



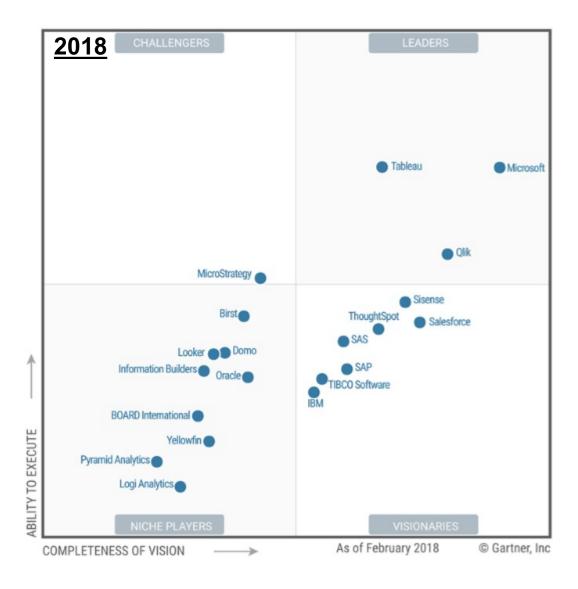
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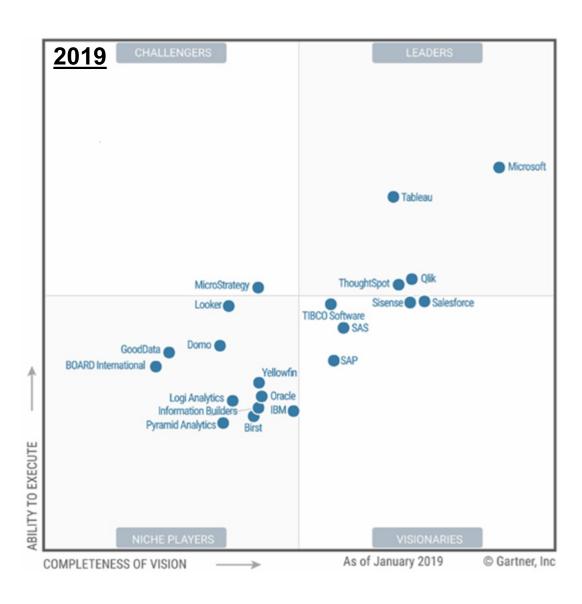
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# Based On The Industry Leading MI Platform





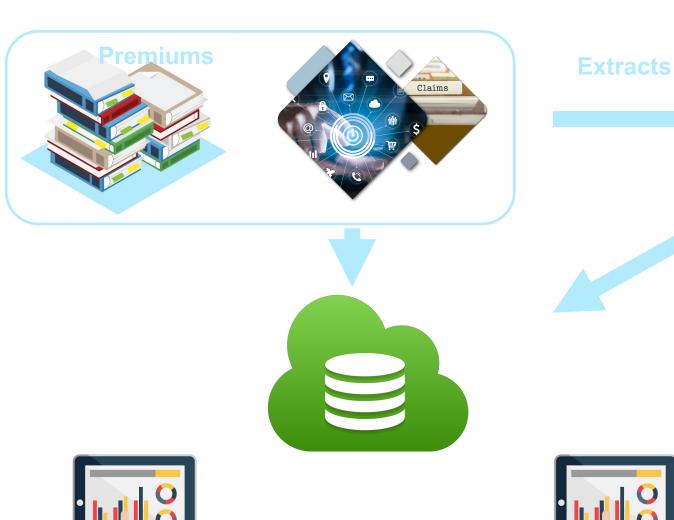


# Generally Accepted Microsoft MI Architecture

Operational **Applications** 

**MI Database** Layer

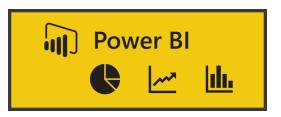
Front End **BI Tools** 







## MI Database Options



- FREE Instantly Available
- Can Be Developed Quickly With Excel Data Files
- Great Visualisation Instantly Available

- Limited Scalability
   1Gb Dataset
- Limited Calculation Power Restrictive In LOB Apps
- Will Not Support High User Populations
- Only 1 Front End Power BI



- Available In Every Company
- Skills Availability To Create Complex Dataset
- Robust, Scalable & Proven Technology
- No Consistent Response To MI Queries & Reports
- Limited Calculation Power v Performance
- Reporting Needs To Be Carefully Specified



- Unparalleled Reporting Flexibility & Performance
- Can Have Multiple Front End Tools Inheriting The Application
- Fully Scalable

- Requires Thinking Differently
- Need Specialists To Optimize The Design
- Needs Data Refreshes
- Less Skills Availability



#### **MI Database Conclusions**

#### Power BI

- Good for small Excel type visualisation apps
- Not good for Line of Business (LOB) apps requiring scalability, complex calculations and lots of users
- High maintenance and constant data refreshes needed. No incremental load.

#### SQL Server

- Massively scalable and good Data Warehouse
- Does not have reporting flexibility required for high performance MI

#### SQL Server Analysis Services

- Really fast, scalable and has the reporting flexibility
- Reusable business logic across multiple front ends









## MI Front End Tools Options

- Power BI Only
  - Using Data Import
- Power BI Live Connection
  - Live Queries To SQL Server and SQL Server Analysis Services
- EiB Analytics Only
  - Using EiB AppStudio To Prepare Data
- EiB Analytics and Power BI
  - Using The Same Calculations And Business Logiv

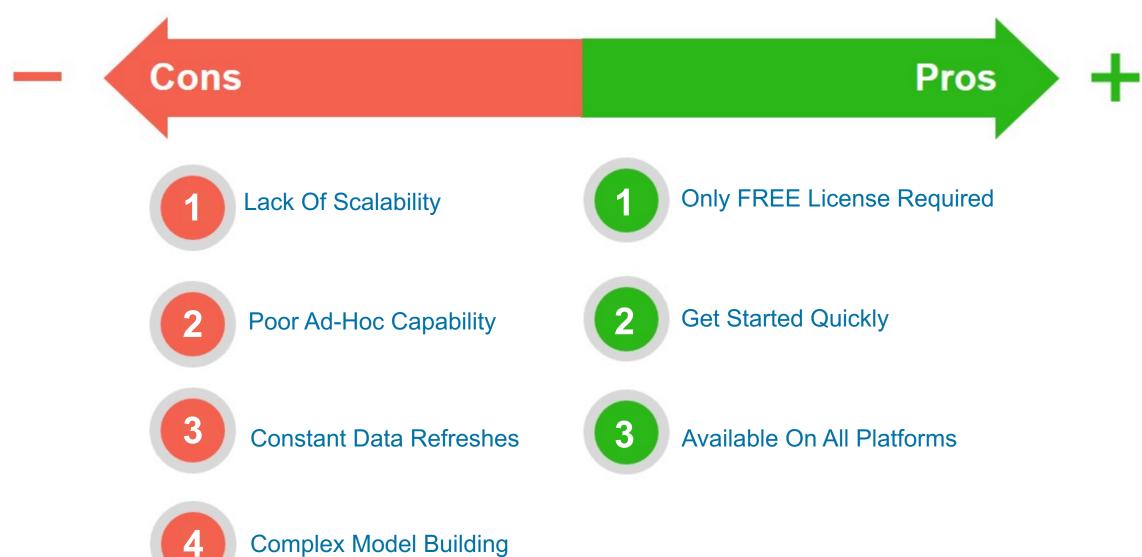








### Microsoft Power BI – Import Only





# Microsoft Power BI – Live Connections Only

Cons

**Pros** 



- High Level Skills Required For SQL DW or SQL AS MI Databases
- 1 Multi User & App Scalability

Poor Ad-Hoc Capability

2 Data Refreshes Minimised

- Power BI Pro Or Premium Licenses Required
- 3 Available On All Platforms

4 Limited Excel Reporting



### EiB Analytics - Only

Cons

- No Pure Web Based Or Mobile Solution Available
- Fully Scalable Line Of Business Analytical Applications

Limited Dashboard Capability

2 Excellent Excel Reporting & Ad-Hoc Analysis

No Drilldown On Charts

Fully Cost Effective
Hosted Solution Available



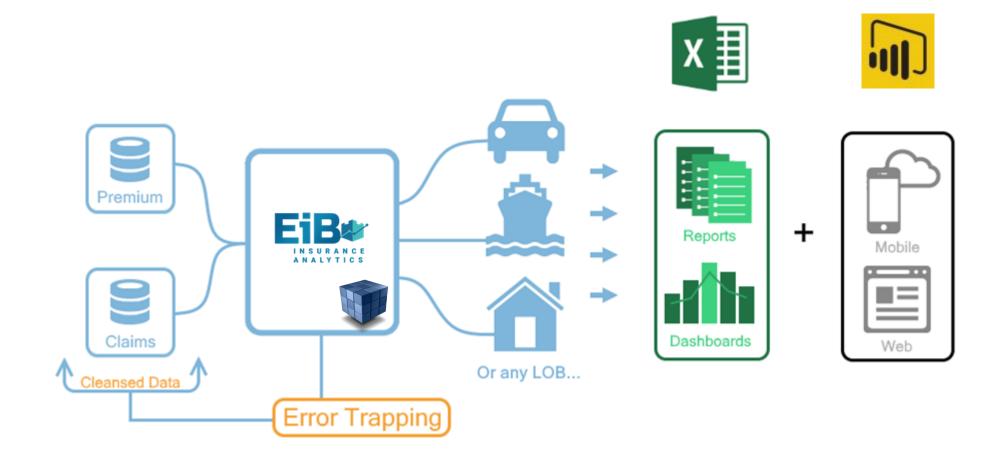
#### EiB Analytics & Microsoft Power BI

Cons

- Office 365, Power BI Pro or Power BI Premium Licenses Required (still much cheaper than other BI alternative platforms)
- Massively Scalable Line Of Business Applications
- Can't Think Of Anything Else!
- Best In Class Excel Reporting, Ad-Hoc Analysis & Web / Mobile Dashboards
- All Business Logic Reusable In Excel & Power BI



#### The Ideal MI Architecture

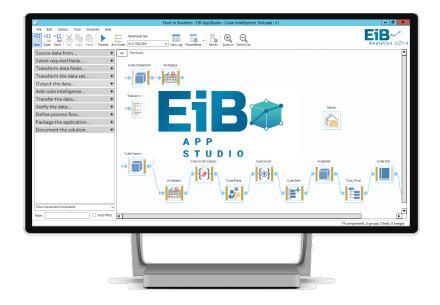




# Harnessing EiB Insurance Analytics Platform

#### **EiB AppStudio**

- Visual MI Apps for MS BI
- Any source
- Any output
- Automation
- Documentation
- Grouping
- Cleansing





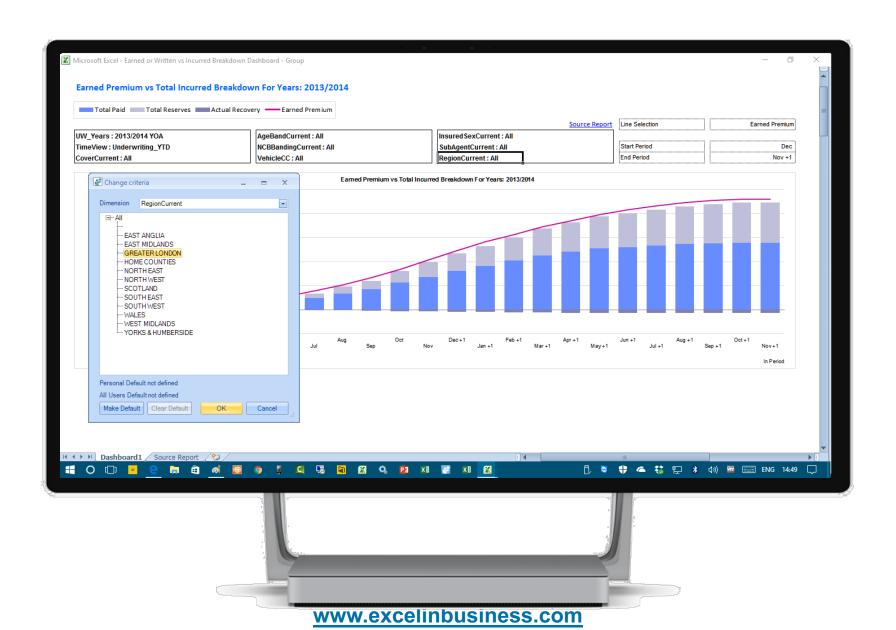
#### **EiB ReportStudio**

- Excel Reporting Add-in
- SQL / Cube / Tabular
- Formatted Reports
- Unstructured Reports
- Dashboards
- Distribution

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#### Highly Customisable & Configurable Excel Reports





# Power BI Insurance MI From Your Device(s) Of Choice







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