



## ProClarity and Microsoft BI

### ProClarity expands the capabilities of the Microsoft platform

ProClarity and Microsoft have a close, strategic partnership and are continually bringing to market the most powerful and cost-effective business intelligence (BI) solutions. With a solution development team driven by constant innovation, ProClarity continues to be the leading provider of world-renowned BI solutions on the Microsoft platform. Together, we are focused on delivering next generation, enterprise-ready reporting and analytic solutions that are:

- Simple for IT to deploy and manage, and simple for people to use
- Adaptable to meet sophisticated reporting, analytic and deployment requirements
- Powerful in delivering key business insight
- A fraction of the cost of competing solutions

#### Microsoft SQL Server

##### **SQL Server Analysis Services**

ProClarity Analytics 6 provides simple to use, powerful ad-hoc analytic capabilities for data in SQL Server Analysis Services (2000 and 2005). ProClarity allows decision makers to easily navigate and understand information enabling powerful insights into large amounts of

data. The ProClarity solution adapts well to unique technical environments and to the unique needs of diverse end users. ProClarity enhances the power of SQL Server Analysis Services with simple data navigation, unique advanced visualizations, centrally managed business logic, central metadata management and flexible security.

##### **SQL Server Reporting Services**

ProClarity helps to simplify the creation of Reporting Services reports and expands the capabilities of the report by establishing a powerful connection between reporting and analytics. With a simple mouse click, business users can gain a better understanding of their reports. Using ProClarity Analytics 6, report authors can easily convert a ProClarity analytic data view into a report definition language (RDL) file. The RDL file is used to create an OLAP report without having to open Visual Studio, saving time and effort. Reporting Services reports can also be integrated into ProClarity Dashboards which can pass parameters back into Reporting Services reports, maintaining context while decision makers investigate data.



## Microsoft Office

### SharePoint Portal Server

ProClarity for SharePoint Portal Server offers a robust portal solution with embedded analytics to deliver a central access point for enterprise information. ProClarity for SharePoint Portal Server makes it simple to display analytic views within a SharePoint Portal.

Decision makers gain productivity with at-a-glance knowledge of key business performance metrics. Business analysts publish ProClarity views in the SharePoint Portal Server and share them with others, delivering powerful, tailored analytics through Web parts. ProClarity data views in SharePoint can include as much or as little analytic horsepower as required—from static data views to full interactivity.

### Excel

ProClarity Live Server enables organizations to integrate multiple data sources within the familiar Excel environment. IT centrally maintains persistent connections to multiple data sources natively in Excel without physically moving the data. End users can utilize the full functionality of Excel to analyze, monitor and report data. Live Server enables IT to gain centralized control over Excel while providing decision makers with information they want in a format in which they are comfortable.

ProClarity Business Reporter for Excel enables business users to export live OLAP data into Excel. Users can create sophisticated spreadsheet models that maintain live data feeds, or build high-quality, formatted business reports in Excel with little or no administrative overhead.

### PowerPoint

ProClarity provides the ability to automatically export live, interactive ProClarity views into PowerPoint, which is great for answering questions on the fly and ensuring the most up-to-date information is delivered in every presentation.

### Business Scorecard Manager

ProClarity expands the capabilities of Microsoft Business Scorecard Manager by adding analysis tools that are simple to use and administer. ProClarity provides zero-footprint analytics within Business Scorecard Manager. End users can quickly move from monitoring data in a scorecard to analyzing root causes. This powerful connection between monitoring performance and uncovering underlying trends in the data leads to better decision making and a more successful overall scorecard solution.

## A complete BI solution

ProClarity and Microsoft together offer a comprehensive suite of products that meet the requirements of diverse business intelligence solutions. From a powerful data model in SQL Server 2005 to simple-to-use interfaces with ProClarity, you can support the unique needs of your organization. ProClarity and Microsoft offer robust BI solutions that provide decision makers with the information they need and free IT from the continually revolving reporting treadmill.

## For more information

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