



# Treating Data as a Company Asset

- Why Business Leaders should care about data
- The Business Leader's role in data management

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# Introduction



# Did you know?

- In the next 60 minutes in the US
  - 251 businesses will have a suit, line or judgement
  - 246 business telephone numbers will change
  - 58 business addresses will change
  - 81 directorship (CEO, CFO etc) will change
  - 41 new businesses will open their door
  - 11 companies will change their name
  - 7 businesses will file for bankruptcy
- In a year
  - 21% of CEOs will change
  - 20% of all addresses will change
  - 18% of telephone numbers will change
  - 17% of business names will change

Business Data decays and therefore needs to be managed



# What Data should the firm manage?

## ■ Unstructured Data

- Documents
- Emails
- Web sites
- Institutional knowledge

## ■ Structured Data


- Databases

Not ALL data should be managed equally. A company must decide what/which/how/how long to manage its data based on

Criticality to the Business

Legal Obligations

Risk to the company



## Why is Data Mgmt is important to Business leaders?

- Regulations
  - Sarbanes Oxley
  - Privacy
- Employee and IT cost and productivity opportunities
- Data Quality impacts
  - Customer sat
  - Cost
- Capturing and Reusing Employee Knowledge
- Analytics
  - Customer Relationship Management
  - Security & Fraud
- End to End Re-engineering Initiatives  
CRM, ERP, e-Business

# Current state of data management

- **Managed from IT** (recent Gartner Group report)

Who is responsible for Data Quality at your company?

<input type="checkbox"/> CIO	30%
<input type="checkbox"/> IT	40%
<input type="checkbox"/> CEO	13%
<input type="checkbox"/> CFO	10%
<input type="checkbox"/> Every User	14%
<input type="checkbox"/> Data Quality org	36%

- **Limited budget or attention from business leaders**

- **Lack of confidence**

Price Waterhouse Global data mgmt survey: Has the company suffered significant problems , cost or losses in any area because of poor data

Quality?

**75% said YES !**



## 5 Truths of Data Management

- Data Management is an ongoing program
- Data issues are Business process Issues
- Hard to Fix , takes dedicated time & resources
- People/Organizations like to “own” their own data – but don’t want to do what it takes to steward the data for the entire company
- Requires Business, IT and operations
- Good data quality means different things to different people



## **What you should know about your companies data**

- Same data in multiple places== different formats, meaning, values
- Highest quality data source is usually unknown
- Data moves often from system to system == changes made, defects introduced
- Little data quality checking in most applications
- Data documentation is missing or lacking
- Little metrics, lots of myths
- Integration projects see the inconsistencies – usually late in the project

Leads to more complexity, resources, people and risk across the firm

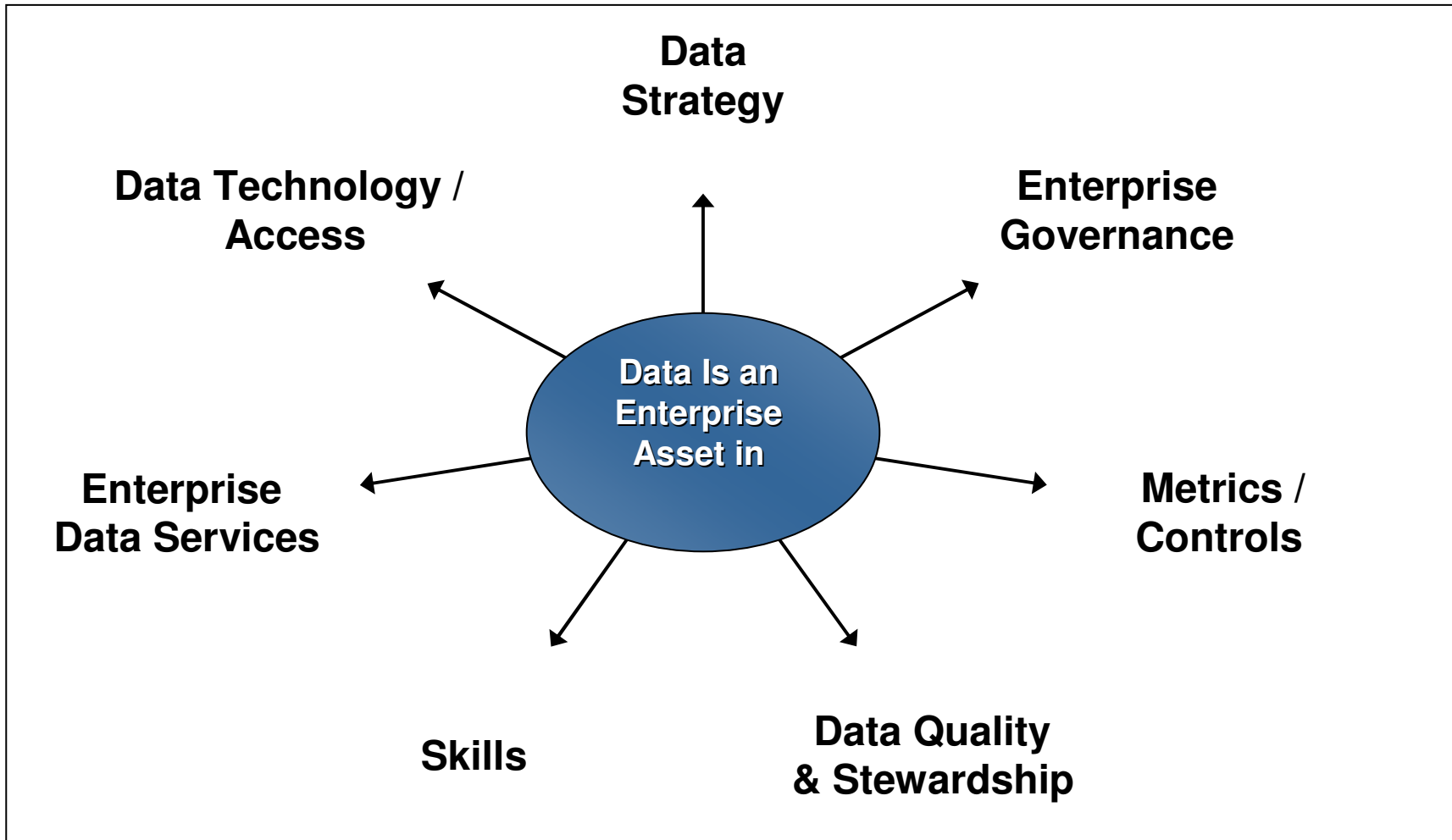




How to Fix it :

Treat data as a business asset

# Data as a Business Asset





# Establishing Metrics & Controls

- Data Quality Assessments
  - Timeliness
  - Accuracy
  - Validity
  - Completeness
  - Consistency
- Data Infrastructure
- Cost of Ownership (TCO)
- Re-use
- Data Asset Value
- Standards & Policies
  - Retension
  - Data Quality
  - Data Field Naming
  - Privacy
  - Security

Create a Balanced Scorecard

# Data Balanced Scorecard

Area	Objectives	Measurement	Current State
<b>Internal Perspective</b>			
IP1: Reduce Operational Costs through the Simplification the Data Landscape	1. Reduce database redundancy	1a: # of Production Physical Databases 1b: # of Production Logical Databases	
	2. Maximize utilization within databases	2: Storage space utilization rate	
	3. Reduce data element redundancy	3. # of data elements in Fannie Mae	
IP2: Manage the Critical Data	1. Identify Enterprise Critical Data Elements (ECDE)	1. % of ECDE's identification effort completed	
	2. Identify trusted sources of ECDE	2.% of ECDE's with identified trusted sources	
IP3: Establish Control of Data	1. Data Governance structure established	1a: ED Steering Committee fully engaged 1b: ED Stewardship Council fully engaged 1c: Domain Stewards named	
	2. Ensure databases are properly documented	2: # of data models in the Enterprise MetaData Repository (EMR)	
	3a. Data policies and procedures established	3a: # of Enterprise Data Standards approved  3b: % of monitored compliance with data standards	
IP4: Measure and Improve Data Quality	1. Establish data quality measures	1. Enterprise Data Quality assessment	
	2. Reduce the number of open DB Mods	2. # of open DQ-related data corrections (DB Mods)	

Area	Objectives
<b>Financial Perspective</b>	
Data for Financial Close	

<b>External Perspective</b>	
EP1: Regulatory Compliance	1. Meet all regulatory requirements related to data

<b>Learning &amp; Growth Perspective</b>	
L1: Recruit and retain highly skilled workforce	1. Retain best qualified staff
L2: Organizational awareness	2. Formal data management training



# New Emerging Roles

## ■ Chief Data Officer

- VP or higher
- Reports to COO, CFO, CEO or CIO
- Leads development and execution of data strategy, architecture
- Establishes standards and policies
- Responsible for Data Quality program
- Chairs data governance forums

## ■ Business Data Steward

- VP or director
- Reports into business function
- Represents business data issues and requirements
- Matrixed to CDO
- Identifies critical data
- Drives data mgmt across the function
- Drives data quality across the function

## Data Center of Excellence

Consolidated data services

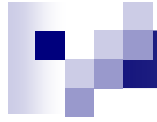
High Impact data warehouses



# Technology

- Enterprise Meta Data
- Databases
- KM tools
- Reporting Tools
- Document management tools
- Data Quality tools

Business Intelligence Category is growing - Niche vendors are consolidating  
(IBM, SAP, HP)



# How and where to start

- Hierachy of needs



# Getting Senior Mgmt Commitment

- Align Data Strategy to Corp business strategy
- Leverage a crisis
- Align data project to business re-engineering initiative (CRM, ERP, Lean six sigma
- Make information a “utility service”
- Have a senior mgmt sponsor





# 10 Keys to data mgmt Success

1. Start at the top
2. Integrate enterprise data management into overall company business strategy and process
3. Deploy in stages
4. Communicate and educate
5. Set realistic, measurable milestones and success metrics
6. Get talent
7. Keep your data allies close and your data enemies closer
8. Dispel data myths with data facts
9. Change the data management culture
10. Governance is critical



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