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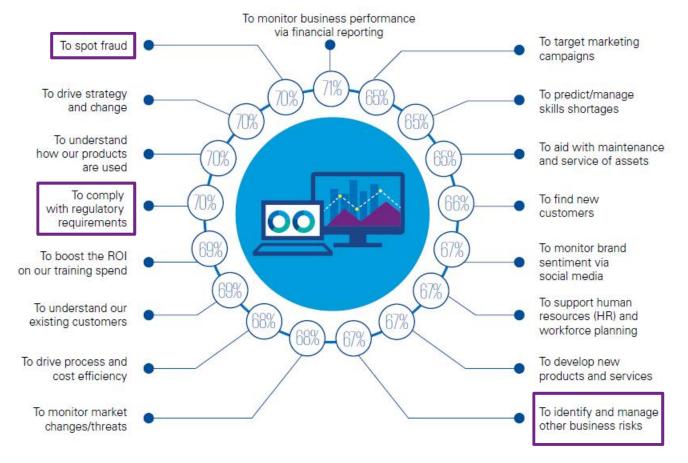
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### Data underpins competitive advantage

How integral are data and analytics in helping your organization to make decision in the following areas?



Source: Responses from 2,165 respondents from 10 countries for a commissioned study conducted by Forrester Consulting on behalf of KPMG, July 2016



# Why does data analytics matter?

### Efficiency

- Automate manual work (e.g. collecting, analyzing and reporting of data)
- A defined and iterative process to report on exceptions on predefined intervals



### **Effectiveness**

- Ability to filter or sort exceptions based on thresholds or severity ratings
- Allows to spend more time on root cause analysis of the exceptions
- Better decision making based on visualizations (e.g. trend lines)

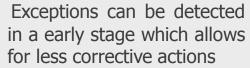
### **Better Quality**



- Inspect all data to detect exceptions instead of taking samples from the data
- Less chance on manual errors because of the high level of automation
- Standard exception reporting where the chance of misinterpretation is reduced



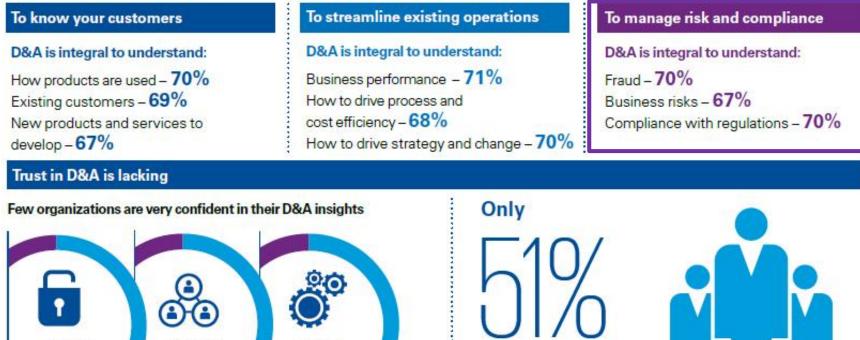
### **Higher Frequency**





# **Building trust in analytics**

#### D&A underpins competitive advantage



of respondents believe their C-suite executives fully support their organization's D&A strategy.

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D&A for business

operations

D&A for customer

insight

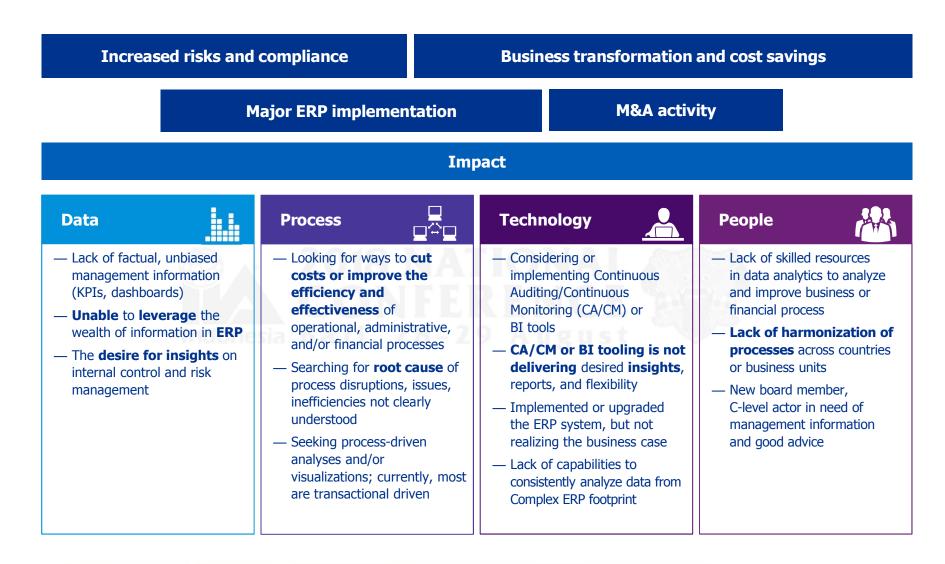
D&A for risk

and security

Full study can be downloaded from <a href="http://www.kpmg.com/trust">www.kpmg.com/trust</a>



# **Drivers of data & analytics**





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### Common misconceptions of data analytics

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### Common misconceptions of data analytics

### "You just need an off-theshelf solution that you can just buy and forget"

- The solutions are generating valuable data that should be leveraged on.
- Data analytics require continuous learning & improvement.
- Potential high maintenance and tuning fees.
- Manual review is required even after GO-LIVE to ensure that the system is working as intended and to continuously improve the system.





### Common misconceptions of data analytics

### "You need special expensive analytics tools and software"

 The most popular programming languages for data science comes with

**free** open source packages.

 Leveraging on these also means that you can access a larger talent pool, compared to people trained to used specialized software.





### Common misconceptions of data analytics

### "Hiring data scientists will solve all my problems"

- Data scientists are only part of the solution. It is however key that HODs understand what a data scientist does and what is the limitations of his/her ability.
- Within the realm of data science, there are various domains. Data scientists usually specialise in one or two domains. Knowing their area of specialisations are crucial to addressing the problem statement.
- Understanding the problem definition, identifying the correct domain and working towards a clear solution is still key for applying data analytics successfully.

### **Almighty Management**



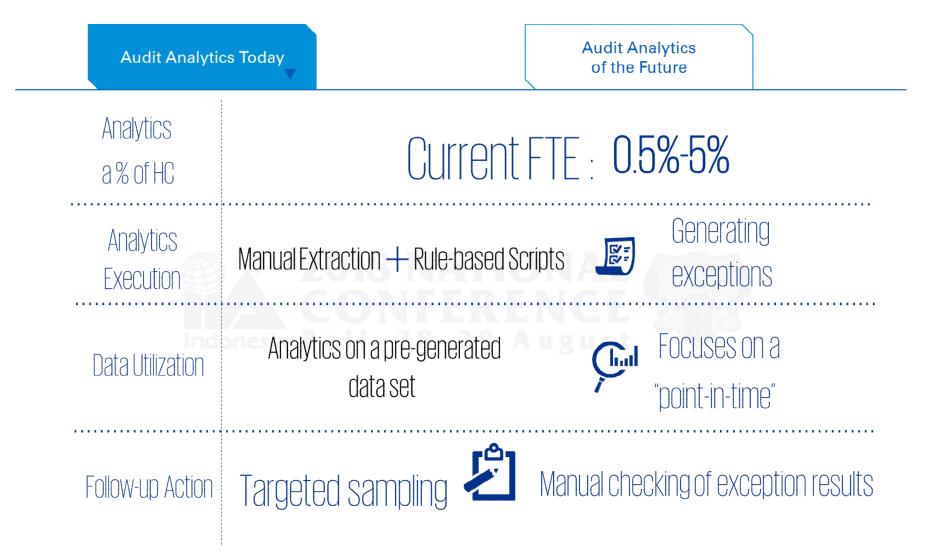


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### Data Analytics-enabled Internal Audit (DAeIA)

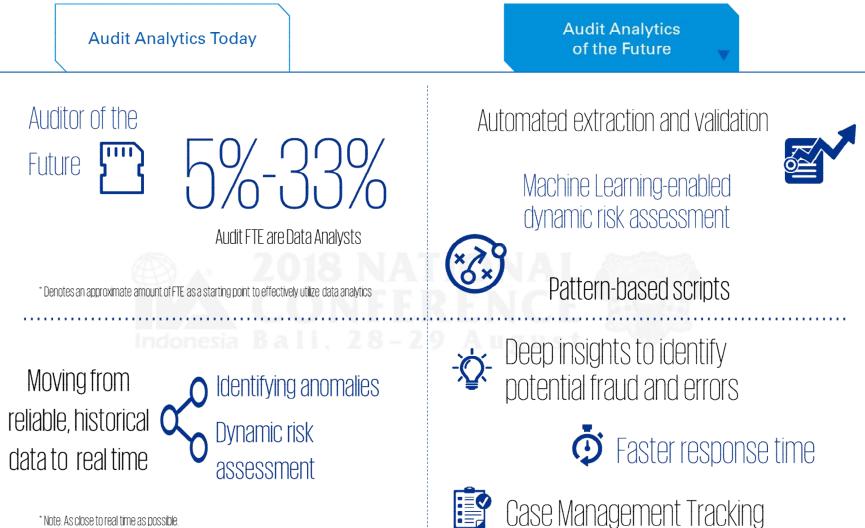
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# Analytics: Current state





# **Analytics: Future state**





# Data & analytics-enabled internal audit (DAeIA)

The integration of technologyenabled data & analytics, as well as continuous auditing tools and techniques, into the risk assessment, planning, scoping, execution and reporting phases of an Internal Audit methodology to provide greater insights and value into processes and help mitigate risks.





# Transformation of traditional internal audit to a robust data analytics enabled program

When transforming a traditional internal audit program to a robust DA enabled program, consider People, Process and Technology

#### People

- Compile a profile/job description for personnel required for the DA program
- Identify personnel within the organization that have the required experience/skills; consider other sourcing opportunities if required skills/experience are not resident within IA
- Develop a training program
  - Techniques
  - Tools
  - Results Interpretation
- Develop program "champions" by providing personnel with the appropriate skills/experience with the training program

#### Process

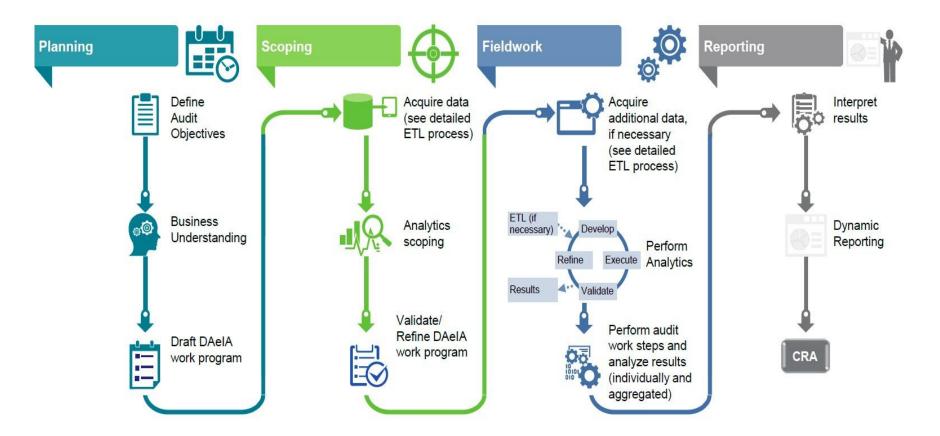
- Develop a DA audit methodology, including:
  - Risk Assessment
  - Audit Candidate Profile
  - Procedures to transform an audit candidate to a DA enabled program (e.g., incorporating DA into planning, scoping, procedures, etc.)
  - DA reporting
  - Develop DA KPIs

#### Technology

- Tool(s) selection
- Tool usage maximization
- Data availability/understanding/ETL
- DA tool obsolescence monitoring/prevention



# DAelA engagement life cycle methodology



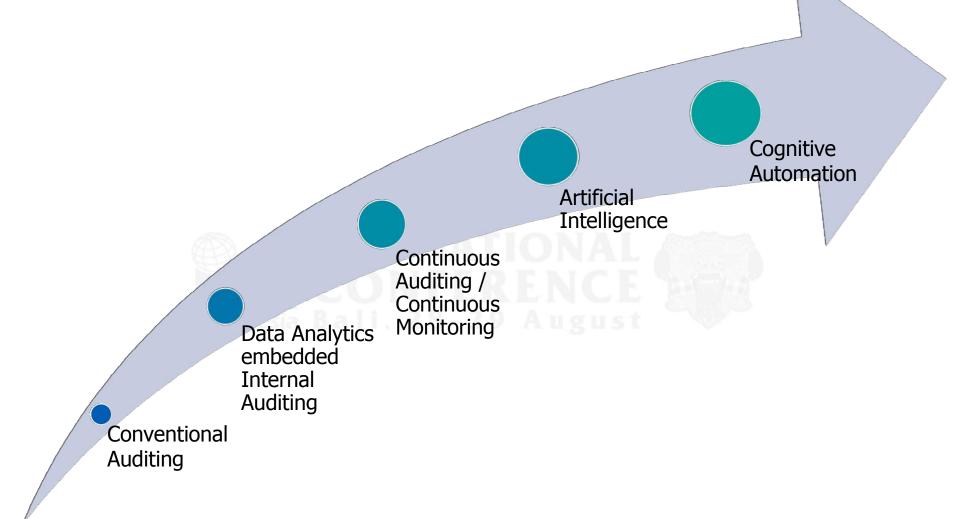


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### **Future of DAeIA**

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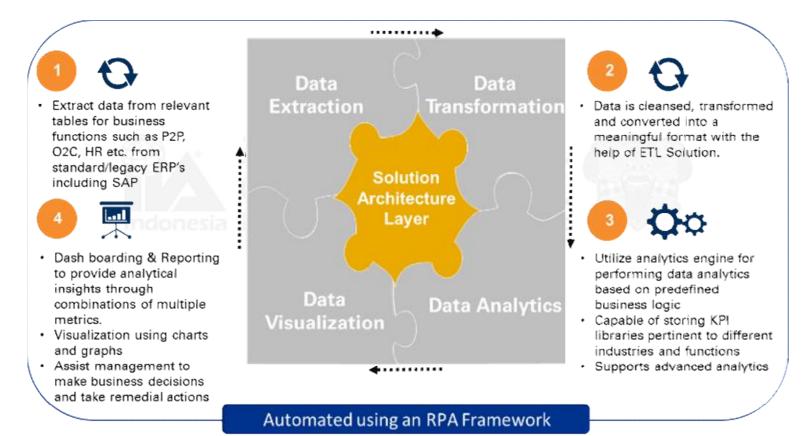
## Data Analytics Maturity





# Continuous Auditing / Continuous Monitoring (CA / CM)

**Continuous Auditing / Continuous Monitoring (CA / CM)** can leverage the existing data analytics engine and logic towards the objective of having a real-time risk assessment, ensuring the highest relevancy in audit and decision-making.



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# Artificial Intelligence – Drive Analytics

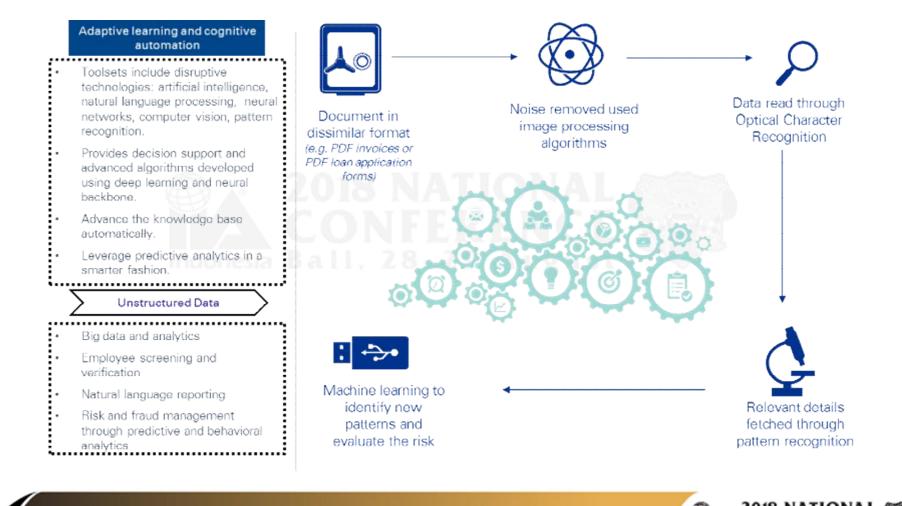
**Artificial Intelligence-drive Analytics**, using predictive machine learning models, is able process various data from multiple sources to help you assess and determine risk levels. In the example below, AI is used to predict branches with high likelihood of high impact risk events on a periodic basis.

#### Predictive Model for Branch Audit Machine Learning models to predict process irregularities / audit risk events in branches Branch information (sales, **Dashboard for Branch Monitoring** transactions) Al Model predicts branches with high **Risk Score for Historical Risk Events** Results Each Branch and likelihood of high Key Attributes impact risk events Branch Staff Profiles, Contributing to the Attrition Data Risk in the future (e.g. next quarter, next **Customer Complaints** month) Internal Branch Audit Reports Model predicts and ranks branches: **Future Risk Severity** Provides Dashboard to View Key Features Contributing to Risk Score



## **Cognitive Automation**

Any paper-based data (PDF scans) and unstructured data can be automated through **Cognitive Automation** to reduce the extraction and generation of data, thus enabling resources to focus more on analyzing results.



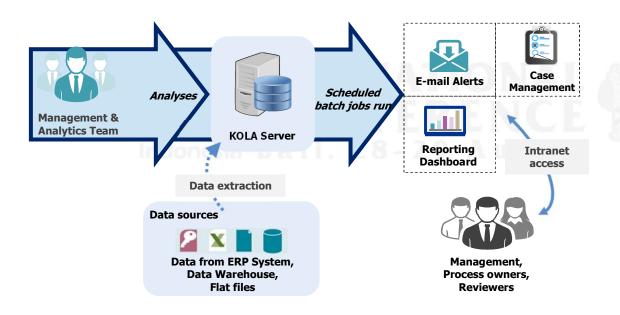
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### KPMG Online Analytics (KOLA)

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## KPMG Online Analytics (KOLA) – Overview

KOLA is a KPMG proprietary tool for continuous auditing and continuous monitoring. It is installed within the organization's network. It retrieves data from the various ERP and databases, and screens the transactions for any anomalies and flags them for future investigation. The tool is platform-independent and unobtrusive, and can be deployed on many systems. The KOLA platform is integrated with your IT infrastructure, with <u>routines scheduled to run</u> <u>automatically</u> or on-demand, providing the most up-to-date management information via a case management system, dashboards and email alerts.

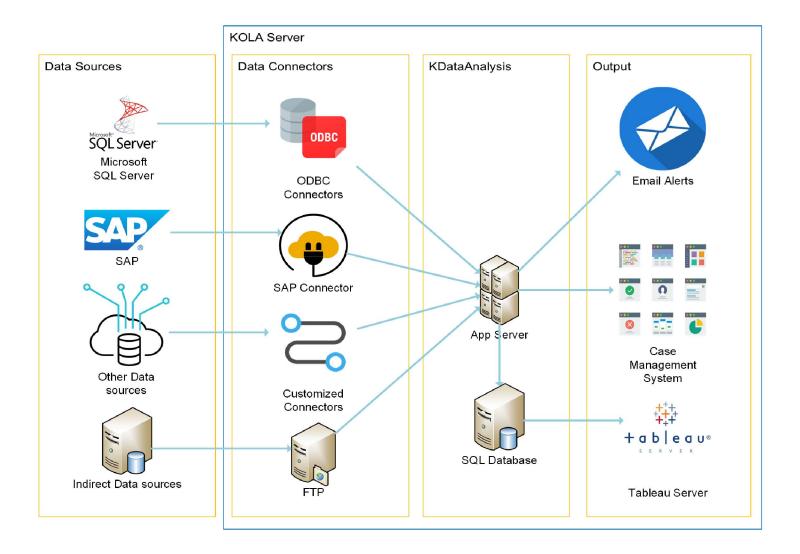


#### **Key Features:**

- Case management system
- Independent data warehouse minimizes risk of affecting day to day operations
- Dashboard allows continuous monitoring of trends



### **KOLA System Configuration**





### **KOLA – Benefits**

Proactive warnings when controls fail or exceptions occur

Almost real-time detection, hence issues can be dealt with swiftly

Efficiency gains with technology and automation

Unobtrusive as no software is loaded on the system being audited and the tests can be run during out-of-office hours

Allows workload to be spread across time, hence easing the strain on audit resources

Focuses resources and management attention on where it matters as alerts can be set to warn the auditors or management on high-risk exceptions flagged



### KOLA – Case Management

#### Case management dashboard home

This screen lists the alerts generated by KOLA, and allows users to filter alerts by date / description / status and other fields.

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### KOLA – Case Management

Case management details page

Upon drilling into an alert, the details of the alert are shown. This list consists of transactions which have been flagged by the specific analysis triggering the alert.

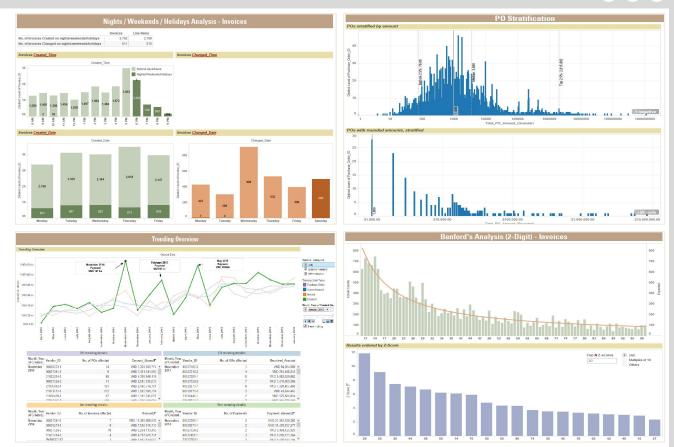
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### KOLA – Data Visualisation

#### Interactive Dashboards

Interactive dashboards can be customized to according to user requirements, to best suit each specific analysis. Each dashboard allows users to drill down the analysis, down to transaction level details, allowing for quicker understanding and detailed investigations.





## Conclusion: Expected benefits of DAeIA

**Benefits to IA:** More robust and focused audit evidence and more insight by analysing full populations; to "*blow away the hay to find the needle*"

#### Pressure to be lean

- Risk assessments and dynamic audit plans underpinned by actual data to focus assurance effort there where it matters most
- Centralised / offshored audit preparation, obtaining evidence and audit execution
- Create efficiencies and global consistencies through automation (less manual testing)
- Leverage Continuous Control Monitoring (CCM)



#### Enhance audit quality

- A more focused audit by analysing the actual data flows and work out where controls are complied with or were bypassed
- Providing better coverage, up to 100% of the population, rather than random samples
- Identifying large or unusual transactions and items more accurately for further investigation

#### **Increased relevance to Management**

- Get insight into internal control deficiencies and their actual financial impact for the financial year
- Combine data from different sources to create new insights, e.g. into how effectively you're using your systems
- Identifying trends, exceptions and potential areas for improvement



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