

# Toad Business Intelligence Suite

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## Many roads lead to data insights





### Customer behavioral insights

### EXAMPLE:

Why is Product X more popular with teenagers vs. middle age men?



Simple data recording and tracking

EXAMPLE: How many customers & products do l have?

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Logical storage

EXAMPLE: How many sales reps sell Product X vs. Product Y?



interactivity for KPIs

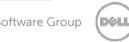
EXAMPLE: How many of Product X have I sold in US vs. UK in the last quarter?

EXAMPLE:

How will monsoons impact my sales in Indonesia and parts availability from my suppliers next quarter?

**Predictions** based

on trends



## Why BI projects Fail





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## A balanced approach is required



Fast, easy & agile

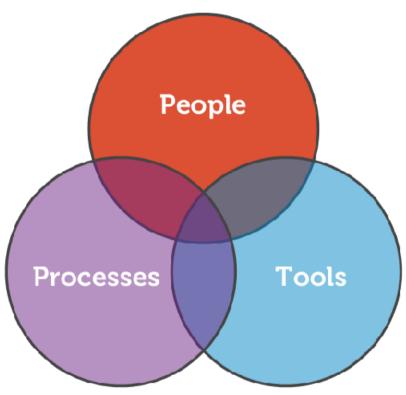


Holistic & governed



Flexible & complementary





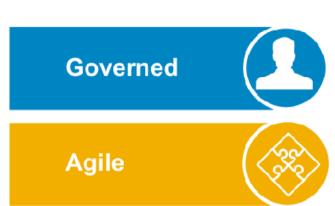


Our vision:
Provide rapid
business insights
and value without
compromising IT
governance



## Toad BI Suite





Tailored for two types of analysts: the data-focused Analytic Provisioner and the LoB-focused Analytic Consumer.

Snaps into your current environment with self-service data mash-ups providing nearly limitless connectivity.



Collaboration platform that empowers Business Analyst teams to work seamlessly together.



Drives more value from existing Data Architectures by empowering self-service BI across heterogeneous data environment.



## Dell's Agile Business Intelligence Solution





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### **Presentation Layer**

Share Storyboards via the web



### **Analyst Tools**

Toad Decision Point
Data Discovery & Visualization



Toad Data Point Querying, Data Prep & Analytics



#### **Direct Data Access**

Toad Intelligence Central Self-service data integration

Data mash-ups across multiple sources

**Collaboration server** 



#### **Data Sources**

RDBMS
Oracle, SQL Server,
DB2, Sybase, MySQL,
ODBC

Big Data
Hadoop, Cassandra,
MongoDB, Dynamo
DB, other NoSQL

**Data warehouses**Dell QSDW, Teradata,
Greenplum, Netezza,
Redshift

**Desktop** Excel, Access, files

**Cloud apps**Salesforce.com

BI sources Business Objects, Oracle BI Enterprise, MS Analysis Services

## Toad Business Intelligence Suite





Big Data Cloud and NoSQL sources, Salesforce, Hadoop



Corporate BI layers OBIEE, BO, MS Cubes



Excel spreadsheets



Traditional RDBMS Oracle, SQL Server, DB2

- Provides deep business insights
- Increases business users' and IT's productivity



Toad® Intelligence Central

Connect to any data source

### Toad® Decision Point





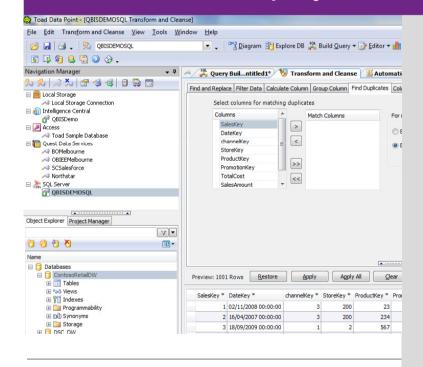
Toad® Data Point

## Key features

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### Toad Data Point – Rapidly access, integrate and provision data



#### Rapid provisioning of data

- Simplifies data integration with cross platform SQL queries
- Easily transform and cleanse data from your desktop
- Compare and sync data between different data sources
- Share views, snapshots and data sets with other users

#### Drag and drop query development

- Visually create queries and understand database relationships
- Develop advanced cross platform queries with drag and drop UI

#### **Built-in analytics, reporting and visualizations**

- Navigate interactive data visualizations or design professional charts
- Access advanced mathematical and statistical functions through SQL

#### **Automate**

\* Automate and schedule frequent workflows and tasks

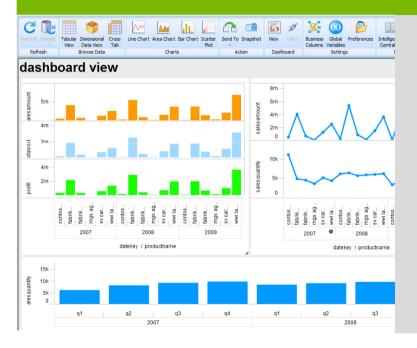
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## Key features



## Toad Decision Point – Self service BI for everyone



#### Improves productivity

- Easy to use and easy to get started
- Enables self-service data integration without need from IT. Easy to group, aggregate and manipulate data
- Intuitive drag and drop graphical interface

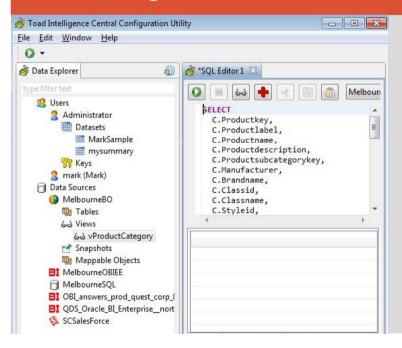
#### Faster time to insight

- Tabular, dimensional and graphical views speeds analysis and reporting
- Interactive charting and powerful yet simple visualizations
- Incorporates visual analytics such as forecasting
- Enables sharing of analyses and storyboards via web or tablet app.

## Key features



### Toad Intelligence Central – Virtual data integration and collaboration layer



#### Virtual data mash-ups

- Enables self-service data integration by accessing directly data sources
- Provides data mash-ups without the need of moving data
- Incorporates a patent pending federated query engine which allows processing of cross-platform queries.

#### Collaboration server

- Allows Toad Data Point and Toad Decision Point users to share virtual views, data sets, and snapshots.
- Enables storyboard sharing and remote access through tablet app.
- Manages users and security.

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# Toad Data Point Demo



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#### CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY



### Challenge

The ongoing need to extract meaningful information from multiple databases and different data sources created a bottleneck for the four-person BI department responsible for supporting 200 faculty and full-time staff. Additionally, the BI team was tasked with working with an outside vendor to access, analyze and provision of data for online students, which wasn't readily available. Needed to provide other external contractors and internal teams with access to relevant data sources in order to produce a variety of reports and analysis was equally problematic.

#### Results

Toad BI Suite enables Concordia to provide the right tool for the right user, which improves productivity for both technical and non-technical users, while still adhering to governance requirements. Toad Business Intelligence Suite further provides the university with a BI tool that connects to any data source, including the college's Oracle Banner system, MySQL CRM, Blackboard data warehouse and Salesforce application.







"Toad BI had pretty much everything I was looking for in a self-service BI tool. Toad BI Suite is unique in the sense that my different users have lots of options. For the more technical data consumers, I enable them to provision data, make changes and run reports on demand. For the less-technical, business consumers, it's super easy for them to browse and visualize data without having the ability to make changes. With Toad BI, I have a single solution for everything that comes up."

Rebekah Anderson Director of Business Intelligence, Concordia University







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