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Document conventions






Style	Description	Example
 Danger	A danger notice indicates a situation that will cause major system changes, faults, physical injuries, and other adverse results.	 Danger: Resetting will result in the loss of user configuration data.
 Warning	A warning notice indicates a situation that may cause major system changes, faults, physical injuries, and other adverse results.	 Warning: Restarting will cause business interruption. About 10 minutes are required to restart an instance.
 Notice	A caution notice indicates warning information, supplementary instructions, and other content that the user must understand.	 Notice: If the weight is set to 0, the server no longer receives new requests.
 Note	A note indicates supplemental instructions, best practices, tips, and other content.	 Note: You can use Ctrl + A to select all files.
>	Closing angle brackets are used to indicate a multi-level menu cascade.	Click Settings > Network > Set network type .
Bold	Bold formatting is used for buttons, menus, page names, and other UI elements.	Click OK .
Courier font	Courier font is used for commands	Run the <code>cd /d C:/window</code> command to enter the Windows system folder.
<i>Italic</i>	Italic formatting is used for parameters and variables.	<code>bae log list --instanceid</code> <i>Instance_ID</i>
[] or [a b]	This format is used for an optional value, where only one item can be selected.	<code>ipconfig [-all -t]</code>
{ } or {a b}	This format is used for a required value, where only one item can be selected.	<code>switch {active stand}</code>


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1. Billing methods

The shortest subscription period for Quick BI is one year. You can select the number of users and subscription period based on your business requirements. When the subscription is about to expire, the system notifies you to renew the subscription. This topic describes the billing methods of Quick BI.

When you use Quick BI, you are charged based on the number of users and the subscription period that you selected. When you use Quick BI to create and view reports, user number quotas are consumed. You can purchase a user number quota based on your business requirements. For more information about how to purchase Quick BI, see [Purchases, upgrades, downgrades, renewals, and overdue payments](#).

 **Notice** If you have an overdue payment, the system sends you a notification. To ensure service continuity, we recommend that you settle your overdue payment at the earliest opportunity.

Quick BI Pro

Quick BI Pro provides the following features:

- Workspaces: personal workspace and group workspace.
- Access to cloud data sources, which include MaxCompute, ApsaraDB RDS for MySQL, ApsaraDB RDS for SQL Server, AnalyticDB for MySQL 2.0, HybridDB for MySQL, AnalyticDB for PostgreSQL, ApsaraDB RDS for PostgreSQL, ApsaraDB RDS for PPAS, Data Lake Analytics, Hive, DRDS, Presto, AnalyticDB for MySQL 3.0, PolarDB for MySQL, TSDDB, and ApsaraDB for HBase.
- Access to user-created data sources, which include MySQL (hosted on ECS instances), SQL Server (hosted on ECS instances), PostgreSQL (hosted on ECS instances), Oracle, Hive, Vertica, IBM DB2 LUW, SAP IQ (Sybase IQ), SAP HANA, and Presto.
- Local file upload: uploads local files to four types of databases.
- Data modeling: builds data models by using datasheets or SQL statements.
- Standard dashboard components, which include line chart, area chart, stacked area chart, 100% stacked area chart, column chart, stacked column chart, 100% stacked column chart, bar chart, stacked bar chart, 100% stacked bar chart, waterfall chart, combination chart, pie chart, cross table, colored map, geo bubble map, kanban, trend chart, gauge, liquid fill chart, progress bar, scatter chart, bubble chart, facet scatter chart, funnel chart, butterfly chart, radar chart, polar diagram, treemap, hierarchy chart, word cloud, Sankey diagram, flow analysis chart, leaderboard, ticker board, compound query control, and expanded filter bar.
- Workbooks: provides single-sheet workbooks.
- BI portals.
- Dashboard sharing and publishing.
- Third-party report embedment.
- Collaborative editing.
- Row-level permissions.
- Technical support: Alibaba Cloud ticket system.

Quick BI Enterprise Standard

Quick BI Enterprise Standard provides the following features:

- Workspaces: personal workspace and group workspace.

- Access to cloud data sources, which include MaxCompute, ApsaraDB RDS for MySQL, ApsaraDB RDS for SQL Server, AnalyticDB for MySQL 2.0, HybridDB for MySQL, AnalyticDB for PostgreSQL, ApsaraDB RDS for PostgreSQL, ApsaraDB RDS for PPAS, Data Lake Analytics, Hive, DRDS, Presto, AnalyticDB for MySQL 3.0, PolarDB for MySQL, TSDDB, and ApsaraDB for HBase.
- Access to user-created data sources, which include MySQL (hosted on ECS instances), SQL Server (hosted on ECS instances), PostgreSQL (hosted on ECS instances), Oracle, Hive, Vertica, IBM DB2 LUW, SAP IQ (Sybase IQ), SAP HANA, and Presto.
- Local file upload: uploads local files to four types of databases.
- Data modeling: builds data models by using datasheets or SQL statements.
- Standard dashboard components, which include line chart, area chart, stacked area chart, 100% stacked area chart, column chart, stacked column chart, 100% stacked column chart, bar chart, stacked bar chart, 100% stacked bar chart, waterfall chart, combination chart, pie chart, cross table, colored map, geo bubble map, kanban, trend chart, gauge, liquid fill chart, progress bar, scatter chart, bubble chart, facet scatter chart, funnel chart, butterfly chart, radar chart, polar diagram, treemap, hierarchy chart, word cloud, Sankey diagram, flow analysis chart, leaderboard, ticker board, compound query control, expanded filter bar, circular bar, pivot table, LBS bubble map, LBS heat map, LBS flying line map, and decomposition tree.
- Full-screen dashboards.
- Workbooks: provides single-sheet workbooks, multi-sheet workbooks, visualized charts, and query controls.
- BI portals.
- Dashboard sharing and publishing.
- Third-party report embedment.
- Collaborative editing.
- Row-level permissions.
- Technical support: Alibaba Cloud ticket system and 8/5 online technical service offered through DingTalk groups.

Billing methods

The following table describes the billing methods of different Quick BI editions. The price displayed in your order takes precedence.

Edition	Number of users	Subscription period
	5	1 year
		2 years
	10	1 year
		2 years
	20	1 year
		2 years
		1 year

Quick BI Pro Edition	50 Number of users	Subscription period
		2 years
		1 year
	100	2 years
		1 year
	150	2 years
		1 year
	200	2 years
		1 year
Quick BI Enterprise Standard	50	1 year
		2 years
	100	1 year
		2 years
	200	1 year
		2 years
	300	1 year
		2 years

2. Purchases, upgrades, downgrades, renewals, and overdue payments

Quick BI provides Pro and Enterprise Standard editions. For the pricing and billing methods of each edition, see [Billing methods](#)

First purchase

Before you purchase Quick BI services, you must confirm the number of users.

A user indicates a RAM user account or an Alibaba Cloud account. Note that Alibaba Cloud RAM users do not have the permission to purchase Quick BI services. Use an Alibaba Cloud account to purchase Quick BI services.

To purchase Quick BI services for both an Alibaba Cloud account and a RAM user, you must set the number of users to 2.

If this is the first time that you have used Quick BI, you can purchase Quick BI services for multiple users at a time.

Procedure

1. Go to the [Quick BI](#) buy page.
2. Specify the number of users and the subscription period.
3. Confirm the price and click **Buy Now**.

Region	Singapore	Hong Kong	Germany (Frankfurt)	Malaysia(Kuala Lumpur)
Edition	Quick BI Pro	Quick BI Professional		
Features:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Connecting to Alibaba Cloud ApsaraDB Connecting to external databases Uploading files to workspaces Building models in workbooks Creating dashboards with a wide range of charts Displaying dashboards on mobile devices Creating portals Subscribing to reporting emails Embedding up to 20 dashboards into external dashboards User-based and role-based access control Row-level access control 			
Number of Users	50	100	150	200
Aliyun main account and RAM sub-account are occupied license, it is recommended according to your specific number of accounts to choose the number of users to buy.				
Subscription Period	<div> 1 yr 2 yr </div>			

- Enter the username and password, and click **Sign In** to log on to the Alibaba Cloud International site.

Note If you do not have an Alibaba Cloud account, click **Join Free** to register an account by following the instructions.

- Confirm the order and click **Pay**.

Confirm Order

Item Information	Method of Payment	Quantity	Discount	Fee
Quick BI Number of Users: 100 Region: Singapore Edition: Quick BI Pro	Subscription	1	\$0.00	\$11,500.00

Fee:

☐ Quick BI Agreement of Service

Pay

Add an account

You can purchase Quick BI services for yourself or for other users. If you need to purchase Quick BI for another user, add the account of the user to your account.

If you have purchased Quick BI before and need to share it with another user, make sure that the account you use to purchase the service has been activated.

Procedure

1. Log on to the Quick BI console.
2. Click **Upgrade**.
3. Select the number of users.
4. Confirm the order and click **Pay**.

Upgrades

You can upgrade Quick BI in the Quick BI console.


Procedure

1. Log on to the Quick BI console.
2. Click **Upgrade** to upgrade Quick BI by following the instructions.

Downgrades

Quick BI can be downgraded. To downgrade Quick BI, submit a ticket through the [ticket system](#) and Alibaba Cloud will downgrade your Quick BI specification as required.

Renewals

 **Notice** Important The system may send you notifications that you have overdue payments. When this occurs, please clear all overdue payments to avoid instances being released. Please note that your instances may be released at a system-selected time after the payment due date.

We recommend that you renew Quick BI before the subscription expires. Otherwise, your resources will be automatically released seven days after the subscription expires.


Your resources will be retained for seven days after the subscription expires. When the resources are released, all data except for your works is permanently deleted.

For details about resource release and retention, see the **Overdue payments** section.

Procedure

1. Log on to the Quick BI console.
2. Click **Renewal** and select a renewal period.
3. Click **Pay** to complete the renewal.

Overdue payments

 **Notice** Important The system may send you notifications that you have overdue payments. When this occurs, please clear all overdue payments to avoid instances being released. Please note that your instances may be released at a system-selected time after the payment due date.

- **Expiration notifications**

Your resources will be retained for seven days after the subscription expires. During this period, your data is retained.

During this period, you cannot purchase Quick BI again. You can only renew Quick BI. You can continue using Quick BI after the renewal. For more information about renewals, see the **Renewals** section.

- **Resource retention period**

Your resources will be retained for seven days after the subscription expires. During this period, your data is retained.

During this period, you cannot purchase Quick BI again. You can only renew Quick BI. You can continue using Quick BI after the renewal.

For more information about renewals, see the **Renewals** section.

Resource release rules

After your resources are released, all data except for your works is permanently deleted.

You can purchase Quick BI again only after the resources are released. If you renew Quick BI, the validity period starts from the date when you renew Quick BI.

If you renew Quick BI before the subscription expires, the validity period starts from the date when the last subscription expires.

If you want to add users, see [Prerequisites](#).