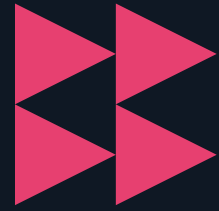# License Dashboard Portal
Version 3

Reduce your software spend, manage IT projects, and monitor application usage across your entire estate with an intuitive business intelligence portal.

Licence Dashboard Portal transforms IT data from your License Manager SAM tool into meaningful insights, trend analysis, and visual reports, enabling you to understand your organization's IT estate and identify cost saving opportunities.

Features and benefits ▶▶▶

- Customizable role-specific views for each job role
- Track and monitor change to your IT estate over time
- Self-service portal to create fully customized sheets and charts
- Create additional tiles at the click of a button
- View your latest Azure billing data
- Track and manage software renewal and maintenance dates
- Understand your software spend on categories of products
- Identify applications not used in the past 30, 60, and 90 days

- Identify compliance risk by vendor on a monthly basis
- Visualize Office 365 user and subscription data
- Track IT projects and identify areas of your IT estate to focus on
- Identify problem areas caused by inadvertent deployments or procurement oversight
- Understand which teams or users have unused software and why
- Monitor whether multiple different applications are being used for the same task, enabling you to cut costs and streamline
- Benchmark your SAM position and track your performance
- Web-based portal available across any device

Using your SAM data to make a difference and track IT projects

License Dashboard Portal provides simple navigation, starting with customized tiles through to flexible dashboards and detailed report information. Dashboards display the information needed to make informed decisions, including:

- Product categorization
- Contracts and entitlement
- Software surplus
- Compliance and risk

Azure Billing Dashboard

The Azure Billing Dashboard within License Dashboard Portal ensures you are fully up to date with Azure usage and billing across your organization, including alerts for service overage. These reports give full visibility of your compliance and usage for your entire estate within a single centralized view; enabled by the platform's ability to consolidate discovery data from multiple sources into one place.

The portal also highlights the potential shortfall if consumption continues at the current rate in a year's time, as well as critical alerts for service overage.

Server and system requirements

IIS Application Server
Software

- Windows Server 2012 or later
- Internet Information Server (IIS)
- Microsoft .NET Framework v4.5.2 or later
- Valid SSL Certificate

Hardware
Minimum recommended values

- Physical or virtual
- Two CPU cores/vCPUs
- 12 GB RAM
- 100 GB HDD

Qlik Sense Server
Software

- Windows Server 2012 or later
- Microsoft .NET Framework v4.5.2 or later
- Valid SSL Certificate

Hardware
Minimum recommended values

- Physical or virtual
- Two CPU cores/ vCPUs
- 16 GB RAM
- 100 GB HDD programs and system
- 100 GB HDD data

Please note: Qlik Sense has its own web interface that will bind to TCP Port 443. Therefore, it is

recommended that IIS is not installed on the machine to avoid conflict.

Qlik Sense includes an embedded PostgreSQL database.

SQL Server
Software

- Windows Server 2012 or later
- Microsoft SQL Server 2012 or later including Express editions
- SQL Server and Windows authentication mode enabled
- License Manager v11.1 or later database

Hardware
Minimum recommended values
(see Microsoft best practice guides for advice)

- Physical or virtual
- Two CPU cores/ vCPUs
- 16 GB RAM
- Fast storage (high iOPS and bandwidth with low latency)
- 100 GB HDD programs and system
- 100 GB HDD data

Client
Software

- Supported web browsers
- Latest version of Chrome
- Other recent web browers may work, but have not been tested

Additional requirements

- License Manager installation
- Domain based service account with local admin rights on the Qlik Sense Server and the IIS Application Server, SQL DBO permissions to the License Dashboard Portal configuration database
- SQL account with DBO permissions to the License Manager and License Dashboard Portal databases
- Valid SSL certificates for the License Dashboard Portal IIS web portal address and the Qlik Sense server host name address. If License Dashboard Portal is to be published to the internet, these should be the public names. It is recommended that a wildcard certificate is used
- Working name resolution between the servers and workstations and to the LDP IIS web portal address and the Qlik Sense server host address
- Use SendGrid account to send emails for new users and password resets

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