

A Brief Introduction of Microsoft's BI Tool

What is Power BI

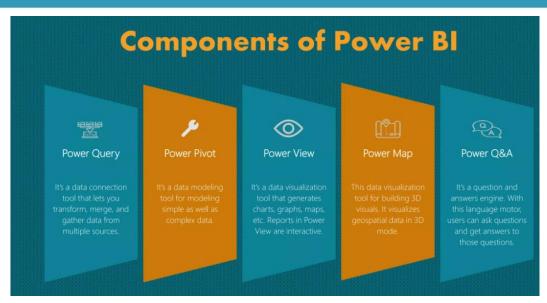


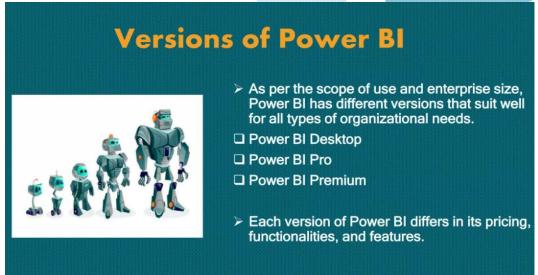
- Microsoft's flagship BI tool, Power BI is one of the most powerful data visualization software.
- First Introduced in 2015, it has ever since evolved as a top-level platform helping multi-sized businesses to transform their raw data into valuable information.
- The BI competencies of Power BI allows the users to build visually stunning interactive reports and dashboards.
- Over the years, Power BI has proved to be an extremely reliable business intelligence platform that excels in visualization and data analysis by offering better speed, efficiency, and supreme understanding.
- According to Microsoft, more than 5 million subscribers are embracing Power BI for modern business intelligence.





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A modern alternative to spreadsheet reporting



What does Power BI do

- Microsoft Power BI creates reports and surface insights based on organizational data. It connects a wide range of data sources and streamlines the gathered data for a better understanding.
- By spotting and analyzing data patterns, Power BI helps organizations point out past happenings, keep a tab on present on goings, and look ahead into future insights.

What is the need for Power BI

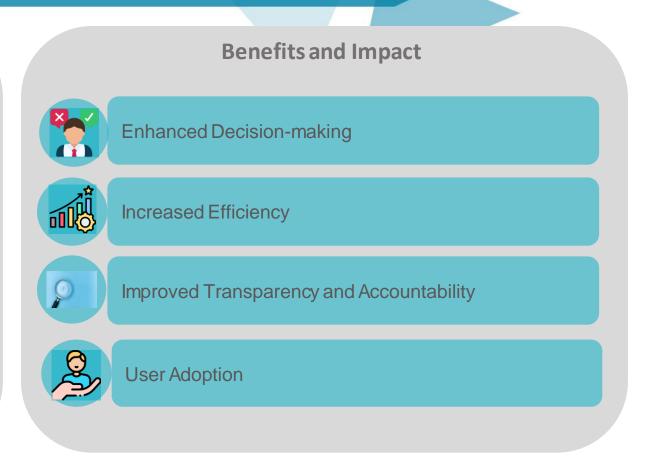
- Power BI allows you to access the data and create dashboard and reports at one go with just a few clicks. This helps
 in gaining new insights and managing the existing development data in the smoothest manner.
- It is also an easy way to track current growth and then plan future goals accordingly. In a nutshell, it is an ultimate business intelligence tool to make better decisions.
- We can easily import Excel workbooks that contain Power Query queries and Power Pivot models into Power BI
 Desktop. It then automatically creates reports and visualizations based on the Excel workbook. Once imported, we
 can continue to improve and refine those reports with Power BI Desktop.





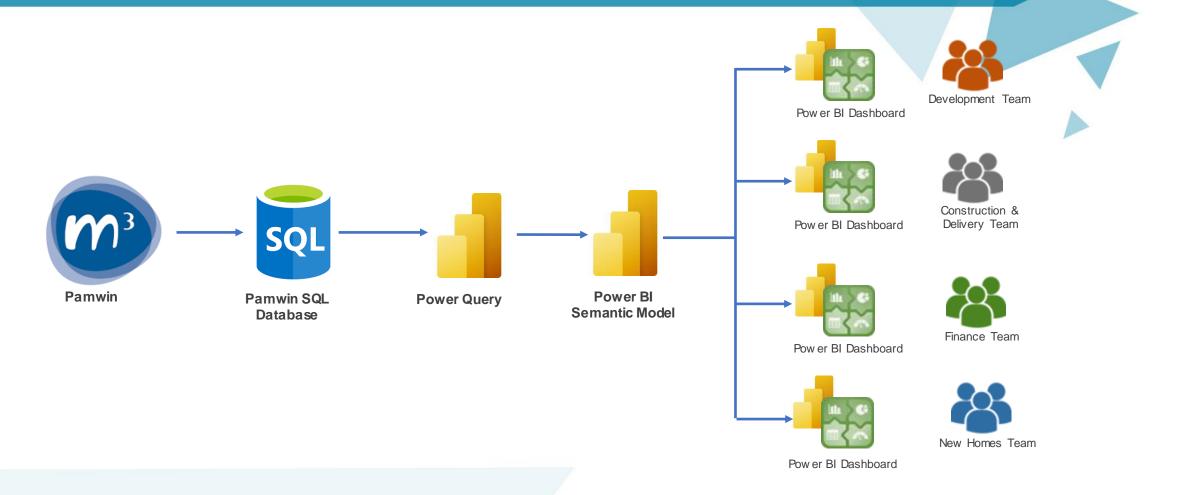
Overview of Power BI at Stonewater

Implementation Real-Time Data Monitoring Interactive Dashboards **Automated Reporting Integration Across Departments**





Power BI Implementation in Stonewater





Information sharing and collaboration among Stonewater users

Power BI Service :

- Publish reports to the Power BI service for easy access.
- Use the Power BI web portal for distribution reports across the organization.

Sharing Links :

- Share reports via direct links.
- Control who can view and interact with the reports by adjusting link permissions.

Embedding Reports :

- Embed reports in applications, websites, or SharePoint.
- Allows seamless integration with other tools.

Exporting Reports:

- Exporting reports to PDF, PowerPoint, or Excel for offline sharing.
- Useful for presenting in meetings or sharing with external stakeholders.

Comments and Annotations:

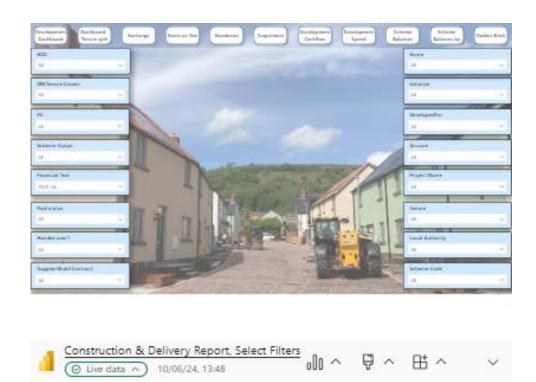
- Add comments directly on reports to discuss insights with team members.
- Tag colleagues in comments to notify them.

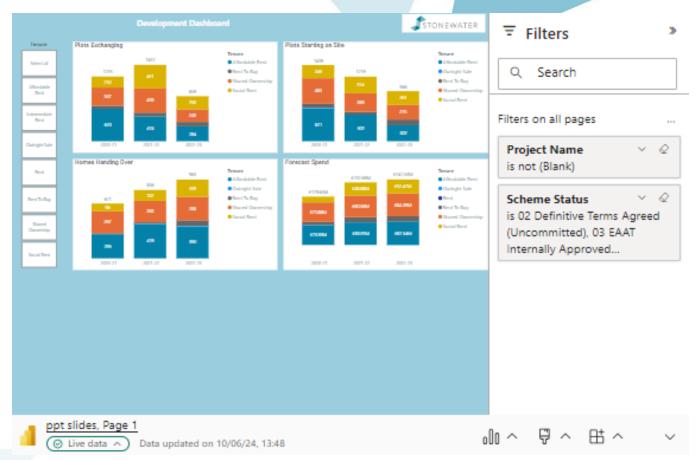
Data Alerts:

- Set up data alerts to notify users of important changes or thresholds.
- Helps keep team members informed about critical metrics in real-time.



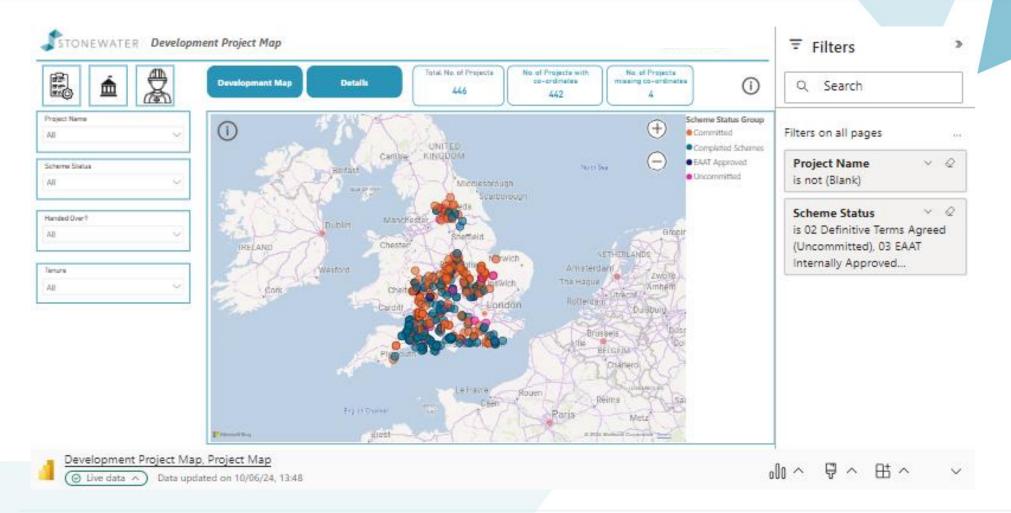
Development Dashboard







Development Project Map





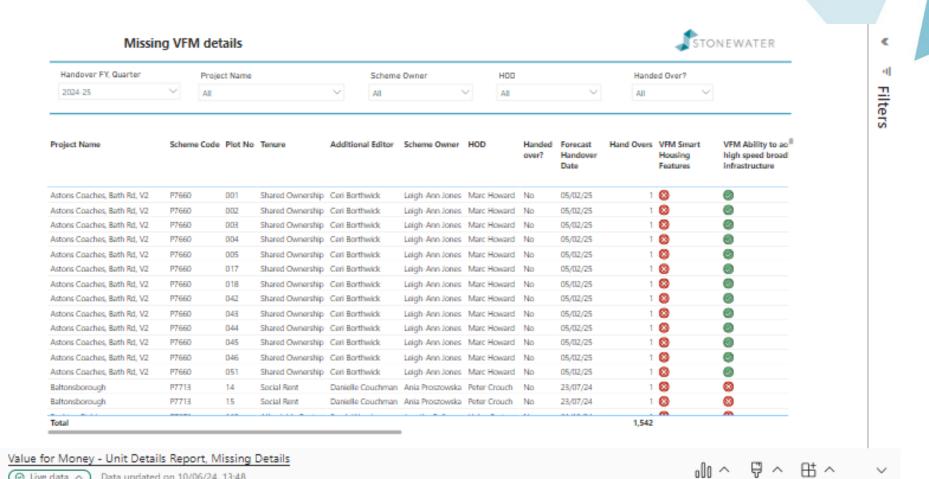
Development Map – Urban/Rural Classification





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Mobile Dashboard



Power BI offers a set of mobile apps for iOS and Android mobile devices



Next Steps

#	Action	Owner
1	Provision of forecast capitalized interest calculation data	m3
2	Pamwin version 4 views testing	Stonewater



Questions & Discussion



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