

# Microsoft Fabric: the unified data and analytics platform



## What is Microsoft Fabric?

Microsoft Fabric is an **end-to-end analytics platform** that brings together **data integration, engineering, science, real-time analytics and business intelligence** - all in one unified SaaS experience. It's designed to simplify how organizations manage and analyse data at scale.

## Why Fabric?

- **End tool sprawl:** Managing separate platforms for BI, data integration and analytics is costly and complex. Fabric eliminates silos by unifying Power BI, Data Factory, Synapse and more into one seamless experience.
- **Better manage data:** Multiple lakes and copies waste storage and create governance headaches. Fabric's OneLake architecture gives you a single, open data lake - accessible across all workloads without redundant copies.
- **Stop manual analysis:** Hunting for insights in massive datasets takes time and expertise. With Copilot in Fabric, you can ask questions in natural language and instantly get actionable insights and visualisations.

## Who is it for?

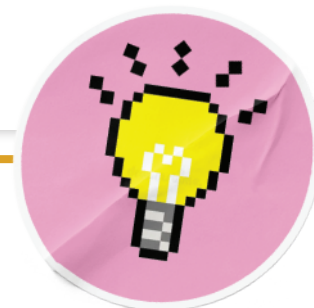
- **Data Engineers:** Simplify pipelines and transformations.
- **Data Scientists:** Access clean, governed data for modelling.
- **Business Analysts:** Self-service analytics with Power BI.
- **IT Leaders:** Centralised governance and cost control.

## Key components\_

- **Data Factory:** Modern data integration with over 200 connectors.
- **Synapse Data Engineering:** Scalable Spark-based data processing.
- **Synapse Data Warehousing:** High-performance analytics for structured data.
- **Real-time analytics:** Stream and analyse data instantly.
- **Power BI:** Industry-leading business intelligence and visualisation.
- **Data Activator:** Automate actions based on data changes.

## Benefits at a glance\_

- **Unified experience:** One interface, one billing model.
- **Cost efficiency:** Pay for what you use with capacity-based pricing.
- **Security and governance:** Built-in compliance and data protection.
- **Open and flexible:** Supports open formats like Delta Lake and integrates with your existing ecosystem.



## Getting started

- **Try Fabric for free:** Want to test Fabric for yourself? Sign up for a trial at [fabric.microsoft.com](https://fabric.microsoft.com).
- **Learn more:** [Get in touch](#) to speak to our experts about how Fabric can elevate your business.
- **Scale with confidence:** Work with us to determine the next steps in your Fabric deployment and build strong data foundations.