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#### **Analytics Transformation**

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TALKING POINTS WHO ARE WE WHAT WE DO STRATEGIES & CONSIDERATIONS Who Are We



#### **Our Clients**



#### Analytics – An Introduction



### BUSINESS INSIDER

The Incredible Story Of How Target Exposed A Teen Girl's Pregnancy

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Target broke through to a new level of customer tracking with the help of statistical genius Andrew Pole, according to a New York Times Magazine cover story by Charles Duhigg.

Pole identified 25 products that when purchased together indicate a women is likely pregnant. The value of this information was that Target could send coupons to the pregnant woman at an



expensive and habit-forming period of her life.

Plugged into Target's customer tracking technology, Pole's formula was a beast. Once it even exposed a teen girl's pregnancy:

[A] man walked into a Target outside Minneapolis and demanded to see the manager. He was clutching coupons that had been sent to his daughter, and he was angry, according to an employee who participated in the conversation.

"My daughter got this in the mail!" he said. "She's still in high school, and you're sending her coupons for baby clothes and cribs? Are you trying to encourage her

#### Analytics – Maturity & Levels

#### 70%

Level 1 Descriptive Analytics

What has happened? Hypothesis and **experience** driven You don't know what you do not know 16%

Level 2 Predictive Analytics

What may or might happen? Hypothesis **neutral** & experience enhanced Uncovers what you do not know

Report & Visualisation of Insights, Reactive Predictive & Forecasting Insights Proactive 3%

Level 3 Prescriptive Analytics

What can or should we do about it to achieve **optimal** outcome? Logic driven & experience enhanced

> **Optimisation** of Insights, Active Management

#### Machine Learning is ...

an algorithm that can learn from data without relying on rules-based programming.

a subfield of computer science and artificial intelligence which deals with building systems that can learn from data, instead of explicitly programmed instructions.

#### Statistical Modelling is ...

formalization of relationships between variables in the form of mathematical equations.

a subfield of mathematics which deals with finding relationship between variables to predict an outcome

### **Statistical Modelling & Machine Learning**

Statistical model is all about getting a simple formulation of a frontier in a classification model problem. Here we see a non linear boundary which to some extent separates risky people from non-risky people.

But when we see the contours generated by Machine Learning algorithm, we witness that statistical modelling is no way comparable for the problem in hand to the Machine Learning algorithm. The contours of machine learning seems to capture all patterns beyond any boundaries of linearity or even continuity of the boundaries. This is what Machine Learning can do for you.

#### Value at risk from customer churn, telecom example



# Is Analytics an Exercise in Model Building?

#### **Analytics Value Chain**



#### **Analytics – Common Challenges**



- Tasked with doing Analytics but don't know where to start
- Tactical "knee jerk" analytics
- Let's do what others are doing



- POC galore: Successful POC's that end there (nowhere)
- Creation of a sustainable analytical culture (the mind-set towards it)
- Data governance (not technology)



- Technology
   misalignment
- Non end user driven analytics project



- Developing existing staff skills (and what skills are required)
- Development of 'analytics' team for inhouse capabilities
- Retention, Structure, Career Path, etc.

### **Analytics Maturity Map**

		Analytic Maturity Stages				
		1. Analytics Nascent	2. Analytics Aspirer	3. Analytics Novice	4. Analytics Enterprise	5. Analytics Visionary
Analytic Maturity Domain	Analytics People	<ul> <li>Gut based decision</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Analytics awareness</li> <li>Use analysis to validate gut</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Tactical Decision</li> <li>Some analytics skills</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Support strategic decision</li> <li>Data scientists</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Drives strategy</li> <li>Chief analytics or data officer</li> </ul>
	Analytics Structure & Process	• None	<ul> <li>Ad-hoc departmental initiatives</li> <li>No analytics vision or roadmap</li> <li>Dependent on others for report and analysis</li> <li>No use case priority nor funding</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Capabilities &amp; process</li> <li>Problem solving driven</li> <li>Limited self service reporting</li> <li>Analysis vs reporting</li> <li>Organisation KPIs</li> <li>Some departmental</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>BACC &amp; organization structure, definitions &amp; process</li> <li>Innovation driven</li> <li>Business participate as data stewards &amp; project owners</li> <li>Analytics driven KPIs</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Mature BACC &amp; analytics organisation</li> <li>Analytics community of practice</li> <li>Objective focused &amp; prevention driven KPIs</li> </ul>
	Analytics Technology	• Spreadsheet	<ul> <li>Standard report</li> <li>Limited adhoc report</li> <li>Data store with few enterprise data</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Adhoc reporting</li> <li>Dashboards, limited self service</li> <li>More data added &amp; strengthen data model</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Visualistion, self service</li> <li>Data exploration</li> <li>Predictive &amp; forecasting capabilities</li> <li>Data, applications, analytics &amp; skills specialisations</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Optimisation</li> <li>Social media</li> <li>Unstructured data capability</li> <li>High performance in DB computing</li> </ul>
	Analytics Data	• Silo • No data quality	<ul><li> Spreadsheet marts</li><li> Data quality awareness</li><li> Limited data governance</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Data mart, modeler</li> <li>Data dictionary</li> <li>Tier 1 data governance</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Integrated data views</li> <li>Tier 2 data governance</li> <li>Advanced data stewards</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Embedded analytics</li> <li>Data as strategic corporate assets</li> </ul>
	Analytics Impact	<ul> <li>No direct ROI measures</li> <li>Frustrated line users</li> <li>IT focus</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Limited ROI measures</li> <li>Visibility on past performance &amp; analysis</li> <li>Unable to operationalize analytics</li> <li>IT focus</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Occasional analytics benefit</li> <li>Unable to operationlise analytics</li> <li>IT focus</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Proactive decision management</li> <li>Pre-emptive service &amp; risk management model</li> <li>IT enabled, innovation &amp; Organisation transformation focus</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Analytics as a competitive differentiating capabilities</li> <li>Transformed organization, innovation, proactive &amp; possibilities driven</li> </ul>

Required Roles & Functionalities of an Analytics Organisation



#### **Business Units**

- The above functions are critical for successful analytics adoption
- There is no "one-size-fits-all" organisation structure as each organisation adopts a structure that best suits their existing operations and culture
- The experience and learning gained from the recommended first 6 months will help determine the organisation structure for adoption

#### **Organisation Considerations**



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