



## BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE WORKSHOP

SAP Business Intelligence provides intuitive and insightful business intelligence for small and mid-sized companies. From ad-hoc reporting and analysis to automated, on the fly discovery of relevant data, SAP Business Intelligence helps provide immediate answers to critical business questions. Using SAP BI, you can truly understand how your company is performing from every angle. Whether you are looking to increase revenue or reduce cost, Business Intelligence can break down your information silos and increase collaboration between your suppliers, back office, front office, warehouse, and customer service.

### Get On The Right Path With Illumiti's BI Workshop

Illumiti has developed an interactive two-day workshop that helps small and mid-sized companies explore ways to improve their business intelligence systems. Through our business intelligence workshop, we work with your management team to examine your current requirements, build a vision for the future, and a roadmap to get there. We will lead your management team through a series of discussions that will allow you to:

- Gain insights into how to best use SAP to capture your daily metrics as they relate to production statistics, equipment availability and any other identifiable key measurables;
- Identify opportunities to automate the process for this capture using the tools that Illumiti has already implemented for similar companies;
- Identify dashboards that help maximize the benefit of your assets (availability and performance) and determine operating costs per key metric; and
- Prioritize problem management and continuous improvement activities that help your company focus its efforts and resources on the most significant metrics affecting performance and productivity.

### Customized to Your Needs

Our workshops are customized to meet your needs. Each workshop is a collaborative process – involving in-depth discussions between our experts and the members of your management team. We learn about your systems and processes as well as your long term vision and then we work together with your team to build a roadmap that will help you achieve your short-term and long-term objectives.

**Illumiti is a Systems Integration and Management Consulting company. We enable customers to realize their vision by leveraging SAP technology, people, and leading business practices. Since its founding, Illumiti has developed a reputation for delivering successful customer projects faster, smarter and leaner.**

#### Quick Facts

- 2-day Business Intelligence workshop
- Collaborative discussion with your management team
- Receive a roadmap summarizing the current state of your BI, your vision and how to get there
- Illumiti is an SAP® gold channel partner and market leader
- Awarded the SAP® Business All-in-One Partner of the Year, Canada – 3 years running

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Each workshop is conducted at your office and led by a seasoned consultant with over 15 years of experience working with small and mid-sized businesses throughout North America. Throughout the discussions, we will share our experience and the leading practices.

## A Four-Step Approach



Our Business Intelligence workshop includes 4 key steps: assessment of BI assets, understanding your vision, review of best practices and building an action plan.

**1) Assess Your BI Assets:** During this stage, we will assess how your company is currently using business intelligence to uncover new operational efficiencies and to make smarter decisions based on real-time exception and conditional reporting. We will also examine the sophistication of your current Business Intelligence systems. As part of this assessment, we will determine whether the relevant data and metrics have been collected and defined to enable the implementation of a BI strategy. At the conclusion of this step, we will produce a summary of the current business intelligent processes of your company.

**2) Understand Your Vision:** We will work with you to identify a solution that enables your company to easily access, consolidate and present relevant information whenever and wherever you need it. Our solution will enable you to better understand your business and provide the information you need to act quickly and confidently, and achieve remarkable results. The deliverable from this step will be a definition of the data and metrics required and a concrete set of achievable BI objectives.

**3) Review Best Practices:** We review BI best practices that we have implemented with other similar companies. As part of this discussion, we will demonstrate both SAP and Illumiti BI best practices and present a BI solution that will help you start meeting the objectives described above.

**4) Build Action Plan:** Together, we will explore areas of opportunity and provide a documented action plan that will enable you to improve your BI assets and realize your vision. We will leverage best practices, and identify gaps that need to be addressed in your BI strategy.

## A Comprehensive Roadmap

Upon completing the workshop, your management team will receive a summary report, articulating your current situation, your vision for the future and a concrete roadmap for how to get there. The roadmap will include:

- A description of the underlying data/metrics required in SAP or any other external system(s) that will be required to provide the basis of the BI environment that will be constructed, including any recommendations on what will be needed to prepare your company for this. This will include the configuration steps (if required) as well as a list of any interfaces that can be leveraged from best practices.
- A document inventorying all the reports/dashboards using best practices that will need to be implemented using this data, with a description of the particular metrics and associated conditions and exceptions.

## Optimize your operations with Illumiti and SAP

- Do you continue to track statistics using spreadsheets?
- Are you finding yourself overwhelmed by information?
- Do all of your systems work together to connect the dots and provide you with insights?
- Do you spend more time building reports than actually analyzing them and making decisions?

Today, your success depends on your ability to process information and make smart decisions. Let us help you build the solutions you need to lower your costs, increase production and maximize your profits.

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