

■ Objectives:

This course is designed to provide an introduction to the key concepts used in creating models with the IBM Cognos Planning Analyst component. It will give course delegates a good understanding of the building blocks used in models and provide a basis for supporting existing models

MODULE 1 Basic Modeling

- The role of Analyst in the IBM Cognos Planning system
- Identify the basic building blocks and objects used by Analyst
- Principles of Model Design
- Creating simple D-Lists
- Building input and calculation D-Cubes
- Linking data using D-Links

MODULE 2 Intermediate Modeling

- Different method of importing data
- Formatting D-Lists and D-Cubes
- More Complex D-Links
- Maintaining D-Lists
- Automating model updates with macros

MODULE 3 Administration and Maintenance

- Setting up users and groups
- Applying library security
- Maintaining objects with the library functionality
- Copying and moving objects