

Data Dictionary

Empowering business users through greater visibility of their data assets

Despite broad recognition today that data is a strategic asset, many business users are not taking full advantage of their organizations' data estates because they do not have a complete picture of the data that is available to them and the data governance framework that is in place.

The Data Dictionary addresses this situation by providing a web-based interface that allows users to see what data is available within the organization. The portal includes important data governance metadata, including how the data is defined, who owns it and who has altered it.

The Data Dictionary is a standalone software-as-a-service (SaaS) solution, which complements our Enterprise Data Management (EDM) platform. It uses metadata that already exists in EDM, ensuring a quick deployment for existing clients. In addition, clients can onboard data sources from systems outside EDM via a web-based interface, creating a view of the data estate across the organization. A business glossary mapping feature will ensure the same definitions are used company-wide when analyzing data. This fosters clarity, consistency, and effective communication within an organization. Out-of-the-box, customizable fields and definitions will also help expedite time to market.

Key benefits

User empowerment

Business users are empowered to understand their data. They can onboard new data sources, explore their data, and enhance it by adding customizable fields.

Data optimization

The Data Dictionary enables organizations to optimize their data usage by making it easy for users to understand what data is available to them.

Data governance

The Data Dictionary increases users' confidence in the data used in decision-making by providing visibility of the data definitions, relationships, ownership, and business terms.

SaaS deployment

The Data Dictionary is deployed as a software-as-a-service (SaaS) solution delivering a number of benefits to clients, including reduced total cost of ownership (TCO), a streamlined upgrade process and scalability.

Key Stats

200 +
EDM clients

40 +
EDM managed
services clients

Customers

Administrators

Asset managers

Banks

Broker dealers

Commodity firms

Energy
companies

Hedge funds

Insurance
companies

Pension funds

Regulators

Vendors

