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# Power BI Online Training

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*Power BI ဆိုသည်မှာ*

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# Introduction

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## Objective

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# Power BI ဆိုတာ ဘာလဲ

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- BI stands for Business Intelligence
- Business Analytics Service of Microsoft
- Power BI Desktop Free
- Integrate with Office 365
- Connect, Transform, Analytics, Visualize, Share
- And many other developer options...

# Power BI History

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2010 : originally conceived by Thierry D'Hers and Amir Netz of the SQL Server Reporting Services Team at Microsoft

2010 : Project Crescent , designed by Ron George

2011 : Initially available for public download bundled with SQL Server Codename Denali.

2013 : Later renamed to Power BI for Office 365

based on the [Microsoft Excel](#)–based add-ins: Power Query, [Power Pivot](#) and Power View

2015 : Power BI was first released to the general public



# Power BI ကိုဘယ်သူတွေသုံးမလဲ

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- First of their aim was Business Users
- Later it was widely use by General Public for Reporting and Data Analytics
- Office365 Users
- Power BI Service use by work email for free



# Power BI Eco System

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Core, Power BI  
Specific

Core, Non-Power  
BI Specific

Non Core, Power  
BI Specific

Natively Integrated  
Microsoft  
Technology

The Extended  
Power BI Eco  
System



# Core, Power BI Specific

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## Power BI Desktop

- Free
- Support only Windows

## Power BI Service

- Work Email
- Software as a Service
- Originally Power BI for Office 365
- Some data sources can directly connect from Power BI Service



# Core, non-Power BI Specific

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## Power Query

- Microsoft Technology to connect data and transformation
- 100 different sources and transformation without code
- Also can get as a software

## Data Analysis Expressions (DAX)

- Programming language
- Functions, operators and constants to write formulas
- Similar to Excel Functions
- DAX is power BI Equivariant

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# Core, non-Power BI Specific

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## On-premises data gateway

- Gateway make access local data sources to Power BI service
- Personal Mode – Only Can Use with Power BI
- Enterprise Mode – Can use with Microsoft Flow, Power Apps...

## SSAS (Tabular)

- In memory-database
- Model the data with relational constructs such as Table and Relationships

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# Core, non-Power BI Specific

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## Microsoft App Source

- Marketplace for finding apps, add-ins and extensions...
- Custom visuals can available up there

# Non-core, Power BI Specific

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## Power BI Report Server

- On premise technology
- Superset of SSRS

## Power BI Embedded

- REST APIs
- To display visualization, reports, and dashboards
- Often used by Independent Software Vendors

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# Non-core, Power BI Specific

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## Power BI Mobile Applications

- Native Android, iOS and Windows phones
- Able to view the reports which published to Power BI Service

## Power BI for mixed reality

- Based on Power BI Mobile app
- Designed to work with HoloLens

# Natively Integrated Microsoft Technologies

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# The Extended Power BI Technologies

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APIs SDKs

Python

R

SVG

# Power BI License

## Power BI Free (Desktop is free, Service can register with work mail)

- 1GB for Dataset, 10GB for All – Eight Refresh Per day 30 minute interval

## Power BI Pro (\$9.99 per month)

- Capacity is same as Free except on premise gateway available
- Power BI Premium, Embedded, and Report Server still need account for each users

## Power BI Premium

- (Capacity based, monthly) (From \$5000 to \$80,000)

## Power BI Embedded

- (For Developer, hourly) (From \$750 to \$24000)

## Power BI Report Server

- (\$4000 - \$7000 percore)



# DAX vs Power Query M

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## Power Query

- Importing, Transforming, Shaping
- Pipeline Use

## DAX

- Data Analysis
- Row Level Security
- Similar to Excel Formula



# Power BI Minimum Requirements for Hardware

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- Windows 8.1 / Windows Server 2012 R2, or later
- .NET 4.6.2 or later
- Internet Explorer 11 or later
- Memory (RAM): At least 2 GB available, 4 GB or more recommended.
- Display: At least 1440x900 or 1600x900 (16:9) required. Lower resolutions such as 1024x768 or 1280x800 aren't supported, as certain controls (such as closing the startup screen) display beyond those resolutions.
- Windows display settings: If you set your display settings to change the size of text, apps, and other items to more than 100%, you may not be able to see certain dialogs that you must interact with to continue using Power BI Desktop. If you encounter this issue, check your display settings in Windows by going to Settings > System > Display, and use the slider to return display settings to 100%.
- CPU: 1 gigahertz (GHz) 64-bit (x64) processor or better recommended.