IBM Cognos Analytics V11.1 adds AI-powered capabilities to enhance business intelligence insights and reporting

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Overview

IBM Cognos Analytics V11.1 enhances the efficiency and capabilities of business users, report authors, and administrators alike through a simplification of and the graduated nature of its user experience. The solution offers more capabilities by allowing users to reduce or eliminate IT intervention for many previous tasks. This gives users more self-service options and ultimately advances the analytic expertise of the enterprise. In the past, users might have utilized a range of different tools to accomplish similar goals. They can now capture insights more efficiently through a guided experience that interprets their intent and supports them with a suggested path, leading where they want to go.

Cognos Analytics V11.1 helps you do the following:

- Improve the spectrum and confidence of reporting while using trusted and curated data from existing sources.
- Reuse content from others and share personal insights at the scale-of-the-business without time-consuming migration.
- Use hybrid cloud capabilities by working from on-premises and cloud deployments while accessing dozens of data sources (on-premises and cloud-based).

IBM Db2 technology offers significantly increased data protection, scalability, and performance for all of its database-intensive operations. It is designed to manage data more effectively and efficiently. Greater availability is delivered through enhancements such as online, automated database reorganization. In addition, the increased scalability and the capability to leverage current server technology helps deliver increased performance of backup and recovery processes.

Key prerequisites

The solution is designed to be easily deployed in a variety of environments. See the Hardware requirements and Software requirements sections for details.

Planned availability date

November 23, 2018
Accessibility by people with disabilities

A US Section 508 Accessibility Compliance Report containing details on accessibility compliance can be found on the Product accessibility information website.

Product positioning

Cognos Analytics V11.1 is designed for small and large organizations that seek to capture collective intelligence across their business ecosystems, analyze decisions from both past and present, and improve future outcomes.

Statement of general direction

Support for the following features and products will not be continued after the current release:

- **Collaboration**
  - IBM Connections™ 5.0
  - IBM Connections 4.5
- **Content Manager**
  - IBM Db2 Advanced Enterprise Server Edition 10.5
  - IBM Db2 Advanced Workgroup Server Edition 10.5
  - IBM Db2 Enterprise Server Edition 10.5
  - IBM Db2 Express Edition 10.5
  - IBM Db2 Workgroup Server Edition 10.5
  - IBM Db2 for z/OS®, V11.1
- **Data Dictionary**
  - InfoSphere™ Information Server 11.3
- **Database**
  - IBM Db2 Advanced Enterprise Server Edition 10.5
  - IBM Db2 Advanced Workgroup Server Edition 10.5
  - IBM Db2 Enterprise Server Edition 10.5
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  - IBM Db2 Workgroup Server Edition 10.5
  - IBM Db2 for z/OS, V11.1
  - EXASOL EXASolution 4.2
  - EXASOL EXASolution 4.2.3
  - Vertica 7.1
  - Vertica 7.2.0
  - Vertica 8.0
  - Teradata 15
- **Operating Systems**
  - Red Hat Enterprise Linux® (RHEL) Server 7.1
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Specified operating environment

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Planning information
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