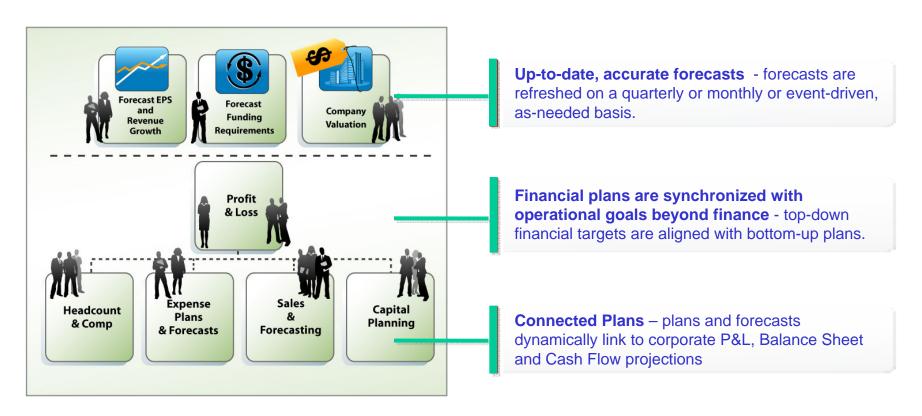






IBM Cognos solutions for Budgeting, Planning and Forecasting Effectively link data across departments

✓ Delivers timely, connected, reliable budgets, plans & forecasts





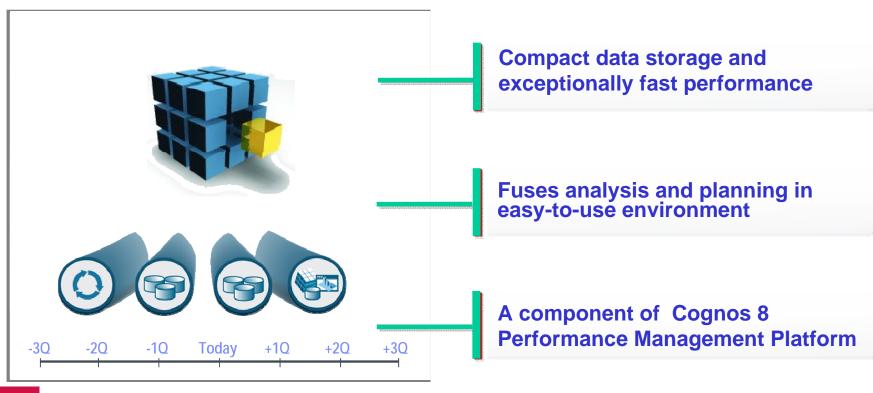
Timely, reliable forecasts & plans that align operational tactics with financial targets. Better, confident resource allocation decision-making.



IBM Cognos TM1

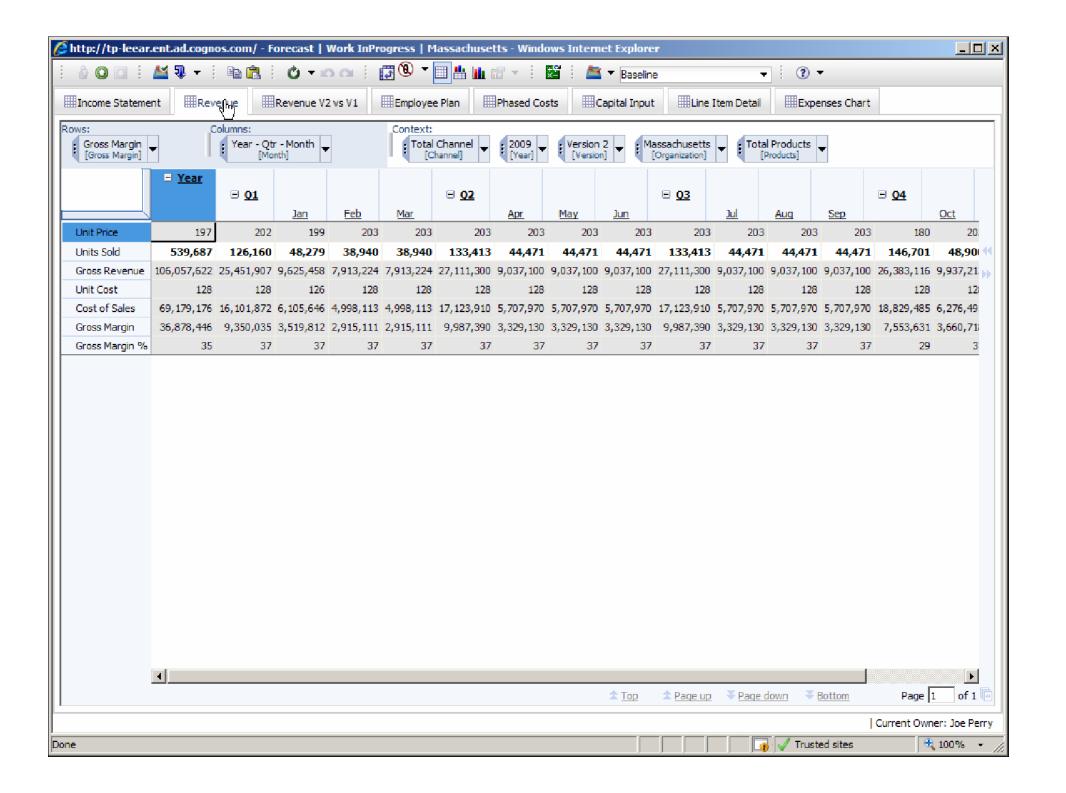
Fast, easy-touse analysis & planning













Proven practices for high performing organisations

High Participation

Better Models

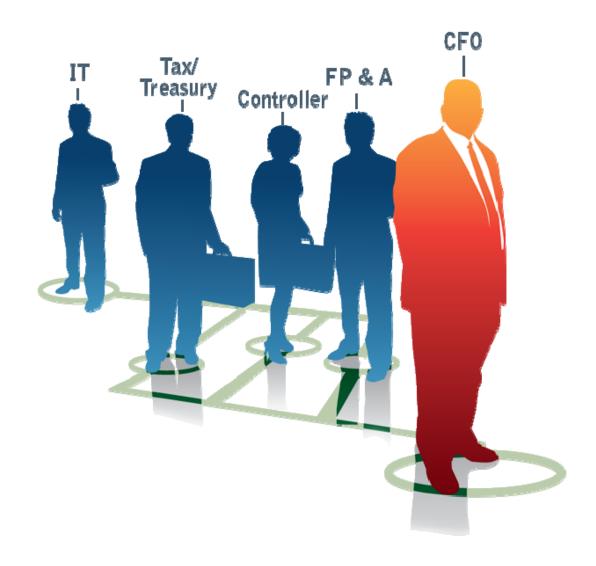
Rolling Forecasts







Who creates the budget?

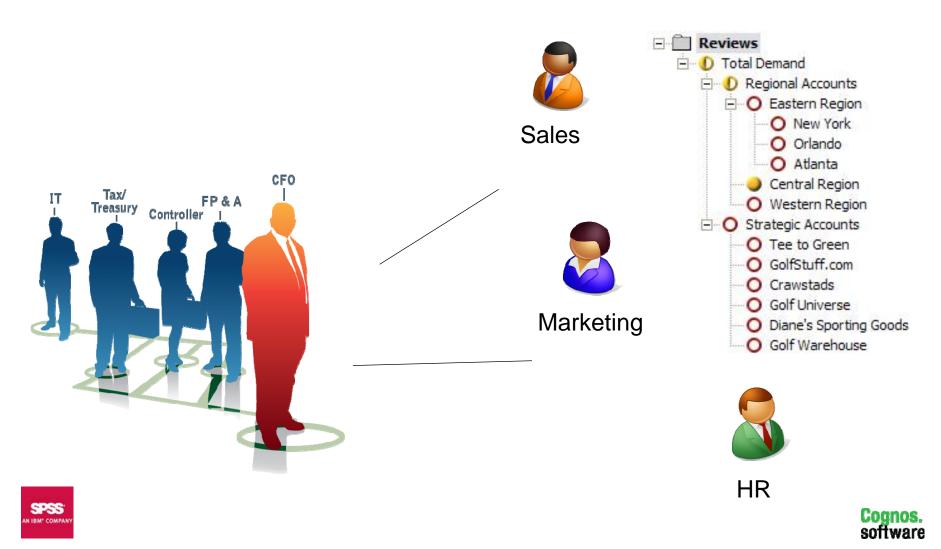


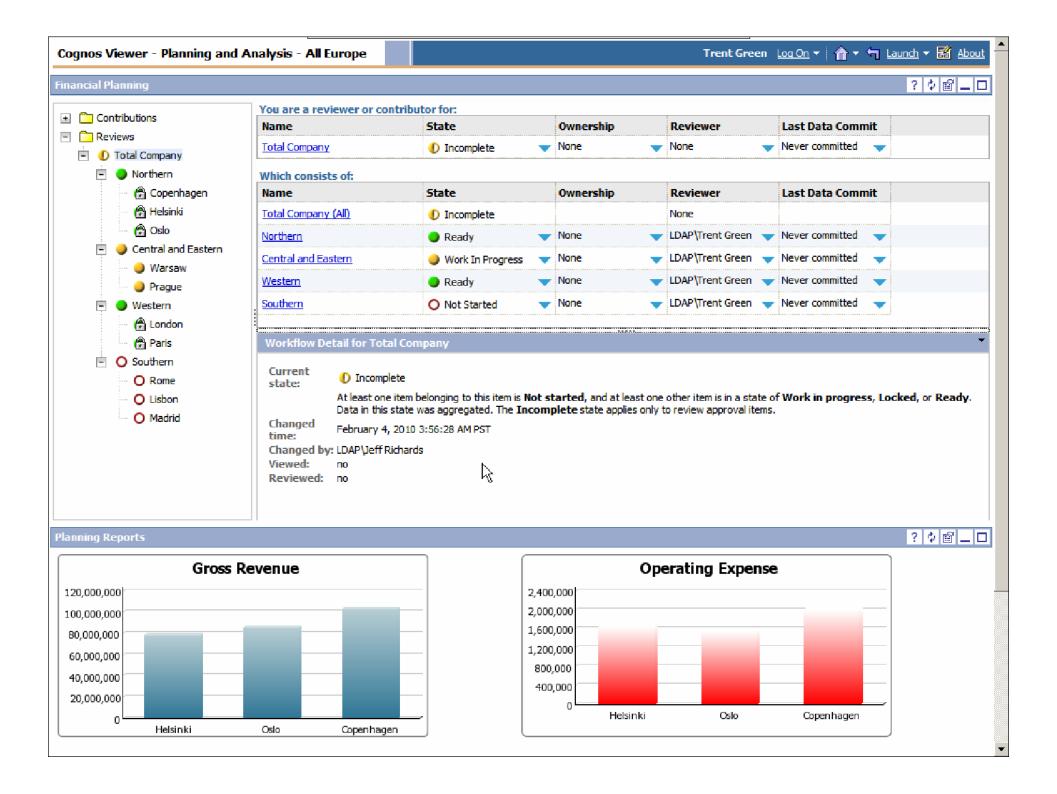






High participation - Involve the right people







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	January	February	March	April	May	June	TOTAL	YTD Actuals Variance	YTD Act Var %	Total Variance	Total Var
Salaries	19.00	19.00	19.00	19.00	19.00	19.00	243.00	-1.00	-1%	-3.00	-1%
Bonus	1.43	1.50	1.76	1.66	2.00	1.80	22.56	-2.35	-39%	2.56	13%
Benefits	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.19	2.43	1.35	59%	-0.07	-3%
Insurance	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	0.15	1.80	0.00	0%	-0.10	-5%
Rent	2.90	2.90	2.90	2.90	2.90	2.90	34.80	0.00	0%	-1.20	-5% -3%
Utilities	3.00	2.00	2.50	1.58	1.00	1.00	22.77	0.92	8%	-1.23	-5%
Office Supplies	0.11	0.20	0.16	0.20	0.07	0.37	3.30	0.07	9%	1.00	43%
Travel - Air	7.15	7.50	8.80	9.00	15.00	9.00	118.50	-17.45	-58%	13.50	13%
Travel - Hotels	1.43	1.50	1.76	1.66	2.00	1.80	22.56	-3.35	-67%	-7.44	-25%
Travel - Car	0.72	0.75	0.88	0.83	1.00	0.90	11.28	-2.68	-178%	6.28	126%
Travel - Train	1.30	1.00	1.50	1.00	1.20	1.00	20.00	-1.50	-33%	9.00	82%
Gifts & Misc	0.50	0.00	0.00	0.50	0.00	0.00	6.00	0.00	0%	-1.00	-14%
Maintenance & Repair	0.35	0.14	0.06	0.43	0.30	0.36	3.04	0.02	1%	0.04	1%
Marketing	2.00	0.00	8.00	9.00	4.00	7.00	59.00	-3.00	-15%	5.00	9%
Net Income	9.83	16.17	14.35	9.90	20.18	17.53	200.01	15.43	28%	0.01	0%







The language of our forecasts need to change



Opportunities
Pipeline
Number of employees

Customer Satisfaction



634172 - Revenue (New Accts)

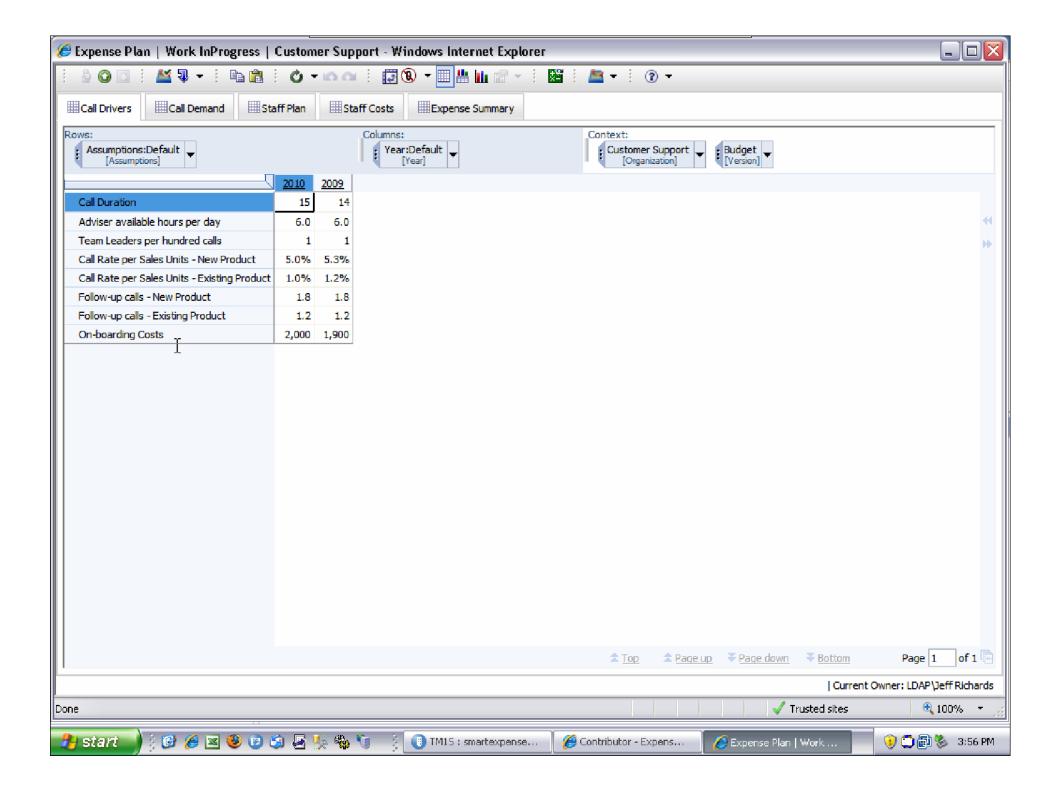
665891 - Office Supplies (Paper)

665892 - Office Supplies (Pens)

677199 - Gifts, Misc.









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Plans detail how you would like the future to look

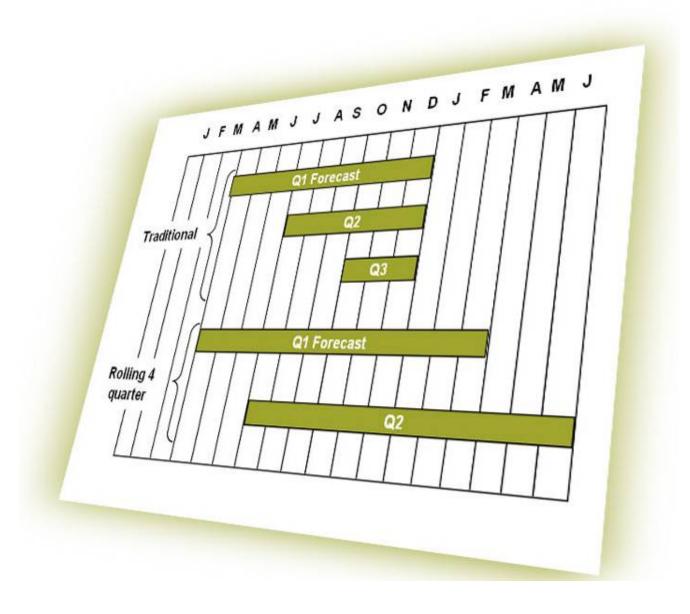
Budgets detail how you <u>deploy</u> your resources to get there





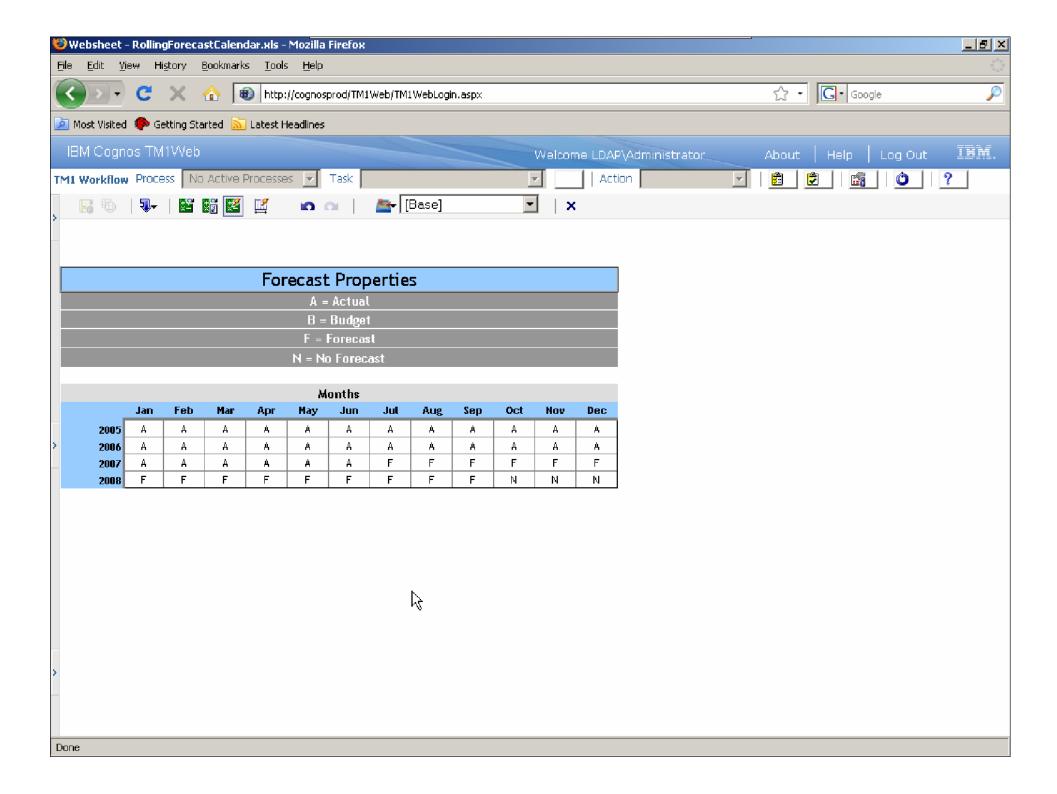


Supplement your budget with a Rolling Forecast











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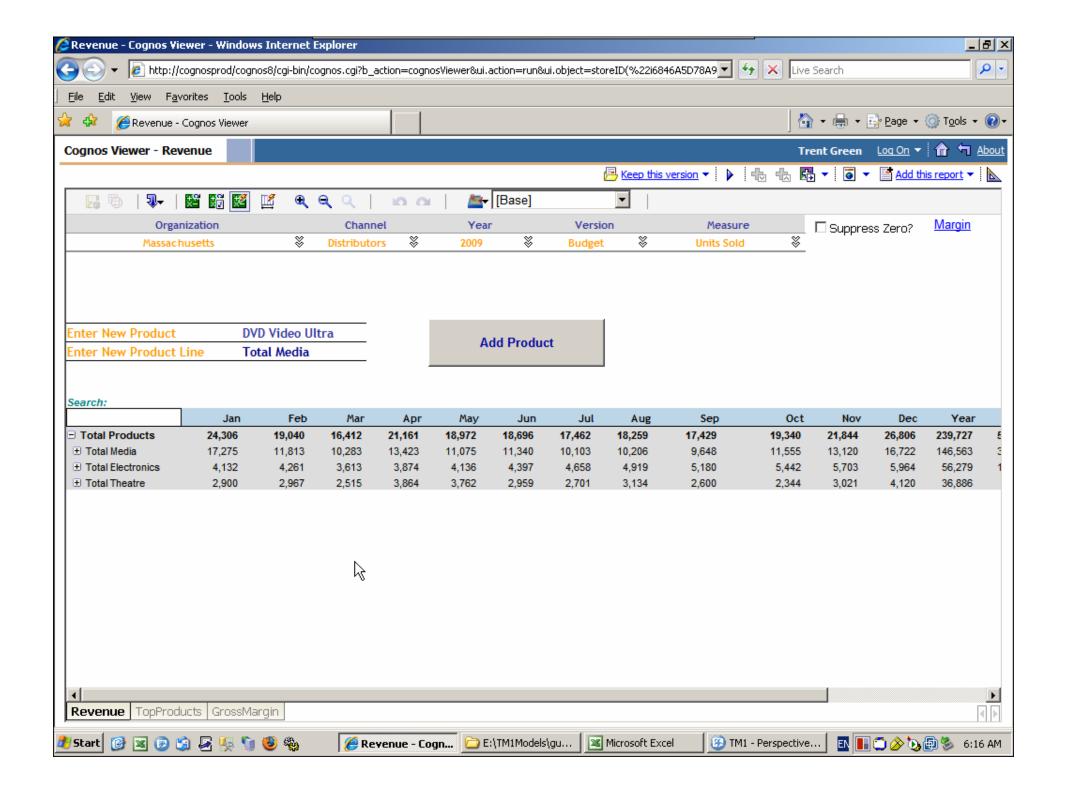
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Summary

- The budgeting process needs to change
- Companies do receive value from a process that leverages technology and best practices
- There is the opportunity in a crisis to drive change









Clinton: ,Never waste a good crisis'

Reuters

Friday, 6 March 2009

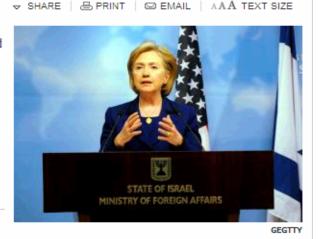
US Secretary of State Hillary Clinton today told an audience "never waste a good crisis", as she highlighted the opportunity of rebuilding economies in a greener, less energy intensive model.

Highlighting Europe's unease the day after Russia warned that gas exports to the EU via Ukraine might be halted, she also condemned the use of energy as a political lever.

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