



Automating Data Integration Processes
Elevating Excel® as an Enterprise Solution

Introduction

Organizations struggle with the manual process of combining data from different internal and/or third-party data sources into a master database or file to run monthly reports. Not only is this monthly routine time consuming, but it's error prone—mistakes are easy to make when cutting and pasting from one file to another, and it's a challenge to manipulate the data to get it into the right format for reporting.

Furthermore, it's not unusual for Management to occasionally request a custom or ad hoc report. This could require finding and adding new data to the master database or file, adding additional work to an already painfully manual process.



Data Integration Challenges

- Manual coping and pasting
- Painful ad hoc reporting
- No real-time collaboration
- Difficulty maintaining file versions
- No control over the data

Data Integration Solutions

- Automated data integration
- Quick & easy ad hoc reporting
- Real-time collaboration
- Managed historical data
- Full control over the data

Integrating Data - Supporting Your Business Objectives

Scarsin's i2e (Integrated Insight Environment) platform leverages a streamlined process for not just automating the integration of all your source data, whether it be internal or third-party, but defining the data in such a way that it supports your business objectives.



Our solution sits next to traditional ETL, data warehouse or data lake solutions, providing an optimized data integration suite specifically for your forecasting and insight reporting initiatives.

Our Data Integration experts help our customers develop a roadmap based on their business framework on how to effectively manage their data in a more automated fashion. In this roadmap, we will determine the most efficient and effective method for configuring i2e to meet your business objectives. We leverage proven best practices that have been established over more than a decade of integrating disparate data sources.

Scarsin's Data Integration Platform includes:

1) Data Control

One of the major challenges that many Report Analysts face is their lack of control over the data. i2e gives your Report Analysts that control, eliminating their reliance on IT to 'pull' the data they need. By giving your Report Analysts the ability to get the data they need when they need it, i2e promotes a sense of autonomy and efficiency.

2) Data Definition

Having the ability to define data in the context of your business requirements through custom views provides faster and more efficient access to the data. Ad hoc report requests can easily be generated on demand and then updated as many times as you need, in addition to the regular monthly, quarterly or annual reports.

3) Data Consolidation

Whether you're consolidating five data sources from 10 departments or 50 data sources from 100 departments, i2e consolidates the relevant data quickly so you can spend more of your time generating both standard and custom/ad hoc reports.

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4) Collaboration

i2e is highly collaborative, making it the ideal data integration choice for teams or departments that want to distribute the data integration responsibilities among their resources or completely off-load the process to Scarsin's Data Integration experts. This frees up more time and resources that can be channeled into producing more insightful reports (yes, this is done within the i2e platform as well) or other high value activities.

Enterprise Security

i2e is SOC 2 Type 2 Certified and a Microsoft® Gold Application development partner. i2e is hosted in Scarsin's private cloud and its architecture has been designed for high performance, availability and security, ensuring enterprise-level confidence at every level of the organization.

Business Friendly Tools

As a Microsoft Gold Application Development Partner, i2e leverages Microsoft® Office, SQL and Windows Server and cloud-based Azure and Power BI, to offer business users an extremely familiar experience.

People + Process + Platform = Success

Give back control of your data to your Report Analysts. To find out more about the i2e platform and how it can streamline your data integration processes, contact Scarsin at info@scarsin.com today.

ABOUT SCARSIN

Scarsin is a software development company with 13+ years of experience specializing in enterprise-class forecasting. In addition to a blue chip client roster, Scarsin's Integrated Insight Environment (i2e) enables global teams to establish a plan, monitor execution with ongoing business data refreshes and adjust rapidly to changing business realities. Forecasting, reporting and sharing information across departments, regions and countries is seamless.



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