

DecisionEd™

Leveraging Data for Performance Education

Features & Benefits

DecisionEd delivers powerful functionality right out of the box that no one else can match. These features include:

- **The Most Complete Data Model Available**

DecisionEd pulls data from every source in your district, delivering the most comprehensive view possible, which guides better decisions.

- **Reports Based on Best Practices**

The more than 250 standard reports that ship with DecisionEd are based on our real-world experience with districts across the country. Our reports, dashboards and portlets use the combined knowledge of some of the best data-driven districts, providing best-in-class tools to our new users.

- **Easily Customizable Reporting**

DecisionEd uses fully user-customizable code, allowing users to build their own reports, without a consultant. Other solutions use proprietary code and can be difficult to customize. With less than a half day of training, DecisionEd users can customize their own reports and display their information in any format they require.

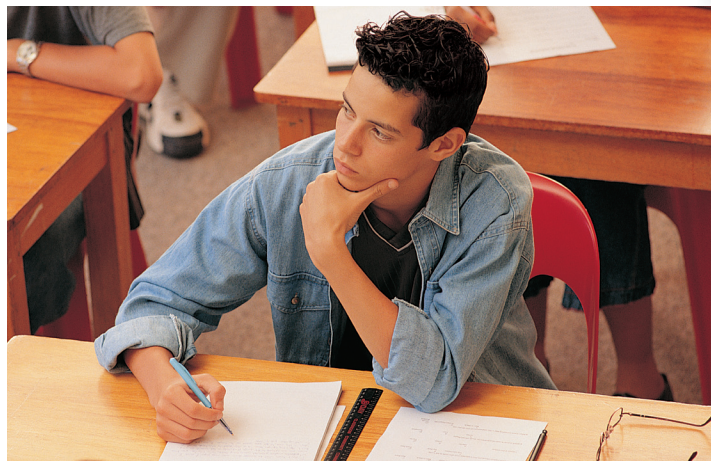
- **Built on the Proven IBM® Cognos® Foundation**

IBM's Cognos Data Warehousing platform is consistently ranked by Gartner as the leader in completeness of vision and ability to execute. That means our users don't need to spend time and resources just trying to make their database solution work. DecisionEd users enjoy out-of-the-box functionality that includes integration to authentication sources, native Blackberry support, "mash up" ability for integrating with Microsoft® Office and much more.



- **Integrated, Elegant Security**

Role-based, FERPA-compliant security is built into DecisionEd at the metadata layer. This means that each user can only see what he or she is authorized to see. And, if users want to share information, each recipient is only allowed to see the information for which they are cleared.



- **The Leading K-12 Data Warehouse**

Our first data model was completed in 2001, but by 2005, we saw that the exploding number of records per student was going to require even more power. New ways of storing data and new uses by educators meant we had to make our solution faster and even easier to use.

We started with a clean sheet of paper and built what is now the most advanced data model ever created for education. It handles today's needs with ease and is fully scalable for the future. The end result: fast, highly efficient reporting and instant notifications when target thresholds for student performance are exceeded. This rapid access to comprehensive information can guide decisions early, when they can have the most impact.

About DecisionEd

DecisionEd empowers school districts with the most complete set of quantitative decision tools available. Based on the industry-leading IBM/Cognos® platform, the DecisionEd solution consolidates every measurable datum into clear, actionable information previously unavailable in one place.

DecisionEd can be implemented quickly, is exceptionally easy to use, and can be customized by users to deliver any custom reports or dashboards they want to see. FERPA compliance is built into every aspect of the solution, allowing each user to see only the information for which he or she is authorized. Built from the ground up specifically for the needs of education, DecisionEd is the most powerful, easy-to-use, easy-to-understand education intelligence solution available today. For more information, visit www.decisioned.com.

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