Case Study

Operations Analytics Using Visual BI Extensions (VBX)

Industry
Consumer Goods

Location
Switzerland

Function
Operations

Challenges
- Ineffective legacy reporting for tracking sales personnel performance across geographies and timeframes
- Lack of interactive & dynamic visualizations to slice and dice data captured in Salesforce
- Manual reporting processes required 16+ executive hours per week (Sr. Manager & VP)

Objective
- 80% of BI content to be authored by business users
- 20% of total effort at the most must be spent on data preparation

Customer is a global edible products manufacturer with presence in 19 countries, with 60 manufacturing centres and 103 distribution centres worldwide

Implemented an analytics solution that tracked 20+ Operational KPIs across Operations, Safety, Quality & Maintenance

Leveraged advanced components from Visual BI Extensions (VBX) such as Single Axis Charts, Multi-Axis Charts, Menu, Print, Custom Label, Gauges and more

Results Delivered
- Centralized, governed, secured, scalable BI
- Data latency - 1 Day/Real-time
- Business self-reliance
- Lean, immediate insights in-context
- Time Granularity - Daily/Weekly
- Ad-hoc exploration, deeper insights, living storylines
- Data Prep Time for the Analyst - Significant

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VBX accelerated time-to-value for dashboards
“Our company used VBX extensions to build a high impact analytics solutions with greater development efficiency and flexibility. The rich set of graphical options that this product offers is simply remarkable.”

- Director, Enterprise Information Management