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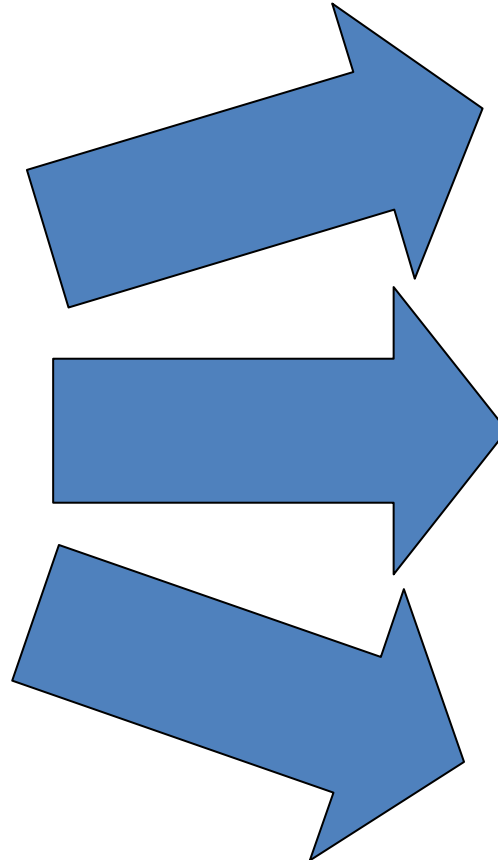
How to Raise your Organization's Analytics Quotient

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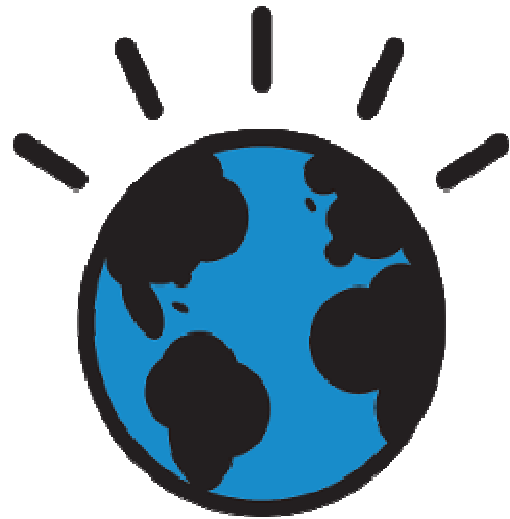
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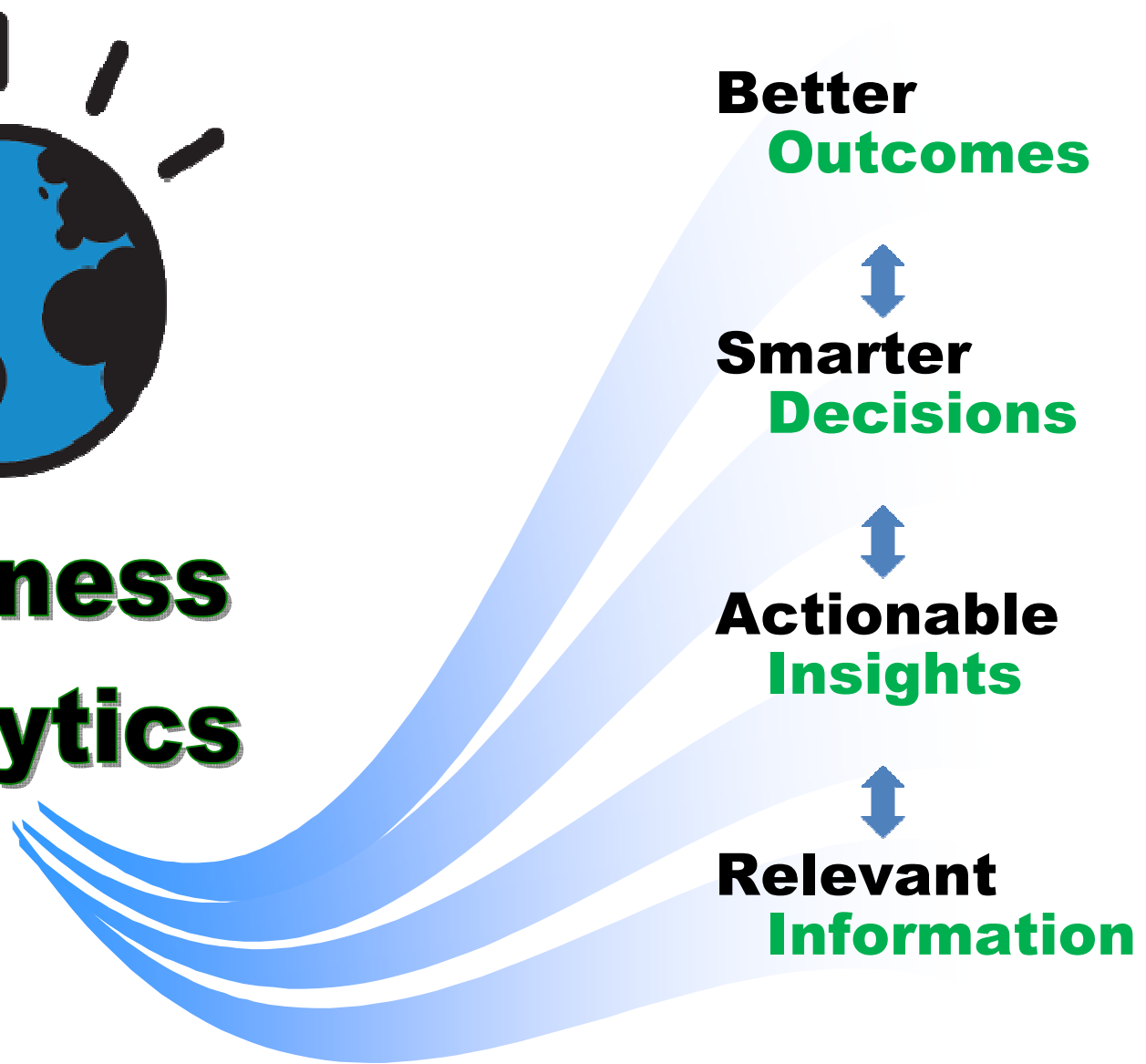
Why is AQ relevant?

What is AQ?

Your journey to
improve your AQ



Business Analytics





CIO #1 Concern

Business Analytics 83%

Virtualization 76%

Cloud 71%

Application Harmonization 68%

Self-service

Application Harmonization

83%

Business Process Management 64%

SOA / Web Services 61%

Unified Communications 60%

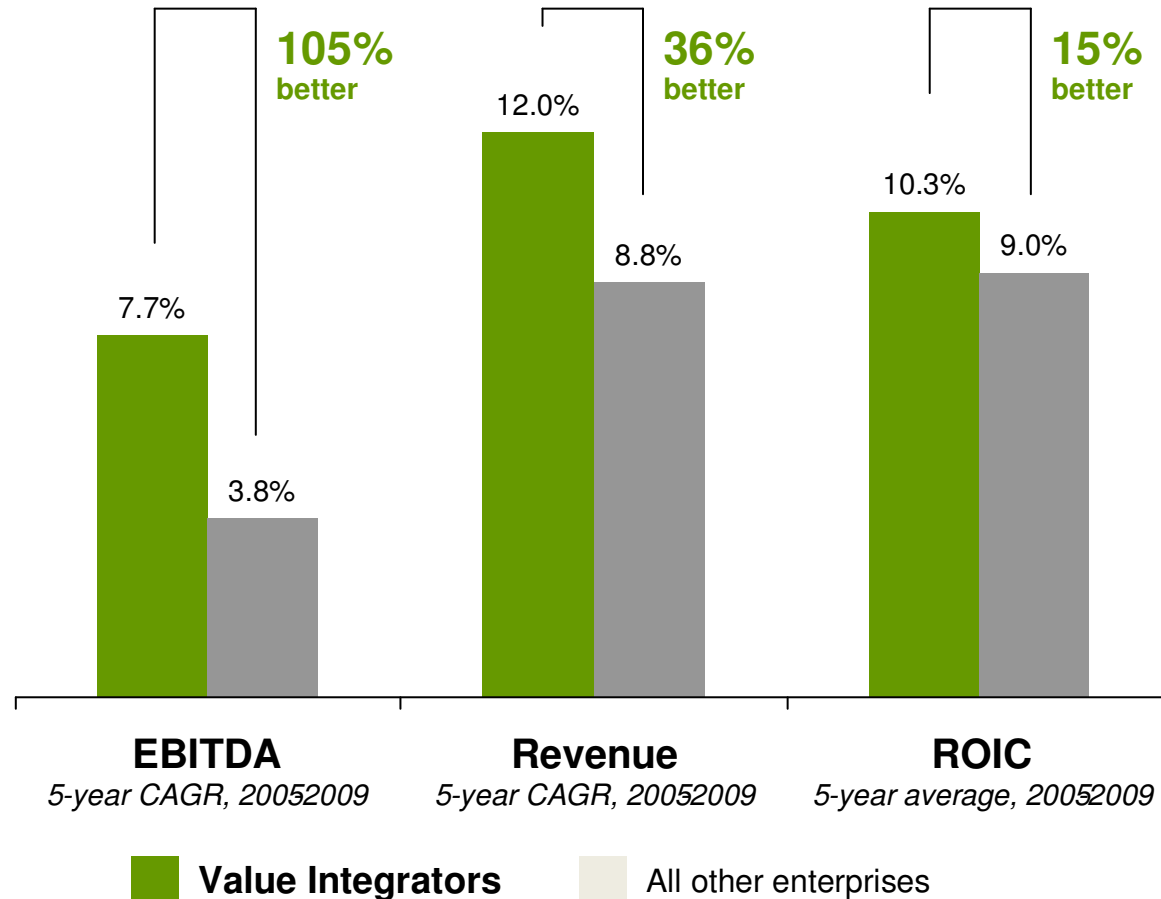
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*within business processes

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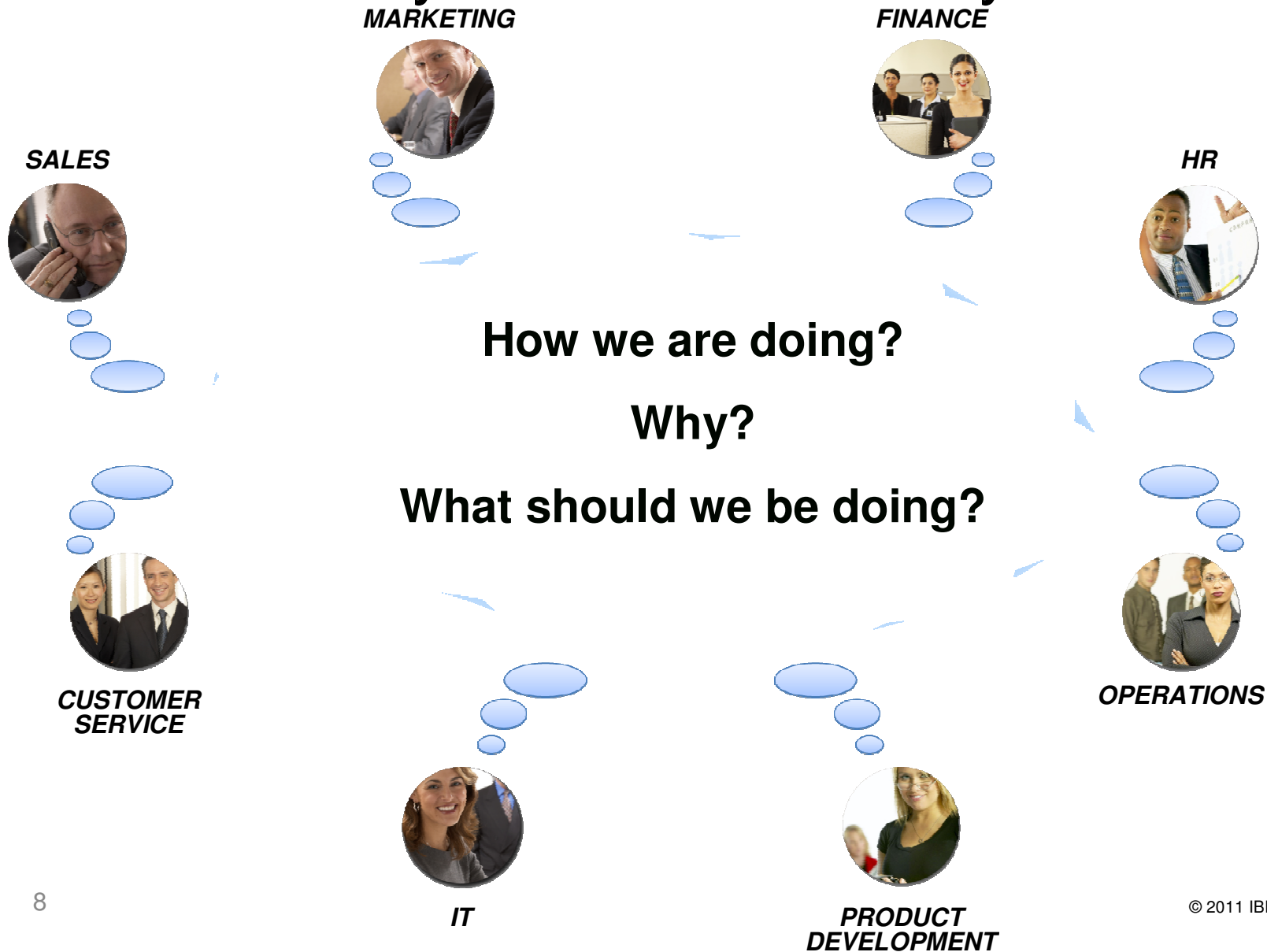


Value Integrators invest in efficiency & business insight, which contributes to better financial performance



Do you know the role Business Analytics plays in getting to the business results?

Business Analytics Answers 3 Key Questions



In the “New normal”, companies must compete using analytics

Shareholder expectations

Highly competitive

New legislation

**Social intelligence
(Google, Facebook...)**

Business

**IT and
Finance**

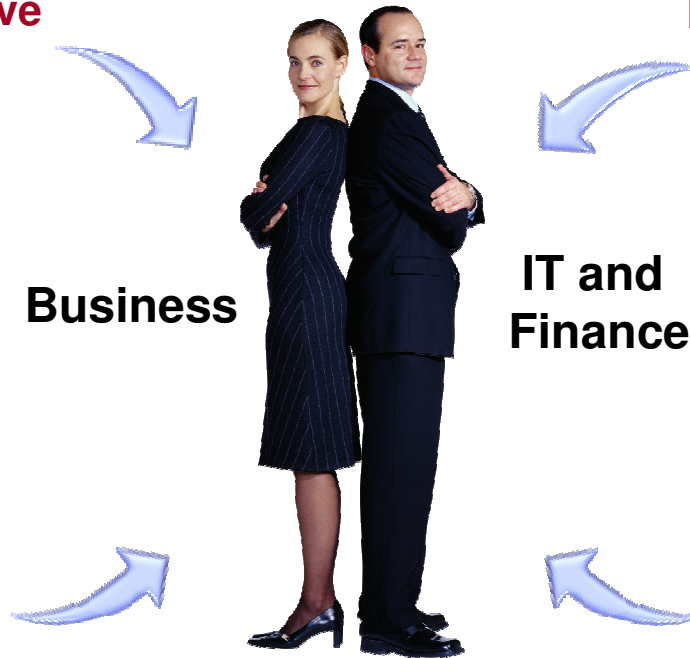
**Greater
uncertainty and
risk**

**High connectivity
(ubiquitous Wi-Fi, mobile...)**

**Complex
infrastructures**

**Hot technologies
(social analytics, massive scale
analytics, cloud computing...)**

**Higher data volume
and variety**



Must balance new user expectations with need for governance and control



AQ = Analytics Quotient

$$= \frac{\text{Realized}}{\text{Potential}}$$

The more you infuse analytics into your business, the higher your AQ and the better you and your business will perform

AQ Maturity

ALIGNED

Collaboration across business objectives

AGILE

Highly responsive to changing priorities

AWARE

Alert, observant, informed and perceptive

High
AQ

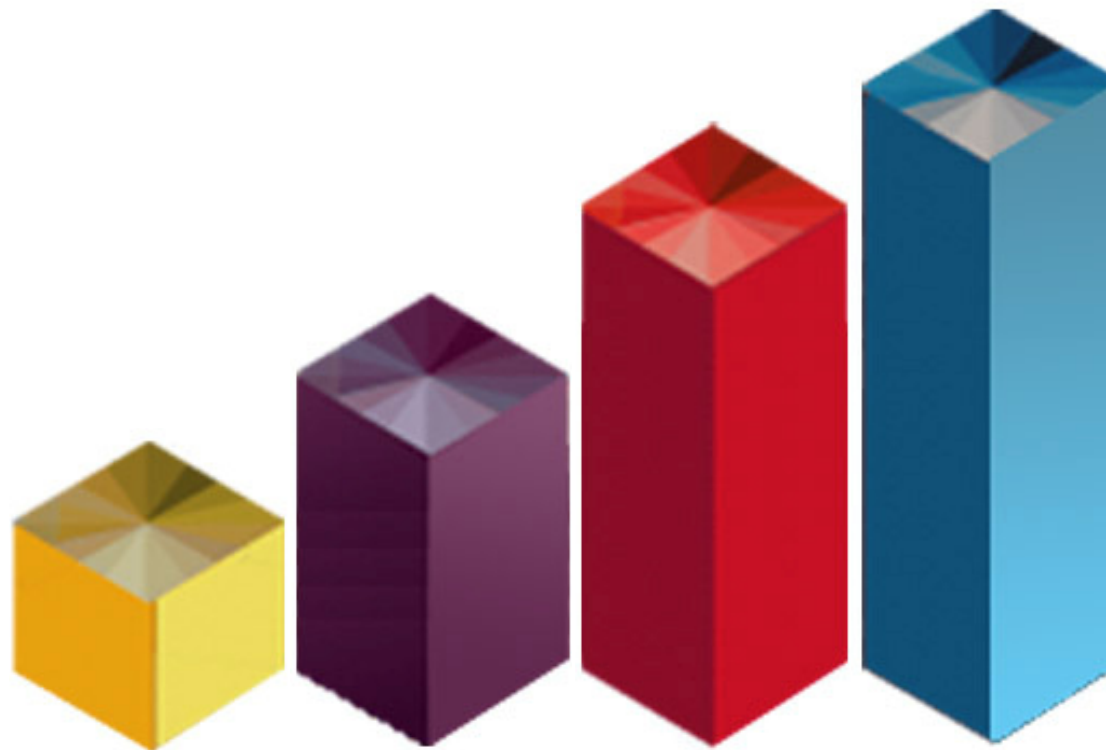
FOCUSED

Clear understanding of what's important

PREDICTIVE

Able to anticipate, look forward and set expectations

The AQ Journey



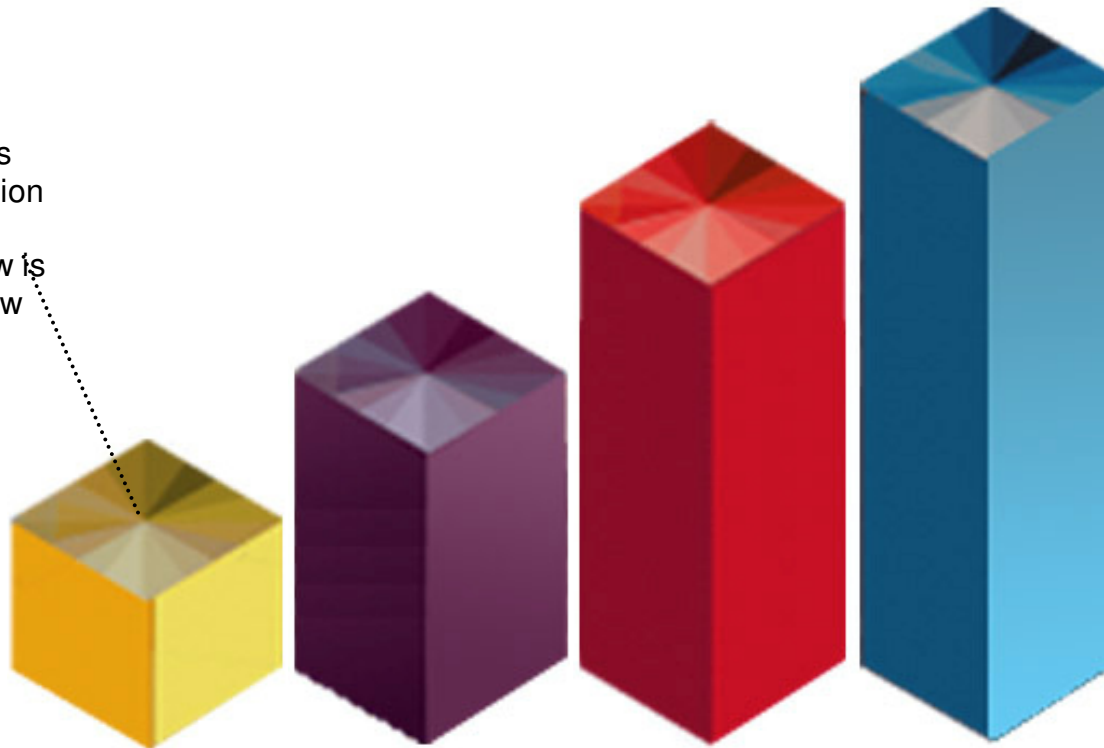
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Data quality concerns

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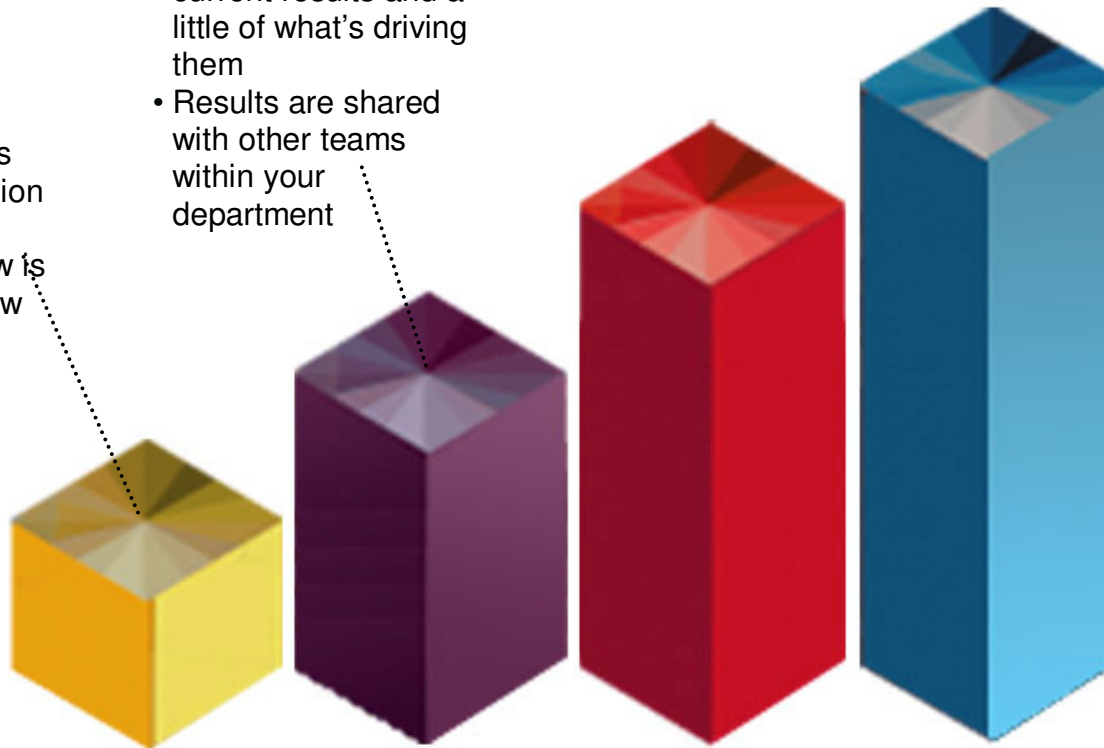
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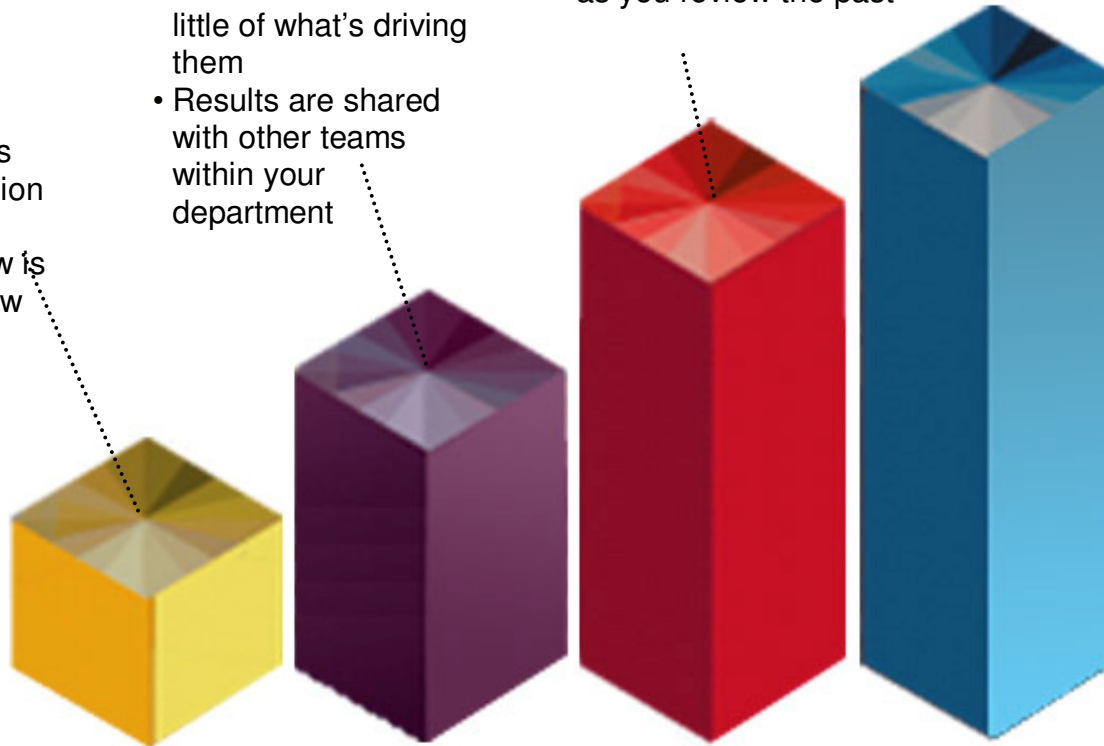
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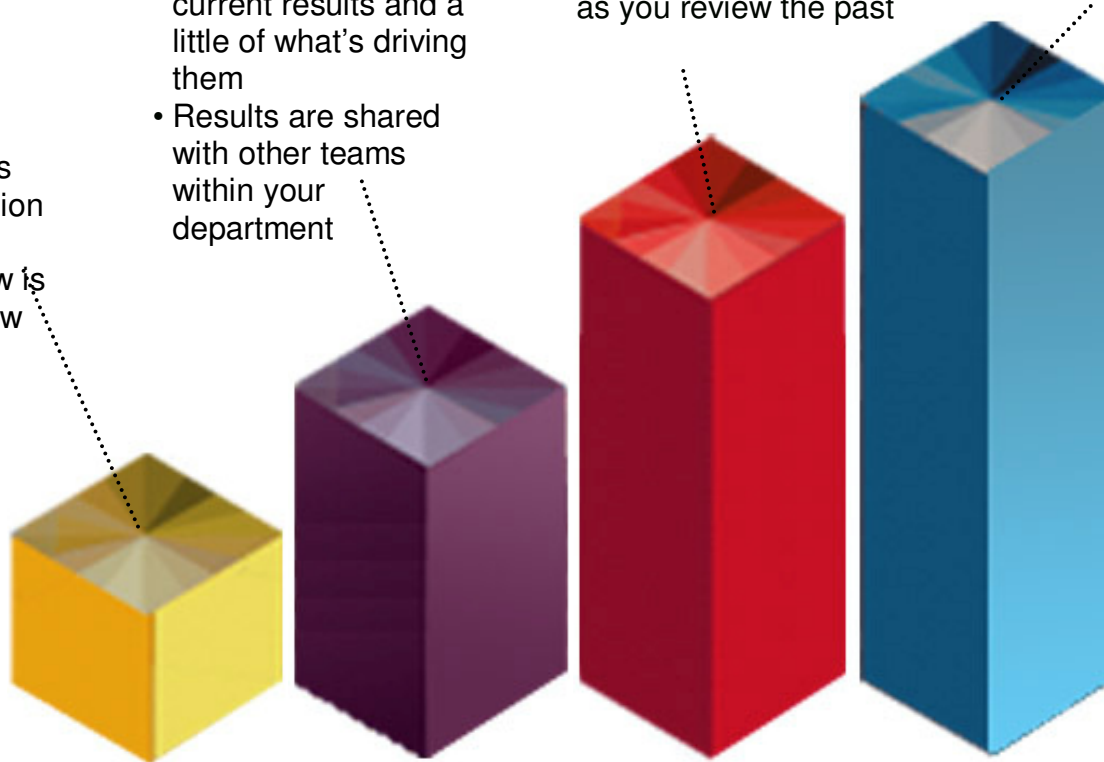
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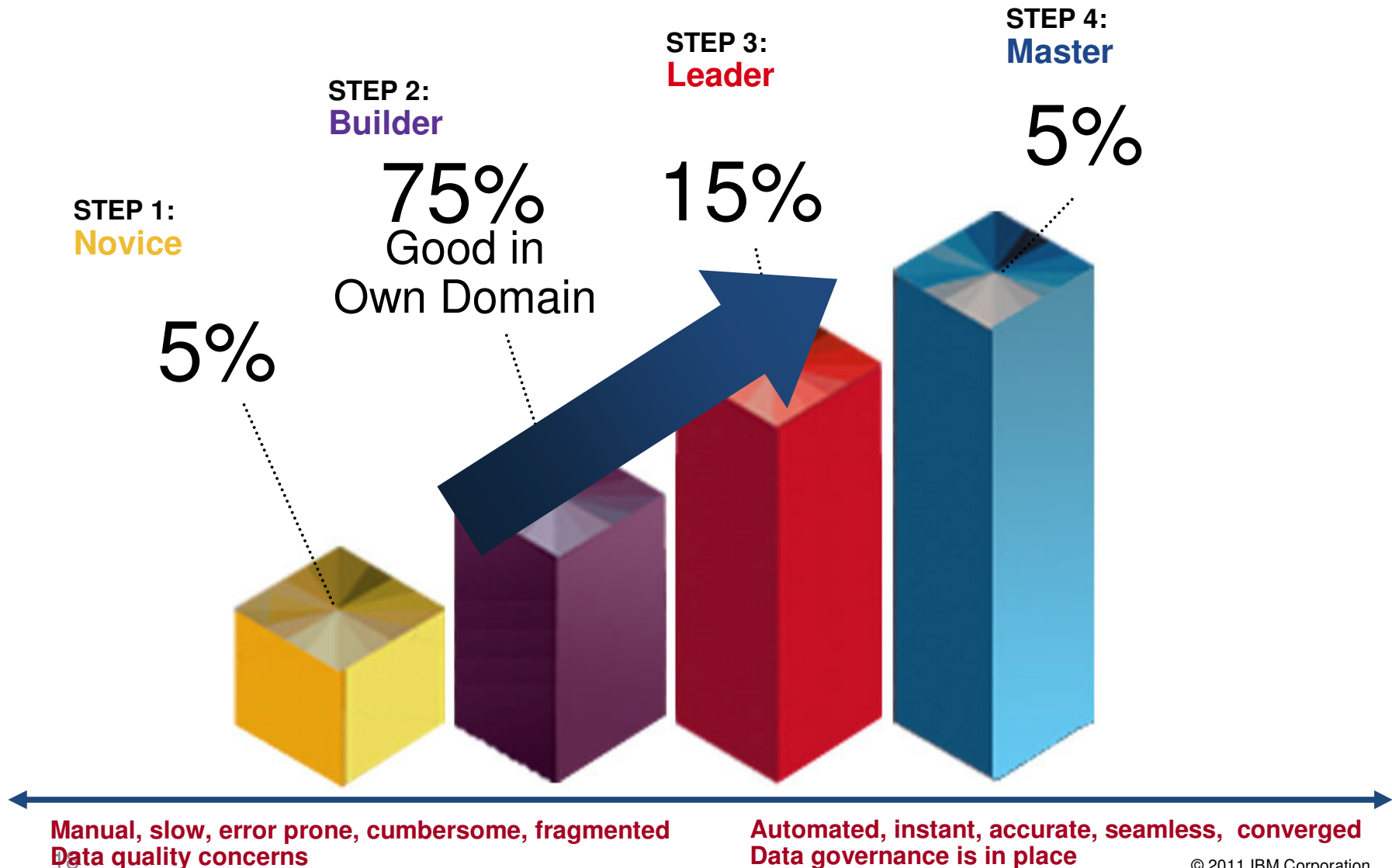
- Top-down goal setting
- Insights flow freely across divisions and departments.
- You allocate resources, minimize risk and maximize outcomes with equal ease and speed



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Where are organisations in the maturity model?



Test your AQ



www.ibm.com/analytics/aq

- 15 multiple choice question
- You will receive your company related AQ status including recommendations on how to improve it

What's Your AQ?

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How does your use of analytics affect business outcomes?

- Minor impact. Different solutions produce different, sometimes inconsistent results.
- Some impact. We've had some success but the impact is typically within teams or departments.
- Strong impact. We use analytics across our core processes to inform and guide actions and drive department-level outcomes.
- Very strong impact. All our business decisions are based on information provided by analytics. It's in our DNA.

BACK

NEXT

What's Your AQ?

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How many of these solutions are available to your decision-makers?
(Choose all that apply.)

- Standard reporting and analytics.
- Planning, budgeting and forecasting.
- Predictive and advanced analytics.
- Governance, risk and compliance.

BACK

NEXT

How to increase your AQ?



What's Your
AQ?



What are elements that affect your AQ?

Top challenges:

Piecemeal Solutions

No Organization

No Strategy

Politics and Culture

No Business Case

Piecemeal Solutions

- Why do people love spreadsheets?
 - Control
 - Flexibility
 - Easy
 - Because they are used to
 - Passioned about it
 - Speed
 - Career built on it
 - Top management gets its dashboards

3 Areas to focus on that will help you increase AQ Maturity

**Business Alignment,
Strategy & Value**

**Organization &
Behaviour**

Technology

Next steps for you to increase AQ Maturity

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- Understand Stakeholders
- Prioritize and Roadmap your sweet spots
- Build business cases and determine outcomes and value upfront
- Measure against value and document them

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- Building a performance culture over ALL departments
- Prepare a vision with a logical starting point
- Determine roles, functions & map to the goals of the organization

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- Plan a solution that will grow with you over time
- Use Mobility for high acceptance!
- Use a common platform

Conclusion

You don't know what you don't know!!

**Business Alignment,
Strategy & Value**

- Does Management see the value?

**Organization &
Behaviour**

- Is there consciousness on the value of collaboration?

Technology

- Do you have the information at your finger tips?

Next steps for you to increase AQ Maturity

Resources to help you:

- [Business Analytics Excellence Champion Kit](#)
 - <http://www.ibm.com/cognos/champion>
- [AQ Assessment Tool to benchmark your Organization](#)
 - <http://www.ibm.com/analytics/aq>
- [Performance Manager Book](#)
 - <http://www-01.ibm.com/software/analytics/excellence-center/bookstore.html>
- [Business Analytics Experience Workshop](#)
 - https://www-950.ibm.com/events/wwe/grp/grp021.nsf/v16_agenda?openform&seminar=F6DFFXES&locale=en_BE
- [BI Strategy Book](#)
 - <http://www-01.ibm.com/software/analytics/excellence-center/bookstore.html>
- Strategy Services
- Alignment Workshops



BAE Workshop - It's a business simulation!



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Questions?