

# Power BI DAX Functions

# **Creating Measures and KPIs**

Course Length: 8 Hours

# **Course Objectives**

Upon successful completion of this course, students will understand:

- Calculated Columns vs Measures
- Implicit vs Explicit Measures
- How to write DAX Functions
- How to Create Measures and KPIs

#### **Course Content**

#### 1: Introduction to DAX

- What is a Data Model?
- Creating Table Relations
- What is DAX?
- Calculated Columns vs Measures
- Understanding the Syntax of DAX
- Working with Text Functions
- Understanding Implicit vs Explicit Measures



# 2: Understanding Date Tables

- Creating a Date Table
- Creating a Date Hierarchy
- Using Single Date Functions

### 3: Creating Measures with DAX

- Using Statistical Functions
- Creating Logical Functions
- Tips for Creating Calculations in Power Pivot
- Creating KPIs

## 4: Understanding Filter Propagation

- Understanding Filter Context
- Altering the Query Context
- Creating Advanced Filters

#### 5: Basic Iterator Functions

- Understanding Row Context
- When to use X-Functions vs Aggregators
- Using Iterator Functions

### 6: Incorporating Time Intelligence

- Using DAX Date and Time Functions
- Shifting the Date Context



# 7: Relationship Building Calculations

- Getting Data from Related Tables
- Using Inactive Relationships in Measures