

# (S LS Retail We make business easy

# LS Retail Intelligent Cloud solutions

Take your data to the next level



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#### **WE POWER BUSINESSES IN:**



.... AND MORE



in more than 140 countries















# A SOLUTION TO MAKE YOUR BUSINESS EASY

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Access actionable reports.
Take better business decisions.



#### LS Insight - Data Hub

- Datawarehouse built on Azure SQL or SQL Server
- Incremental data upload
- ETL processes and pipelines
- Open, easy to extend with other data sources
- Platform for analysis and reporting (PowerBl, Excel and other reporting tools)















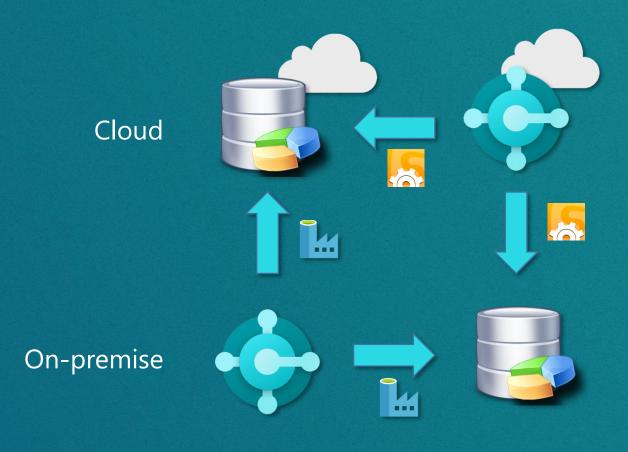


LS Central



#### Architecture options

- On-prem → Cloud (available, ADF)
- Cloud → Cloud (Q4 2020, Data Director & Webservices)
- On-prem → On-prem (Q4 2020, ADF)
- Cloud > On-prem
   (evaluating demand, Data Director & Webservices)









#### LS Insight - Analytics

- PowerBI based Reports and Dashboards
- Built on data from LS Insight Data Hub
- Currently for Sales and Inventory, more to come
- Easy to adapt, extend or build your own







# Gartner February 2020 A Leader in Analytics & BI Platforms\*

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2020 Gartner Magic Quadrant for Analytics and Business Intelligence Platforms, Analyst(s): James Richardson, Rita Sallam, Kurt Schlegel, Austin Kronz, Julian Sun

Figure 1. Magic Quadrant for Analytics and Business Intelligence Platforms



Source: Gartner (February 2020)

# FORRESTER®

Microsoft Positioned as a Leader in The Forrester Wave™: Enterprise BI Platforms (Vendor-Managed), Q3 2019\*

According to the Forrester report,

"You no longer need to be shy about using Microsoft
Power BI; it's a killer BI platform."

<u>\*The Forrester Wave™: Enterprise BI Platforms (Vendor-Managed), Q3 2019</u> by Boris Evelson with Srividya Sridharan, Robert Perdoni, Aldila Yunus. The Forrester Wave™ is copyrighted by Forrester Research, Inc. Forrester and Forrester Wave are trademarks of Forrester Research, Inc. The Forrester Wave is a graphical representation of Forrester's call on a market and is plotted using a detailed spreadsheet with exposed scores, weightings, and comments. Forrester does not endorse any vendor, product, or service depicted in the Forrester Wave. Information is based on best available resources. Opinions reflect judgment at the time and are subject to change

#### THE FORRESTER WAVE™

Enterprise BI Platforms (Vendor-Managed)

Q3 2019



# Power BI Monthly Active Usage

**5**<sup>TH</sup>

Year of TRIPLE DIGIT PAID Usage Growth

150K+Organizations

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# Power BI Mobile

# 1 Mobile App

**4.7** Apple™ App Store

**4.8** Google™ Play

> reviews than all others combined





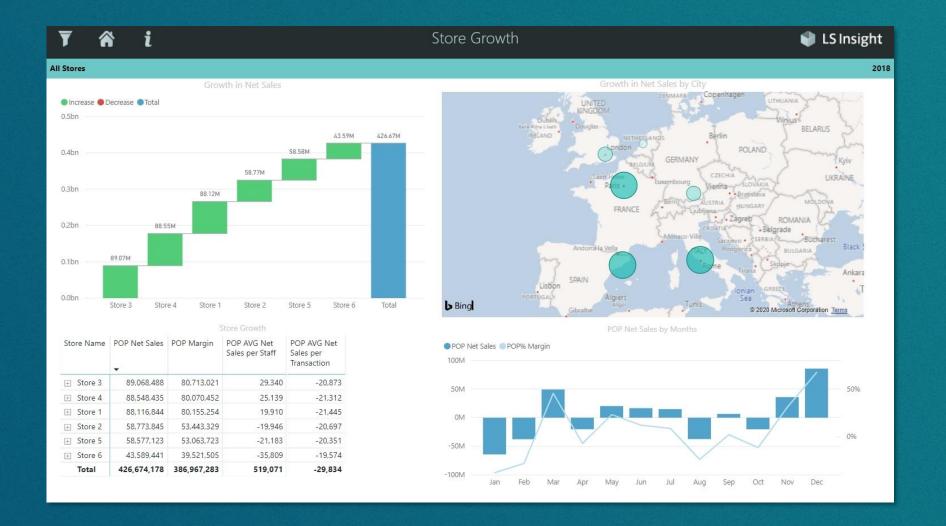




















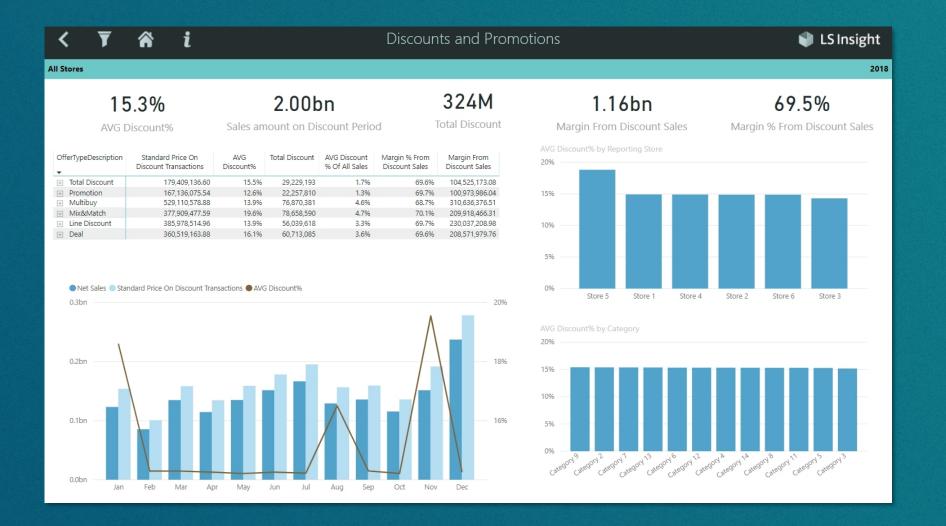










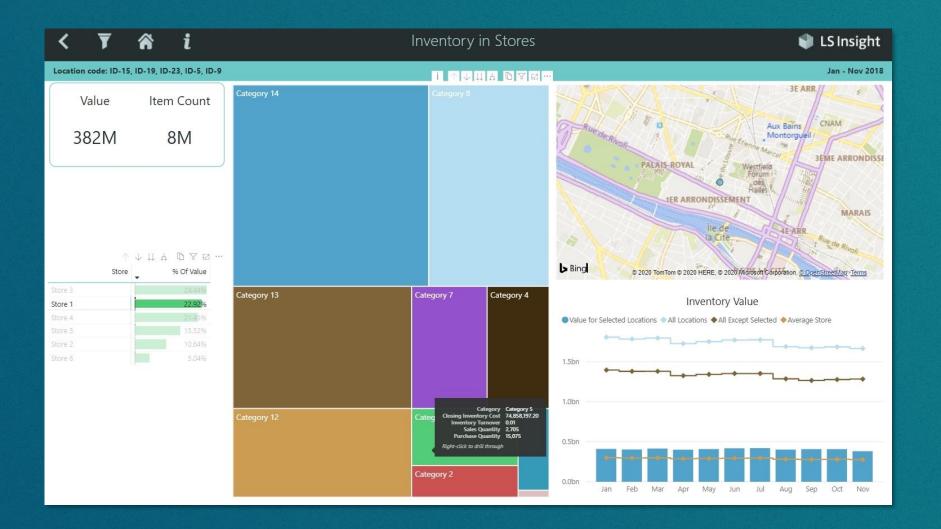




















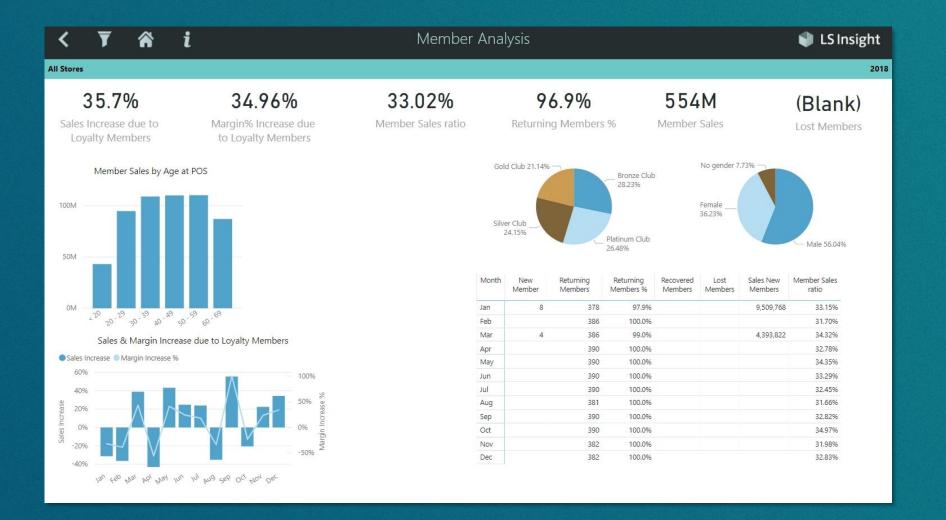




















# It's for FREE!!!!

#### Your cost:

Hosting and operating

#### Data Hub







**Analytics** 



#### Hosting cost:

• Azure SQL Database (Single Database, DTU Purchase Model, Standard Tier, S2: 50 DTUs, 250 GB included storage per DB)

Azure Data factory
 (Azure Data Factory V2 Type, Data Pipeline Service Type, Self-hosted Integration Runtime: 15 Activity Run(s), 60 Data movement unit(s)

• PowerBI (PowerBI Pro license per user per month: 10\$) \$10.00

• Total \$112.98 (per month)





\$73.61

\$29.38

Azure Data Factory



<sup>\*)</sup>Prices as per 06/2020. For up-to-date pricing information visit the Azure pricing calculator https://azure.microsoft.com/en-us/pricing/calculator/



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#### **Data Hub & Analytics**

- One data platform for all your reporting needs
- Mobile devices support
- Easy to extend with other data sources
- Strong integration with other Microsoft products (Power Apps)
- On-premises or in the cloud

#### **Easy to get started**

- Data Hub and Analytics for free (only hosting cost)
- PowerBI reports to start with
- Large PowerBI community











#### Try it

- Request form: <a href="https://portal.lsretail.com/Products/LS-Insight">https://portal.lsretail.com/Products/LS-Insight</a>
- Get product files
- Follow onboarding instructions, Done!

#### **Documentation**

• LS Retail Online Help, LS Insight <a href="https://help.lscentral.lsretail.com/">https://help.lscentral.lsretail.com/</a>

#### **PowerBI readiness**

- Documentation <u>https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/power-bi/</u>
- Learning <a href="https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/learn/">https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/learn/</a>











Know what your customers want, before they do through machine learning



#### **LS** Recommend

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- Basket analysis and Recommendation engine
- Targeted, personalized suggestions based on your customers' shopping history and preferences
- Optimized upselling and cross-selling
- SaaS solution hosted by LS Retail

#### LS Recommend





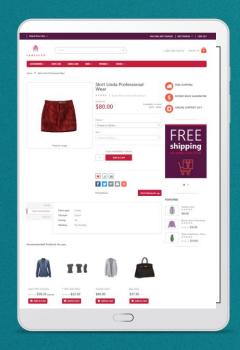


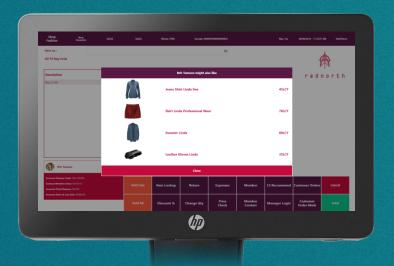


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- Customer-facing platforms (eCommerce)
- Staff-facing platforms (POS)
- Considers:
  - General sales history
  - Customers´ previous purchases
  - Items in basket





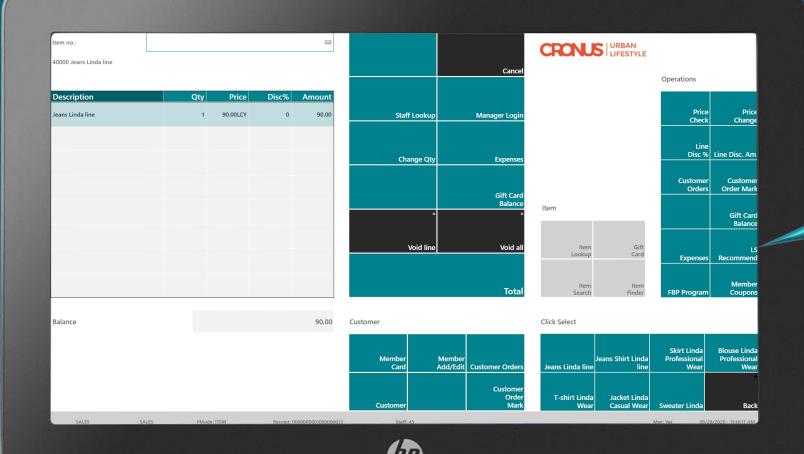


Item "Jeans" in the sale





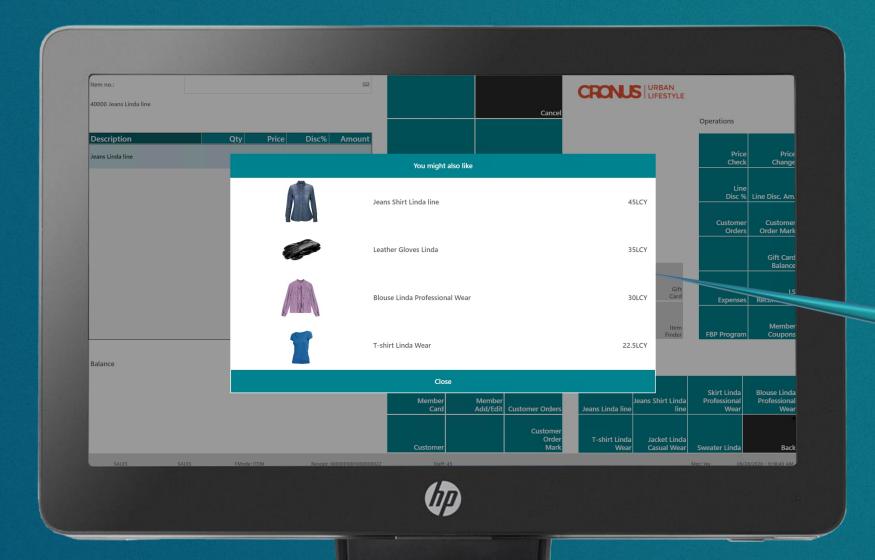




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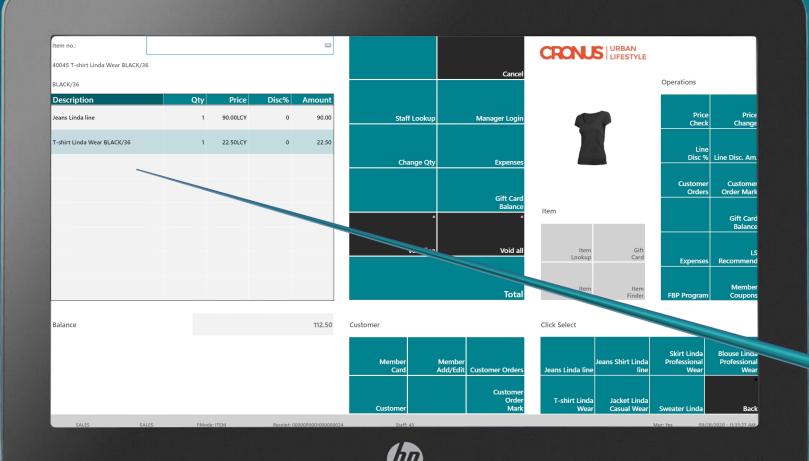


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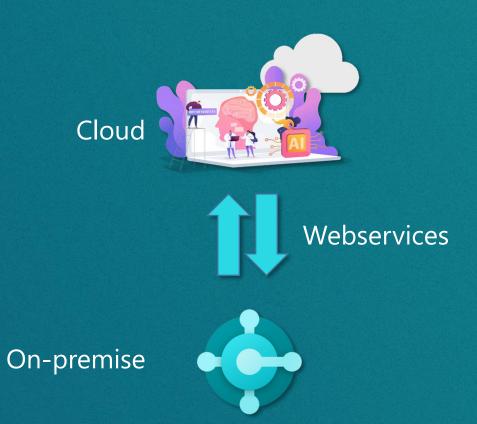
Item "T-Shirt" added



# **LS Recommend**

# Architecture options

 On-prem → LS Recommend (direct communication via webservices)

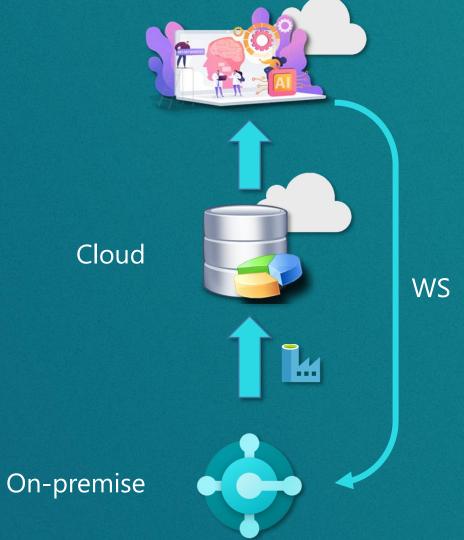




# **LS Recommend**

# Architecture options, Version2

- On-prem → LS Recommend
  - upload via LS Insight Data Hub
  - download via Webservices



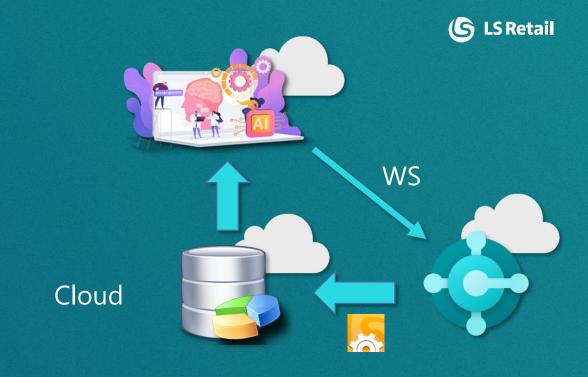




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- Cloud → LS Recommend
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  - download via Webservices











- Personalized shopping experience
- Enhance product discovery and findability

### Benefits for the retailer

- Enables staff to provide better service (new and experienced staff)
- New way to promote items
- Get to know the consumer better from your data
- Increase in sales and margin

### Low entry risk

- No hardware investments
- No data scientists/experts needed











### Try it

- Reach out to LS Retail's Partner Operations team or the responsible Sales Manager in your region.
- Subscribe for LS Recommend service
- Receive account information for setting up the module

### LS Nav 2015 ff / Central

- Base setup
- Define items to be considered
- Upload sales history, calculate model, GO!

### Resources

 Documentation, Online Help <u>https://help.lscentral.lsretail.com/</u>

How to get started?







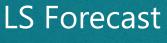


Increase availability and sales with advanced sales demand forecast.



### LS Forecast

- Sales demand forecasting engine
- SaaS solution hosted by LS Retail
- Considers Sales History, Out-of-Stock days and Sales History Adjustment
- Measures forecast quality and shows outliers
- Automatic forecast model selection









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# LS Forecast selects the best model from these model families:

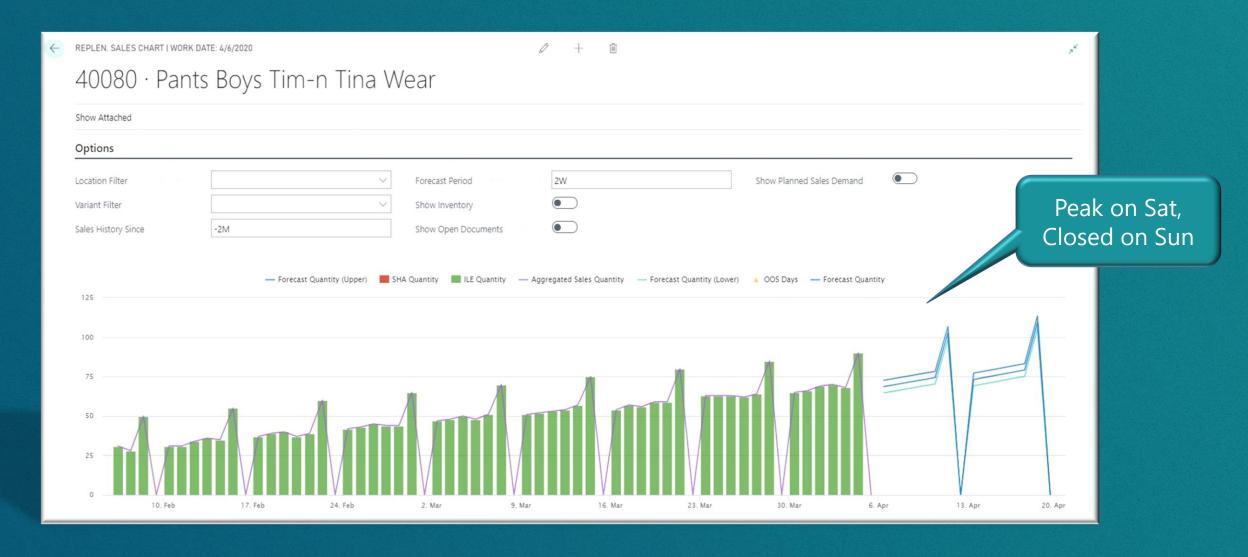


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- Arima
- Seasonal Arima

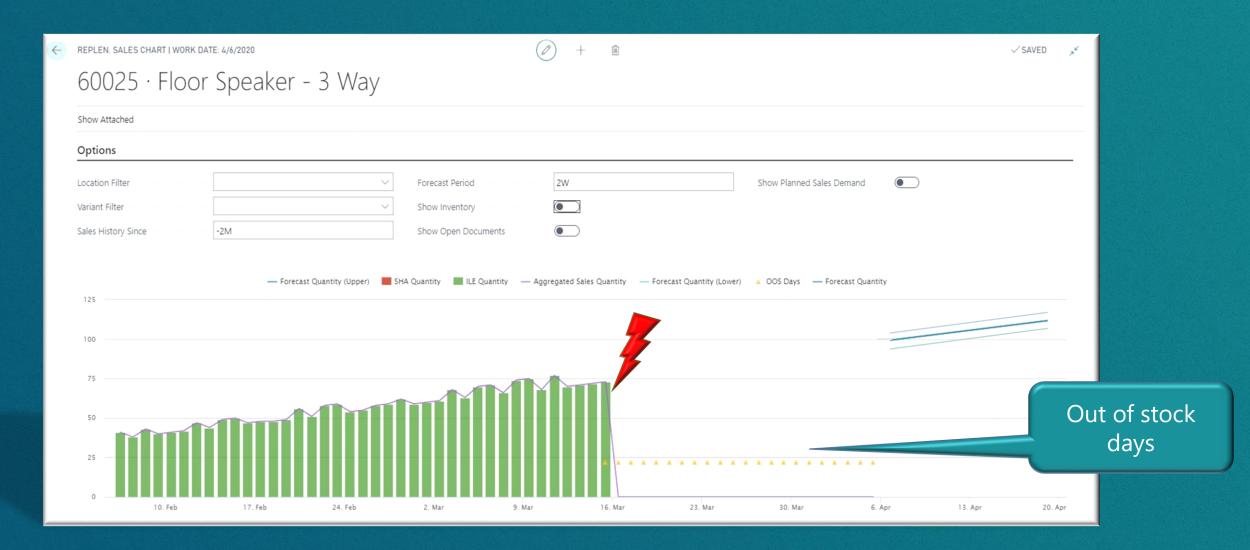
Alternatively, you can specify the model (in LS Central) manually to reduce calculation time.













### LS Replenishment

# Planning & Data Maintenance

Sales & Purchase Budgets

Open to Buy

Assortment Mgmt.

Lifecycle Mgmt.

Item Import

#### Manual Replenishment

Allocation Plans

Buyer's Push, Stock Recall

Manual Purch. & Transfer Orders

> Allocation Rules

Variant Weight Dim. Pattern

#### Automatic Replenishment

Demand Forecasts

Replen. Item Quantity Calculation

Replenishment Journal Calculation

> Store Stock Redistribution

> > Threshold Mgmt.

#### Execution

**Monitoring** 

Inventory and

Demand

Out-of-Stock

Calculation

Store

Capacity

Stock

Coverage

Vendor

Performance

Purchase & Transfer Orders

**Cross Docking** 

Stock Requisition

Buyer's Workbench

Lifecycle Planning WS

### LS Forecast:

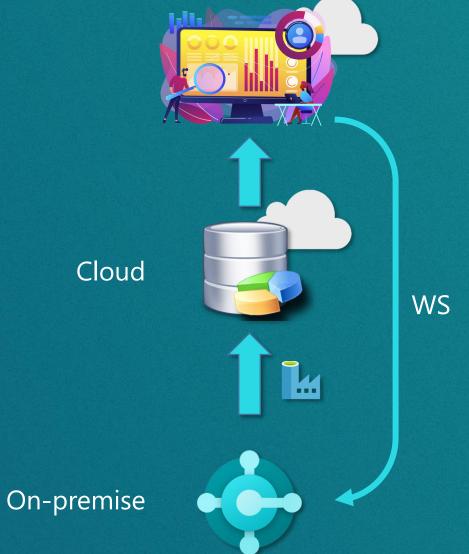
- Turn-key solution
- Seamless integration with Replenishment
- No data scientists/experts needed

Advanced demand forecasting for everyone



# Architecture options

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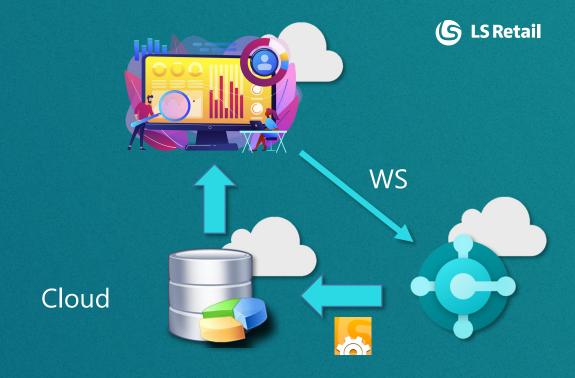






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## **Operational improvements**

- More accurate forecasts
- Increase availability and sales
- Reduce costly out-of-stock situations

## **Better view on your data**

• Interactive sales chart

### Low entry risk

- No hardware investments
- No data scientists/experts needed
- Start with few items, add more on the go











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### LS Central 14.03 (C/AL) / Central 16 (AL) ff

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#### Resources

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- Webinar <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0kMctsmJFAY</u>
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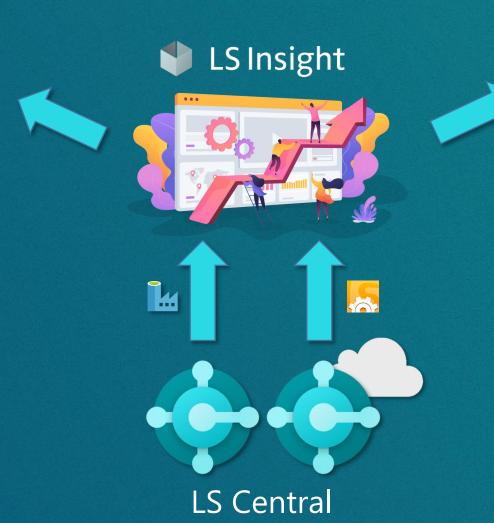












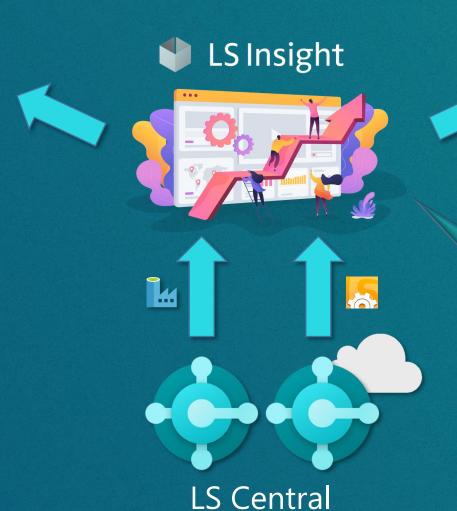
















### **Planned improvements**

- Adoptions to incorporate latest MS improvements
- Report enhancements
- New reporting dimensions & metrics

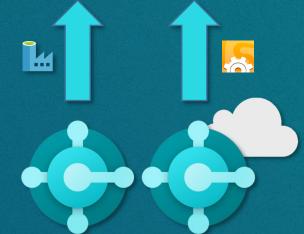












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# LS Forecast



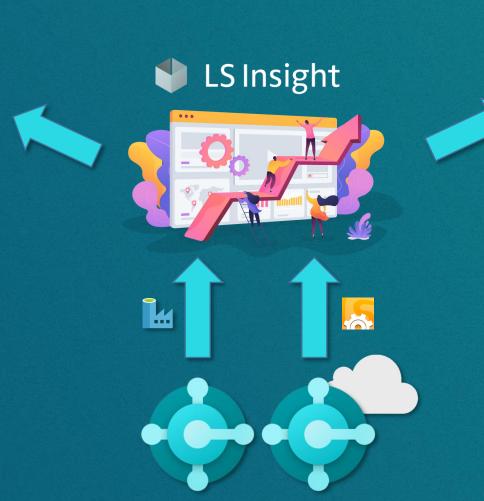
### **Planned improvements** (Version 2)

- Integration with LS Insight Data Hub
- Simplified setup
- Basket analysis reports









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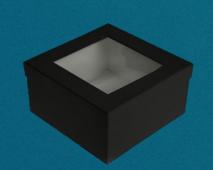
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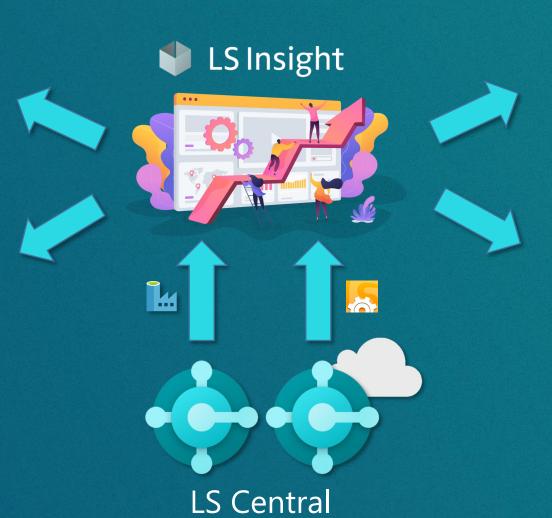
- Group based forecasts
- Internal/External Events
- Integration with Retail Budgets





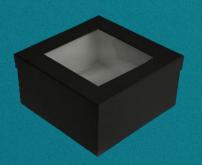






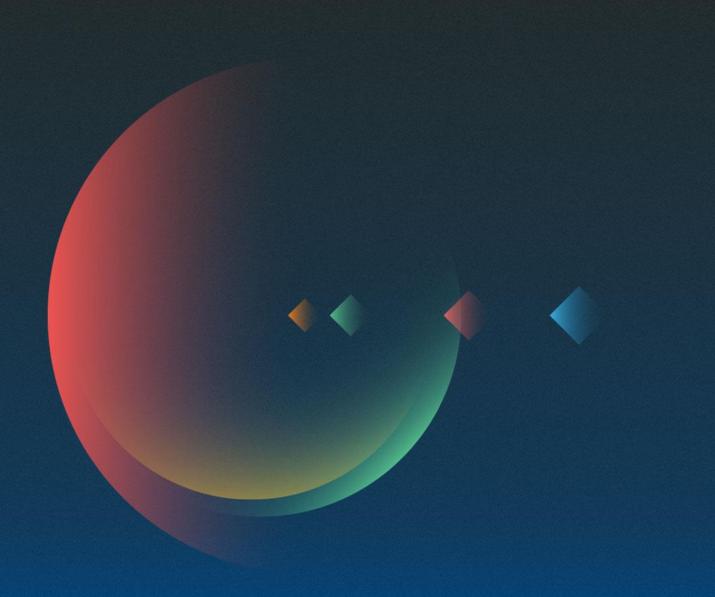












# Questions?

