

# MS 10989: Analyzing Data with Power BI

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**Length:** 14 Hours (2 days)

Introduction: This two-day instructor-led course provides students with the knowledge and skills to analyze data

with Power BI.

Target Audience: The primary audience for this course is BI professionals who need to analyze data utilizing Power BI.

The secondary audience for this course is technically proficient business users.

**Prerequisites:** This course requires that you meet the following prerequisites:

■ Basic knowledge of the Microsoft Windows operating system and its core functionality.

■ Basic knowledge of data warehouse schema topology (including star and snowflake schemas).

Some exposure to basic programming concepts (such as looping and branching).

An awareness of key business priorities such as revenue, profitability, and financial accounting is desirable.

■ Familiarity with Microsoft Office applications – particularly Excel

**Objectives:** At the end of the course, students will be able to:

■ Describe key features of a self-service BI solution

■ Describe Power BI and its data sources

Model, shape, and combine data

Describe Power BI data visualizations

### **Course Outline**

#### I. Introduction to Self-Service BI Solutions

- A. Introduction to business intelligence
- B. Introduction to data analysis
- C. Introduction to data visualization
- D. Overview of self-service BI
- E. Considerations of self-service BI
- F. Microsoft tools for self-service BI

#### II. Introducing Power BI

- A. Power BI
- B. The Power BI service
- C. Power BI mobile apps

#### III. Power BI Data

- A. Using Excel as a Power BI data source
- B. Using databases as a Power BI data source
- C. The Power BI service

## IV. Shaping and Combining Data

- A. Power BI desktop queries
- B. Shaping data
- C. Combining data

#### V. Modelling Data

- A. Relationships
- B. DAX queries
- C. Calculations and measures

### VI. Interactive Data Visualizations

- A. Creating Power BI reports
- B. Managing a Power BI solution