BusinessObjects BI4 Upgrade

Unit Liaison Meeting

9/23/15
## BusObj BI4 Upgrade - Dates

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<td>System outage begins</td>
<td>Thursday, September 24</td>
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<td>Upgraded system available</td>
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BusinessObjects Upgrade BI4 – Benefits

• Upgrade to vendor-supported version before end-of-year deadline.
• Less reliance on Java for majority of users.
BusObj User-Shared Folder

• The **User-Shared** folder in BusObj is going away, but **AFTER** the upgrade. Stay tuned for more information!

• Need a shared folder? Contact ITS Service Center to request a **Unit-Maintained** folder (with appropriate access). Requests will be processed post-upgrade.
BusinessObjects Upgrade BI4

• Upgrade web page includes email archive and preview video:
  http://www.mais.umich.edu/upgrades/business_objects/
BusinessObjects BI4 – What’s New?

• One level of access. No more InfoView (limited access). All users can create, edit reports.

• Most users can use HTML mode (rather than Java).

• Look & feel has changed considerably. Functionality is mostly the same.
DEMO: BusinessObjects BI4