



InfoSphere: Powering Information Integration & Governance

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Gain Insight. Optimize Results.



3.3 Exabytes of Digital Information will Be Created Every Day this Year

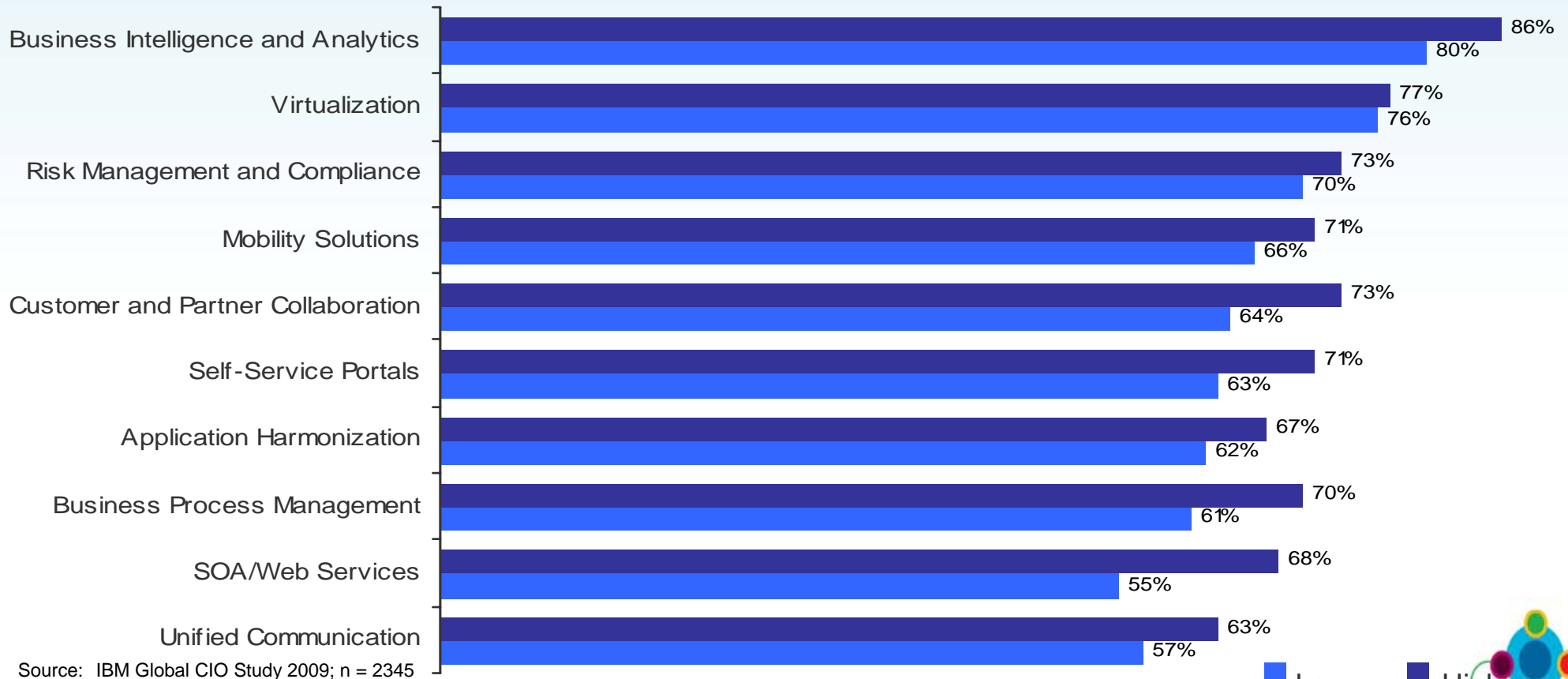


(1 exabyte = 10^{18} bytes)



Innovation is not limited to IT solutions: Business-oriented plans rank high among CIOs' visions of enhancing competitiveness

Ten most important visionary plan elements
Interviewed CIOs could select as many as they wanted



Source: IBM Global CIO Study 2009; n = 2345



Information Trailblazers Are the Catalyst for Creating a Smarter Enterprise



In healthcare



In financial services



Utilities...



In retail ...



Business Analytics

Companies are asking tough questions

Who?

- Are my most/least profitable customers?

What?

- Is the age profile of my customers?
- Do my customers buy?
- New trends are emerging?

Where?

- Are product lines contributing to income & profit?
- Are my most profitable lines of business?

How?

- Successful are my marketing campaigns?
- Will clients react to my new product branding?

When?

- Is the best time to reduce price?



... And are finding answers by turning data to insight.



How Are Companies Gaining Knowledge From Their Data?



They recognize that information, when treated as an asset, has the potential to transform their business.

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They understand the business value of creating and maintaining a single view of key data domains such as customers, products and assets.

Master Data Management



They focus on providing consumable, actionable information to the right people at the right time.

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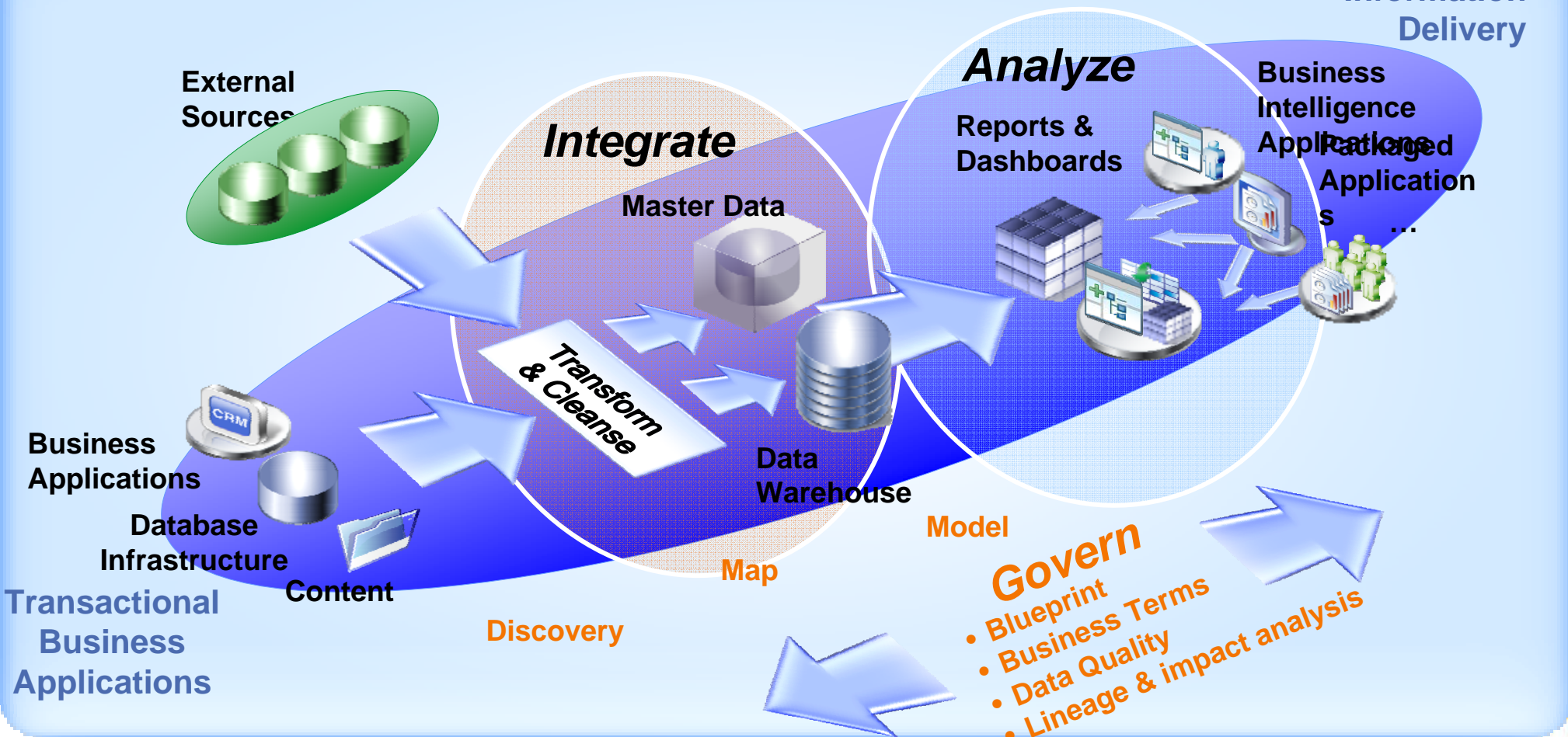


Delivering business insight requires mastering your information

Going beyond simply managing... to Optimizing Business Results



Clients' Information Supply Chain

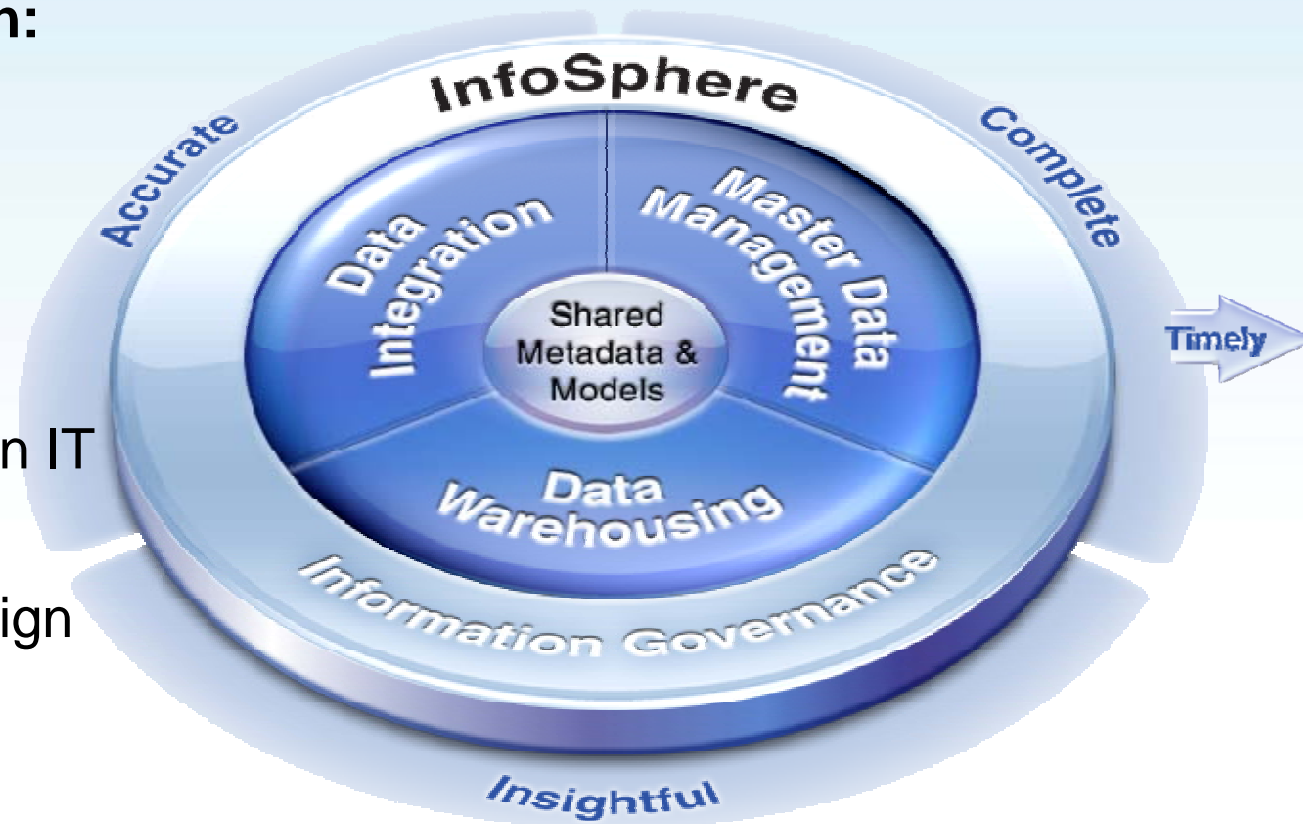


The InfoSphere Portfolio delivers unique synergistic value that accelerates and improves business results and reduces cost and risk



Accelerated value through:

- Deep integration across components
- Shared Understanding of existing assets
- Collaborative tools to align IT and business
- Shared model-driven design tools
- Pre-built accelerators to speed deployment



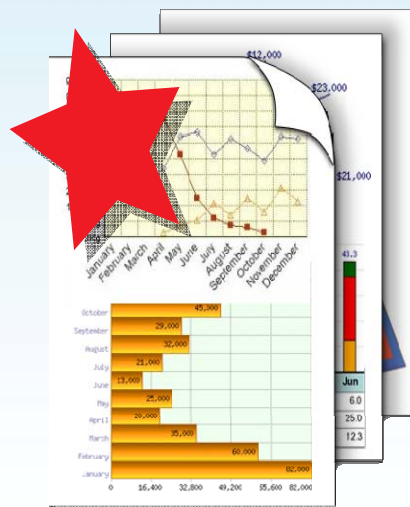
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Information Trailblazers know how to harness the power of their information assets



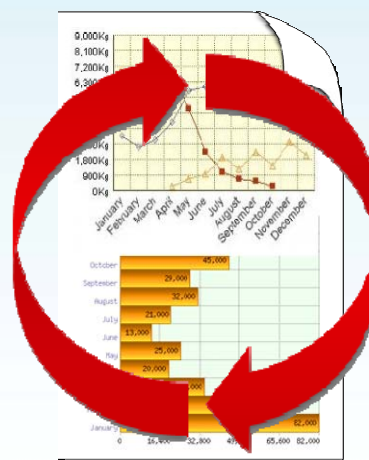
Understand

Discover data, design optimal data structures, and govern data over time.



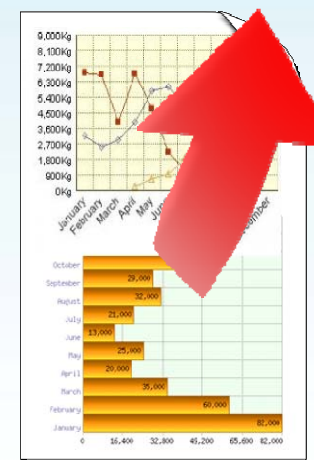
Cleanse

Use data quality capabilities to ensure reliable, accurate information.



Transform

Transform data from multiple sources for use with multiple targets.



Deliver

Deliver heterogeneous data to those who need it, when they need it.



Information Integration & Governance

IBM InfoSphere Information Server 8.5

– Market-leading data integration platform enabling Information Governance.



- Drive innovation through top down collaboration between business and IT
- Define the standard for enterprise-class information integration
- Extend leadership in integration automation and unified metadata
- Introduce best-in-class XML handling and SOA



Breaking News: 123% Six-year, Risk-Adjusted ROI for InfoSphere Information Server

- Forrester Consulting*

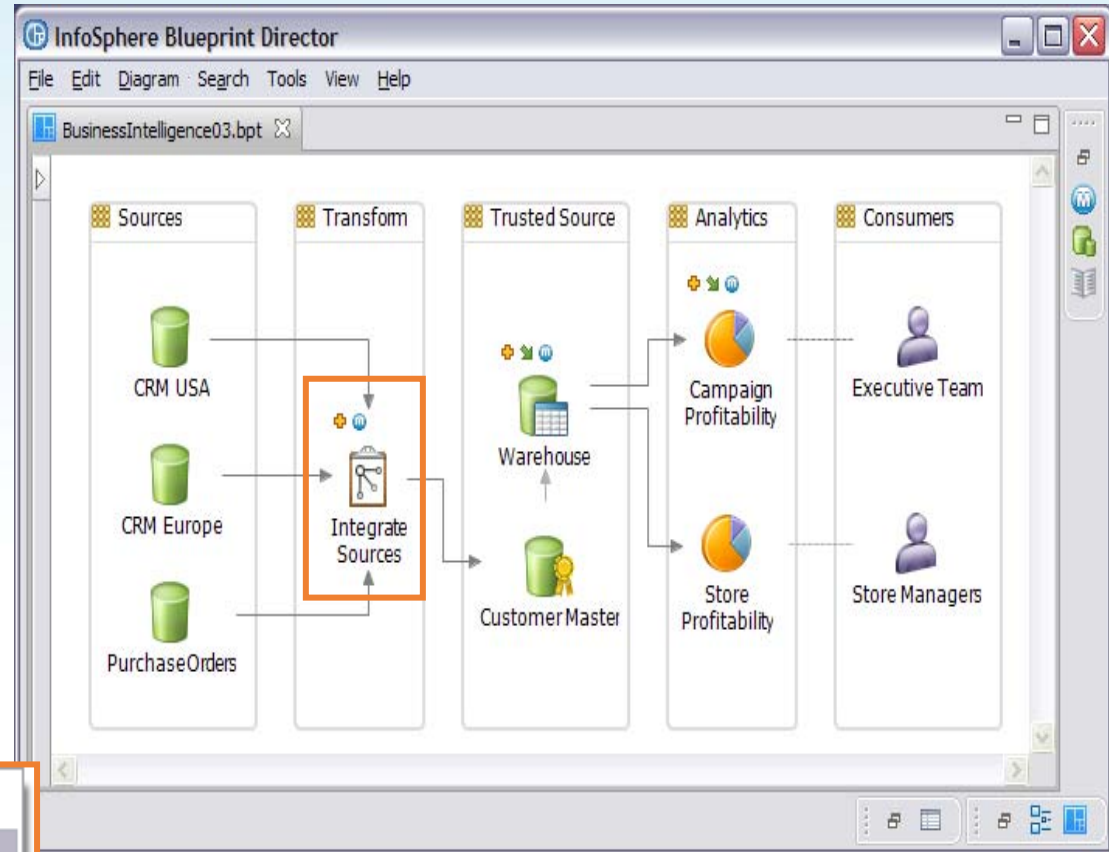


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InfoSphere Blueprint Director – a game changer to align business & IT



A unique new paradigm for integration projects, allowing teams to define & manage the end-to-end flow of information.



- Define Data Warehouse Model
- Develop Physical Warehouse
- Deploy Information Assets
- Manage Data Lineage
- Impact Analysis

Linked method

- Requirements specification
- Technical metadata

Linked artifacts



InfoSphere Business Glossary – What's new in 8.5?



Empower the business user in data quality assessment programs

- Expose quality rules to business users
- Allow LOB to review & validate the quality of data relative to key business elements (e.g. product)
- Meet acceptable compliance levels and data hygiene requirements

Features:

- View business rules associated with a term
- View the percentage of data that meets the business rule acceptance level
- View valid values, value ranges (min/max), and summary of data domain contents

**Valid Values,
Ranges,
Compliance
Levels**

**Business
Rule Sets**

The screenshot displays the 'InfoSphere Business Glossary Browser' interface. The main area shows 'Term Details' for a term named 'term1'. It includes a 'Short Description' (ADD SH...), 'Assigned to Terms' (Yearly Rep...), and 'Status' (Candidate). Below this, there are sections for 'General Information' and 'Assigned Assets'. The 'Assigned Assets' section lists six items, with the first two 'MK Set of Rules 1' highlighted by a red box. To the right, a detailed analysis panel for 'CREDIT_RATING' is shown. It includes 'Short Description' and 'Long Description' (both Undefined), and 'Assigned to Terms' (Credit Score). The 'Valid Values & Analysis' section contains a 'Range Validation' box (highlighted with a red border) listing: Minimum Value — 600, Maximum Value — 700, and Compliance — 44%. Other statistics include: Require Unique Values — false, Total Number of Rows — 221, Number of Complete Values — 221, Number of Valid Values — 98, Number of Empty Values — 0, Number of Null Values — 0, Number of Distinct Values — 221, Number of Distinct Patterns — 0, Number of Distinct Formats — 1, Inferred Data Type — INT16, Inferred Format — 999, Domain Type —, Inferred Length — 3, Inferred Scale — 0, and Inferred Precision — 3.

InfoSphere Metadata Workbench – What's new in 8.5?

Gain visibility to a more complete view of information assets

- Get a complete picture and understanding of technical data elements with insights into their
 - Domain values
 - Relationships to other sources
 - Associated business rules

Features:

- View data relationships and insights discovered by InfoSphere Discovery
 - Database tables and columns
 - Database analysis and inferred database key information
- View data rule descriptions, policies, stewards, and rule expressions defined in InfoSphere Information Analyzer

The screenshot displays the 'Indexes and Analysis' section of the InfoSphere Metadata Workbench. It features two main panels:

Indexes and Analysis

Primary Key	False
Referenced by Primary Key	None
Foreign Key	None
Inferred Key	True
Referenced by Inferred Key	None
Analysis	SEQ_Analysis

Analysis

Project	None
Review Date	None
Require Unique Values	False
Total Number of Rows	None
Number of Complete Values	None
Number of Valid Values	86
Number of Empty Values	0
Number of Null Values	0
Number of Distinct Values	86
Number of Distinct Patterns	
Number of Distinct Form	
Inferred Data Type	
Inferred Format	
Inferred Length	
Inferred Scale	
Inferred Precision	

Rule Definition: Data Rule Definition

Rule Definition	
Name	Data Rule Definition
Short Description	Short Description
Long Description	Long Description
Status	CANDIDATE
Term	Brand
Policy	None
Contact	None
Expression	IF nulls_col nulls_col NOT <> FALSE THEN nulls_col = TRUE

Below the rule definition is a section for 'Modification Details'.



InfoSphere Information Analyzer –What's new in v8.5?



Continuously manage & monitor data quality

- Enhance collaboration between business and IT for data validation
 - Quickly associate or lookup terminology for data or rules
 - Identify valid values with terms
- Leverage analytical results in broader business context
 - CLI and REST API for publishing results to external files or building custom dashboards, applications, or reports
- Expanded native data source support
 - Added native Oracle connectivity
 - Enhanced ODBC, DB2, and Teradata connectivity
- Exception Management capabilities for managing source to target transformations
 - Review exceptions and recommend remediation

The screenshot displays the InfoSphere Information Analyzer interface. At the top, there's a 'Carrier ID Validation' window showing a 'Job Log' table with columns: Type, Timestamp, Validity (Severity, # Pass, # Fail, Trend), Contact, and Sample. The table contains five rows of validation runs for 'Mim Foster'.

Type	Timestamp	Validity			Contact	Sample
		Severity	# Pass	# Fail		
Run	01/01/09	10.8%	792	208	Mim Foster	
Run	12/01/08		904	96	Mim Foster	
Run	11/01/08		926	74	Mim Foster	
Run	10/01/08		500	0	Mim Foster	✓
Run	09/01/08		500	0	Mim Foster	✓

Below the job log, there's a 'Validator-Inconsistent Entity Details' window showing a dashboard graph. The graph shows data flow between sources (CRM, SAP) and targets (DW, FinanceDM, MarketingDW, ITDW) with exception counts on the connections.

The 'Validator-Inconsistent Entity Details' window also shows a table of target rows with columns: Target Attribute, Value, and Rule. The table contains three rows of data for 'Elihu Ahlen'.

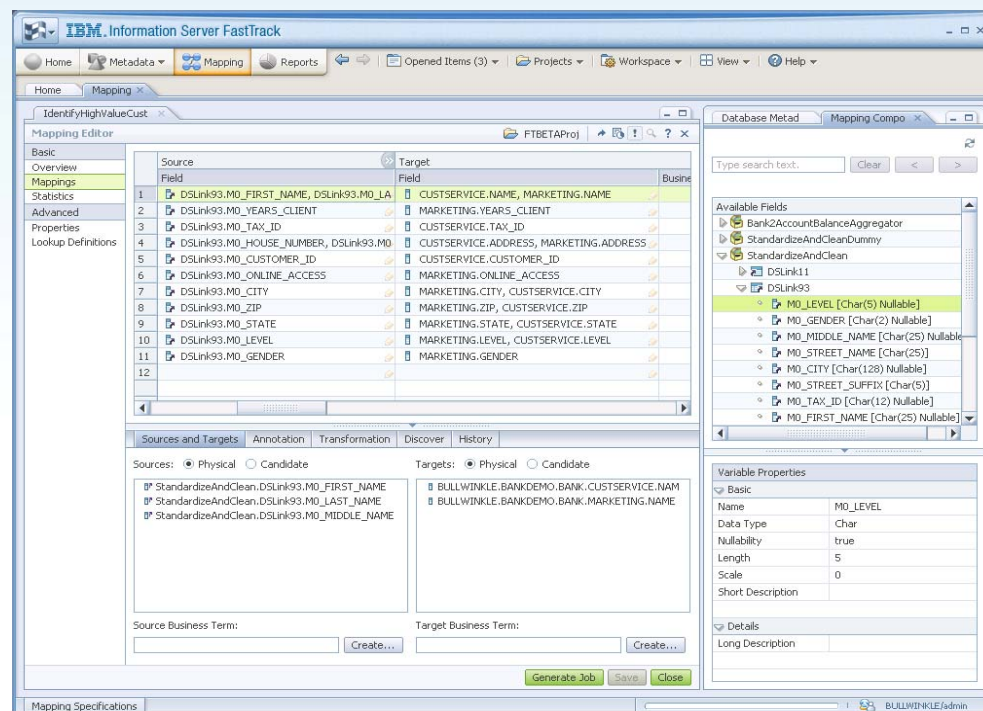
Target Attribute	Value	Rule
SALUTATION	Ms.	HQ
EFN	Elihu Ahlen	
DATE_OF_BIRTH	1971-07-03 00:00:00	HQ



InfoSphere FastTrack – What's new in 8.5?

Business-driven data integration & automation

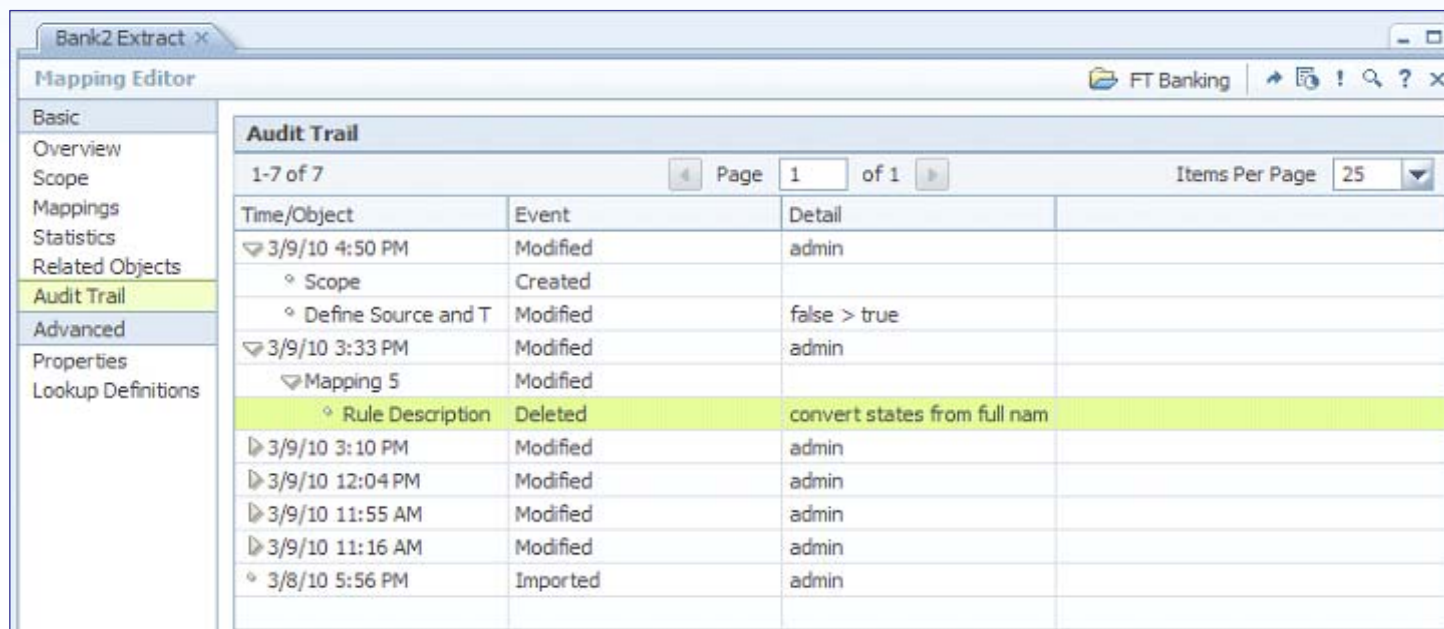
- Leverage prior knowledge to achieve consistency
 - Re-engineer ETL job designs to jump-start specifications
 - Reuse discovered and established rules for consistent application
 - Create specifications from existing InfoSphere DataStage jobs
- Ensure compliance to organization standards
 - Establish template parameters for mapping specifications within project
 - Review specifications through configurable reporting
 - Track changes to mapping specifications through audit history
- Enhanced import of .CSV files
 - Map multiple columns to reduce effort



InfoSphere FastTrack – What's new in 8.5?

Auditing of mapping specifications

- Provides audit history and traceability by tracking changes over time: who + when + what + why was it changed
- At project level or mapping specification level
- Option to enable audit history



The screenshot shows the 'Audit Trail' window in the 'Mapping Editor' application. The window title is 'Bank2 Extract x' and the application name is 'FT Banking'. The left sidebar shows a navigation menu with 'Audit Trail' selected. The main area displays a table of audit events.

Time/Object	Event	Detail
3/9/10 4:50 PM	Modified	admin
◦ Scope	Created	
◦ Define Source and T	Modified	false > true
3/9/10 3:33 PM	Modified	admin
◦ Mapping 5	Modified	
◦ Rule Description	Deleted	convert states from full nam
3/9/10 3:10 PM	Modified	admin
3/9/10 12:04 PM	Modified	admin
3/9/10 11:55 AM	Modified	admin
3/9/10 11:16 AM	Modified	admin
3/8/10 5:56 PM	Imported	admin

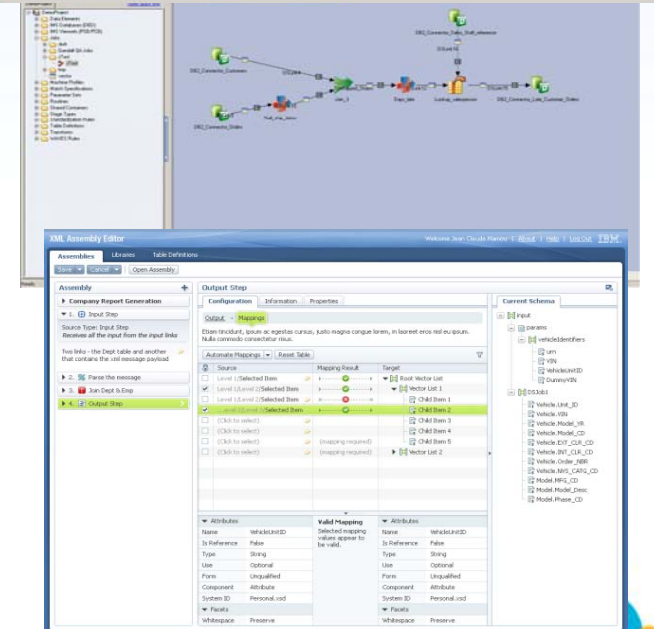
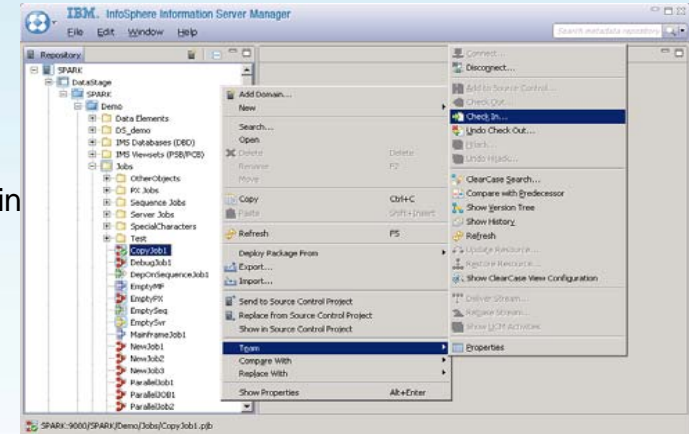


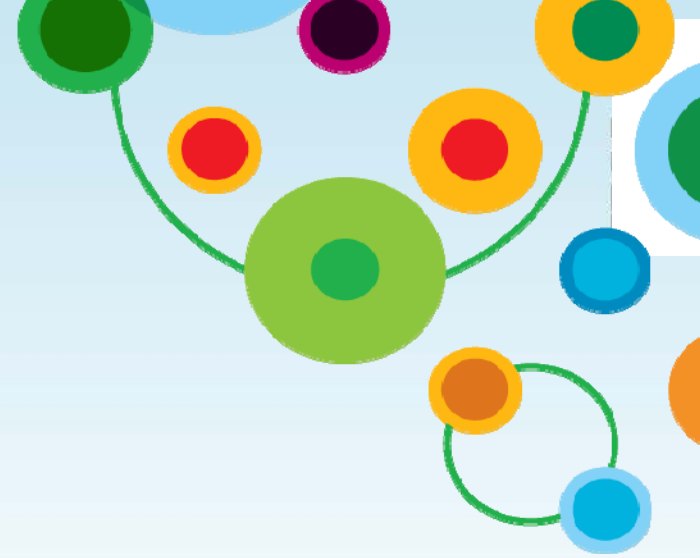
InfoSphere DataStage & InfoSphere QualityStage – What's new in 8.5

Overview of enhancements



- Increased Availability
 - Improved support and levels of HA
- SCCS integration
 - Integration with Enterprise Source Control providers via Eclipse Team Plugin
- Performance (Design and Runtime)
 - Improved Use Experience and runtime performance
- Balanced Optimization
 - Deliver seamless integration with DataStage GUI and improved metadata lineage
- Transformer Enhancements
 - Looping, improved NULL handling
- Vertical Pivot
 - Extend current Horizontal Parallel pivot
- z/OS File Stage
 - Deliver improved native MVS File processing support on Linux for System Z
- XML PACK (post vNext)
 - Deliver new features and improved performance / volume support
- Standardization and Match Specification reports
- Match Designer Enhancements





Futures



Information Integration Roadmap

FUTURES



Strengthen Core

InfoSphere Synergies

- Common rules model for the tools
- Data-centric Analysis for Data Privacy, decommissioning/Archiving, Modeling, Classification
- Information Server Module for IBM Smart Analytics System

Automation and Accessibility

- SOA access to Business Glossary
- Job Migration Test Assistant
- Balanced Optimization evolution
- XML evolution

Enterprise Readiness

- Increased availability
- Improved connectivity
- Continues focus on performance
- Enhanced automation in the install and migration process

Productivity and Enterprise Optimization

IBM SWG Synergies

- Collaboration enhancements for Information related projects
- Data Rules Accelerators and Stewardship for Industry Models and MDM
- Extended CDC Integration
- IA Rules integration with DS/QS
- Common Optim Data Privacy Rules

Automation and Optimization

- Entry level data Integration offering
- SOA access to Metadata Analysis
- Data Quality Knowledge Console
- Performance Optimizations
- Productivity and reusability enhancements
- New & enhanced transformation componentry

Operational Governance

- Production Monitoring & Control
- Workload Management

Automation and Logical design paradigm

IBM SWG Synergies

- Leverage Information Management, Tivoli, Rational portfolio
- Collaboration & Linkage of Data Integration related assets outside of Information Server

Business Centric Design

- Logical design paradigm linking conceptual information flows to concrete implementation to support varying degrees of developer skills
- Enhanced profiling, cleansing, transformation support for semi-structured and other complex source systems
- Evolution of model integration to increase automation and linkages

Smarter Integration

- Autonomic Design optimization based on historical runs and operational metadata.
- Discovery driven Integration



Business Analytics

IBM's Warehousing Portfolio offers Scale, Speed and Depth



A comprehensive portfolio:



InfoSphere Warehouse

Optim Performance Manager
Mashup Center



IBM Smart Analytics Systems

1050, 2050, 5600, 7700, 9600



Warehouse Packs

Pack for Customer Insight
Pack for Market / Campaign Insight
Pack for Supply Chain Insight



Business Analytics

InfoSphere Warehouse Model Packs

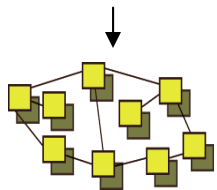


A set of pre-built, consolidated data structures and supporting components in areas of:

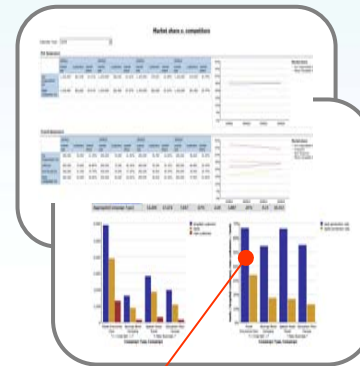
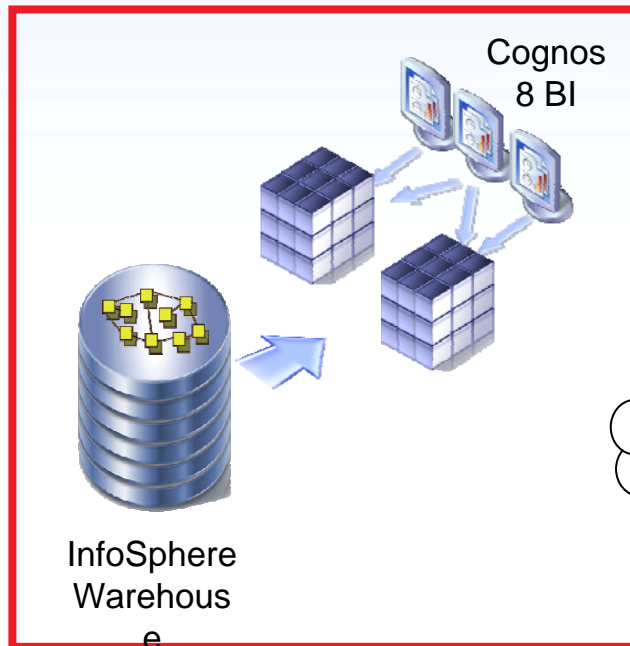
- Customer Insight
- Market and Campaign Insight
- Supply Chain Insight

Ready to load →

CUSTOMER = XYZ
SALES = 123

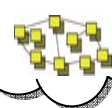


Pre-built
Physical Data
Models



Pre-built Reports
illustrate
IMMEDIATE
representation of
your information

CUSTOMER = XYZ
SALES = 123



Pre-built Data Models promotes data
integrity from loading through
reporting





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