

# BusinessObjects Desktop Intelligence XIR2: Advanced Reporting

Course Number: QA330R2

## Who should attend?

The target audience for this course is business users who are experienced Desktop Intelligence report builders and who need to create advanced Desktop Intelligence documents and reports.

## Delivery and duration

One-day instructor-led course

## Course Agenda

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### Alternative Query Techniques

- Defining combined query types
- Using combined queries
- Using sub-queries
- Creating a query on a query

### Character and Date String Functions

- Understanding character strings
- Using the Replace function
- Using the Right function
- Using the SubString() function
- Using the Pos() function
- Concatenating different data types
- Using date functions

### User-Defined Objects

- Creating user objects
- Using a user object in a query
- Editing a user object
- Deleting a user object
- Storing a user object

### Grouping Data

- Grouping data using "If... Then... Else..."
- Using "If...Then...Else..." to modify calculations

### Calculation Contexts

- Understanding calculation contexts
- Using forced output calculation context
- Using forced input calculation context
- Identifying input and output context

### Advanced Charting

- Using charts
- Invoking a secondary Y-axis
- Applying multiple styles on a single Y-axis

### Reporting from Other Data Sources

- Using XML as a data source