

# PRONTO xi

Business Intelligence Overview



## Authoring tools

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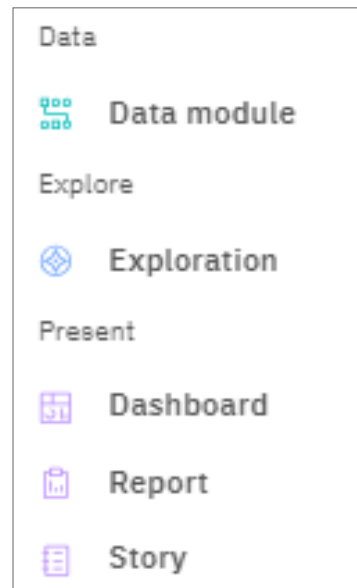


# Authoring tools

## Create and deliver compelling data-driven business stories with Pronto Xi and IBM Cognos Analytics

IBM's leading data analysis platform, IBM™ Cognos™ Analytics'\* multiple components helps you get the most out of your data. Combined with Pronto Xi's out-of-the-box Business Intelligence (BI), it takes your data reporting and insights to the next level.

Get advanced analytics and unparalleled insights into every aspect of your business with our BI Unlimited licence, which allows you to report on all data — regardless of its source. A BI licence allows your team to run reports and view dashboards with BI Essentials, or create reports and dashboards through BI Designer. You can also manage your server, user and schedule administration tasks with BI Administer.



Elevate reporting with IBM Cognos Analytics data modelling and authoring tools

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## User tools

BI's dashboarding capabilities make it easy to explore data.

Create visualisations simply by dragging fields onto the canvas and letting IBM Cognos Artificial Intelligence (AI) automatically determine the best way to display that information.

Similarly, map creation is as effortless as dropping data onto the authoring canvas. With built-in Global Map Intelligence, BI allows you to report globally or even at an Australian postcode level. Zooming right down to the street helps you go from an eagle's eye view to a more localised view of your business data — all in one screen.

A simple interface makes deploying insightful dashboards to your organisation faster than ever while IBM Cognos Functions crafts custom calculations.

Use BI Administration to set reporting date ranges, user roles, and security policies for mobile BI users such as time expiration on cached mobile report content.

## Data tools

Enrich Pronto Xi's business transaction data by uploading your own information. Using IBM Cognos Analytics datasets, external data — such as GPS, weather and foot traffic — can be dragged and dropped into your reports alongside Pronto Xi data, providing you with a deeper understanding of trends and analyses.

## Data modules and datasets

A dataset is a smaller subset of your business data and can be used in a dashboard or report. Using a dataset as a source makes retrieving data on the dashboard significantly easier. By requiring fewer queries, datasets also reduce the burden on your business database. When you combine datasets with other sources, such as existing packages and uploaded data, they are grouped into data modules for use on dashboards or reports.

Upgrade your business intelligence capabilities by creating and modelling new data packages with our Data Module and Data Explorer licences. With this toolset, you can create repeatable and consistent data modules to publish to your users, giving them everything they require. Data Explorer harnesses the depth of the IBM™ Watson™ AI engine\* to derive forecasts and key data drivers to uncover hidden insights rapidly.

## Data Models and AI

BI's enhanced modelling components aggregate multiple data sources from Excel spreadsheets, relational databases, text files and more. These fused models become "the source", allowing you to create meaningful visualisations in reports, dashboards and stories.

Gain meaningful insights from data you can trust with AI-powered automation and insights in IBM Cognos Analytics. With its natural language AI assistant, simply describe the question you need the answer to or a hypothesis you want to test, and let the AI build stunning insight-driven visualisations.

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We are an Australian developer of award winning business management and analytics solutions. Pronto Xi, our Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) software, integrates accounting, operational and mobile features in a single system – optimising business processes and unlocking actionable insights. That's why for more than 45 years, over 1,500 Australian and global organisations, across a wide range of industries, have trusted Pronto Xi to simplify their most complex challenges.

With headquarters and our Development Centre located in Melbourne, we have support offices and consultants based across Australia, as well as a global network of Resellers and Solution Partners. Specialised business units within Pronto Software have the expertise to assist you with pivotal technology – Digital Transformation with Pronto Woven, Cloud and Hosting services with Pronto Cloud and Business Intelligence solutions with Pronto iQ.

When you choose Pronto Software, you gain a team with deep industry experience, giving us the ability to understand your specific needs and build innovative solutions that drive business growth and revenue.

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