

# Decisioning products and services

Better scores. Better decisions.

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Experian's expertise in information and data analytics provides companies with the insight to make better decisions and fulfill their missions. For financial institutions; telecommunications carriers; energy companies, health care providers; and other companies that need advanced decision-management functionality, improved access to third-party data sources, and better model deployment and scoring capabilities, Experian® provides predictive scoring and decisioning capabilities in both hosted and end-user installed environments.

These capabilities can be used across all areas of the Customer Life Cycle — from account acquisition to customer management to collections and fraud management — for virtually any line of business. Tangible benefits include:

- Higher booking and activation rates, resulting in more revenue
- Revenue improvements through lower customer attrition
- Higher net income from more recoveries and fewer charge-offs to bad debt and fraud
- Increased revenue through improved cross-selling
- Lower costs through automation and technological advances

Experian is uniquely qualified to deliver these benefits through a flexible combination of predictive models, analytic software and consulting services in a manner that allows you to

generate results in an incremental and iterative manner — realizing business value each step of the way.

## Identify opportunities to maximize return on investment

With so many potential opportunities to generate substantial business value, Experian can help create a road map for success. Here are just a few examples of how our capabilities generate positive results:

- Quickly deploy predictive credit risk, bankruptcy, recovery and/or cross-sell models in a real-time or batch environment with minimal IT involvement or system integration requirements
- Access new data sources during the customer acquisition or account management process to enable improved decision making
- Consolidate disparate systems for credit reporting company access, scoring and decision management across multiple lines of business into a single, centralized scoring and decisioning system that's used throughout the Customer Life Cycle
- Take advantage of robust decision engine capabilities, such as Champion/Challenger testing, "what if" simulation, decision trees and decision tables, integrated with your existing account-origination and customer-processing systems

- Develop better scoring models and decisioning criteria by using predefined standard aggregated variables, or create your own customer-specific attributes
- Rescore previously scored applicants on a batch basis with new decision strategies and new models to analyze and compare the impact of the changes

### Optimize performance

All of the following capabilities may be flexibly combined to deliver maximum business value. Whether you use one — or all — of the components depends on your specific business goals and objectives:

- **Strategy Management<sup>SM</sup>**  
This business rule, scoring and decision strategy software is for Customer Life Cycle. It includes capabilities such as Champion/Challenger testing, “what if” simulation, decision trees and decision tables.

- **Attribute Toolbox<sup>TM</sup>**  
This software enables data access to the credit reporting companies and other data sources, supports custom attribute creation and provides attribute management capabilities.
- **Premier Attributes<sup>SM</sup>**  
These are the credit industry's most robust tri-bureau credit attributes, which can be used for various analyses, decisioning and modeling processes. This tool contains more than 800 attributes that can be used as input variables.
- **Scoring models**  
These custom-developed scoring models are for all phases of the credit life cycle, including marketing analysis, customer acquisition, account management, collections/recovery and fraud management.

Our consulting services help ensure that maximum value is derived from your investments:

- **Strategy review**  
Strategy reviews are part of an ongoing relationship in which we work closely with you to design, review and update customer decisioning strategies.
- **Data Intelligence<sup>SM</sup>**  
This data-driven analytical approach helps clients utilize data more efficiently. Types of analyses include attribute leveling across multiple reporting companies, creation/audit of custom attributes and scorecard audits.
- **Model Validation**  
This tool quantifies performance of your current model(s) and can be used to assess the performance lift of a “challenger” model.
- **Business Intelligence**  
This consultative offering leverages Experian's rich data sources and analytical expertise to provide insight for building strategies and solving specific business issues.

### Contact us

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