

IBM i Strategy & Roadmap - the Db2 for i Focus

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IBM i Business

- 115 Countries
- All industries
- Customers of all sizes
- Integrated Application Platform
- Db2, Storage, Cloud, Open
- Low TCO; High ROI
- Growing Workloads
- Growing Business
- Growing Commitment



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IBM i Strategy



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Power Solutions

- Enable clients to exploit latest Power technology
- Enable transformation of customer solutions with new value
 - Mobile, Internet of Things, Cognitive, Machine Learning and AI
- Enable Solutions to modernize around services, hybrid cloud and DevOps

Db2 for i

Open Platform for Choice

- Grow IBM i solutions options including
 - Modern RPG & Open source technologies
- Flexible options
 - On-prem and/or Hybrid Cloud - inside or outside Data Center
- Entice new talent with popular open languages and tools

Db2 for i

The *Integrated* Promise of IBM i

- Deliver a simple, high value platform for business applications
- Provide exceptional security and resiliency for critical business data
- Leverage IBM systems, storage and software technologies

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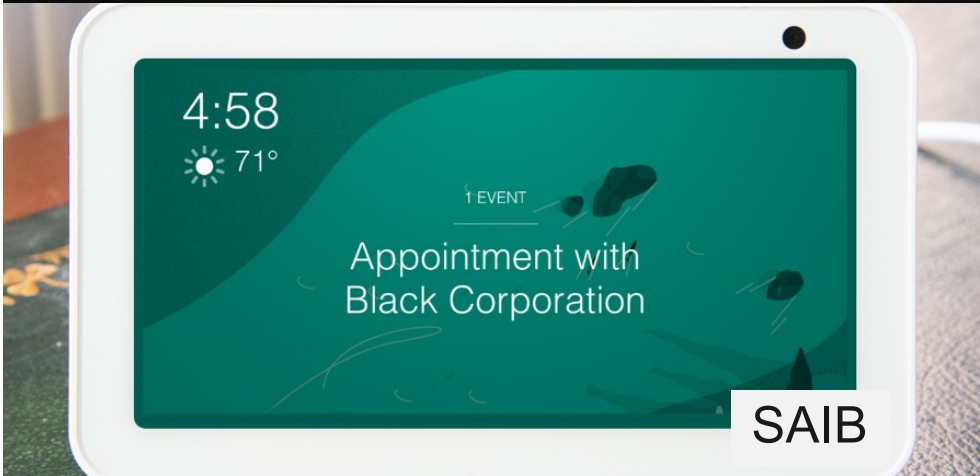


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Db2 for i Client Innovation

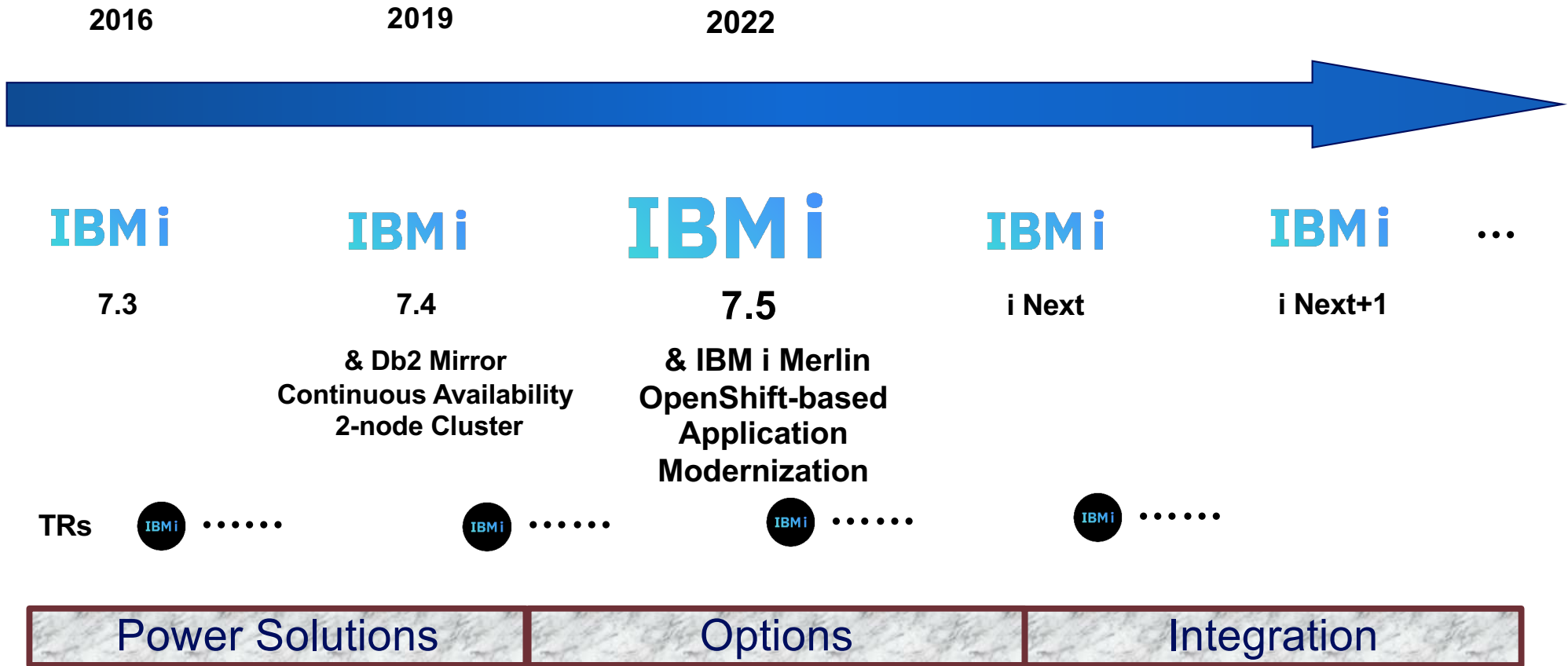


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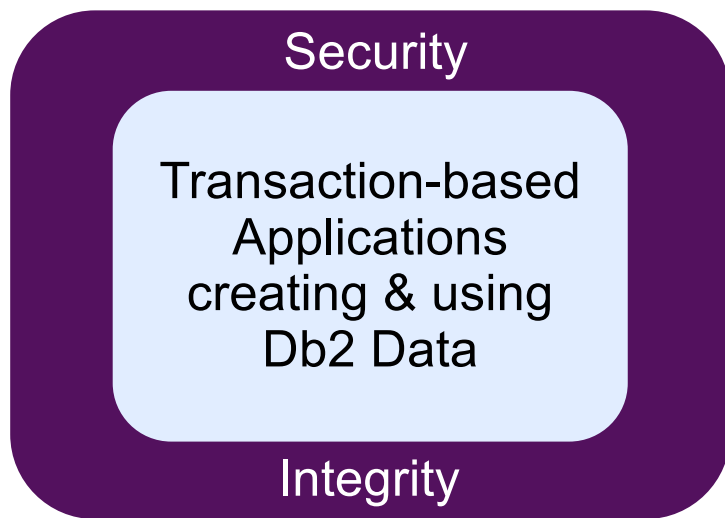
What IBM i Delivers



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- Major Releases
 - **Db2: Temporal (7.3), Db2 Mirror (7.4), Boolean & 10 x Max size (7.5)**
 - Security: Authority Collection – Users (7.3) Objects (7.4), Encryption & Audit (7.5)
 - Power family support
 - Customer requests which require pervasive changes
- Off-Release – Technology Refreshes and other mechanisms
 - Application Development Languages & Tools
 - RPG Free Format and “make RPG ‘normal’” additions to the language
 - RDi, Merlin, VS Code - **SQL**, Python, Java, Node.js, Git, Jenkins ...
 - Graphical Management and Access
 - ACS (Access Client Solutions) – **SQL examples & templates**
 - Navigator – Browser-based
 - New Power, I/O & Virtualization capabilities
 - Customer requests which can be delivered quickly
 - **Db2 features, IBM i Services (SQL)**

Core IBM i Value – Secure Transactional Data



Focused on on-prem POWER



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The database is known for flexibility and
the ability to automate many functions

The Laughing Boardroom



Db2 for i Enhancements

Geospatial Analytics with IBM Watson:

- Db2 for i integrated support at IBM i 7.4 and IBM i 7.5
- SQL capabilities to establish and leverage IBM Watson's spatial analytics functions and more
- Allows Data Analysts to easily review and interpret geospatial data
- A [new book](#) explains all the new function that is built into Db2 for i





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IBM i Ideas delivered since 7.4 & in 7.5

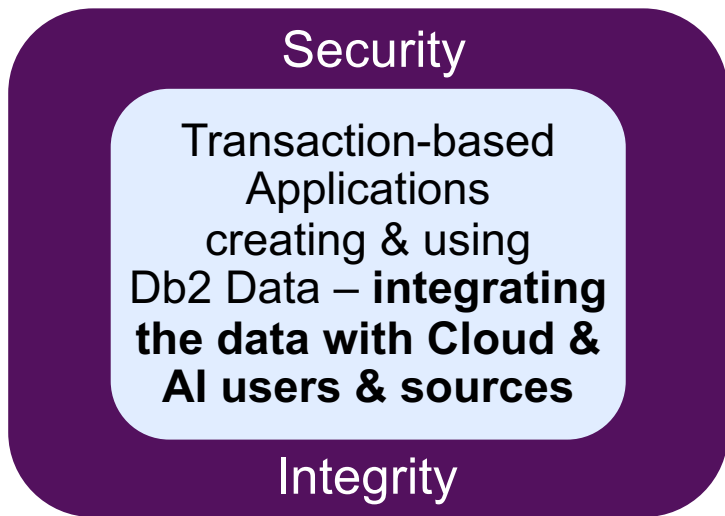
Since IBM i 7.4 GA...

- **499** Ideas delivered off-release (including RDi) in 3 years
- **128** additional Ideas delivered with 2Q2022 Announce and GA of IBM i 7.5 (at least!)

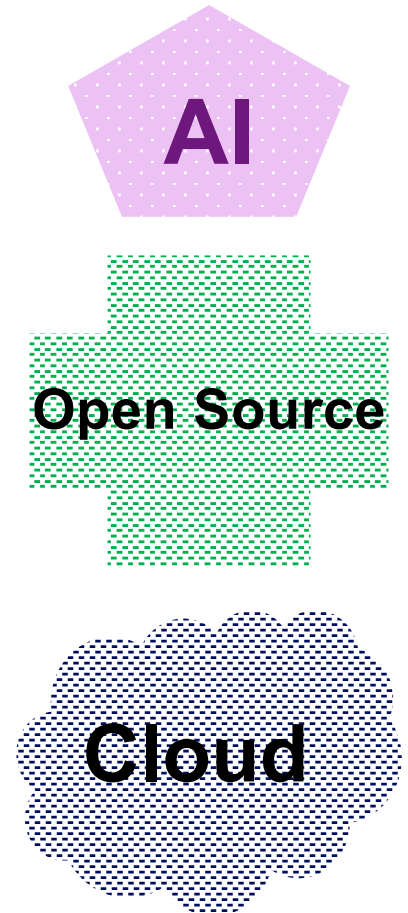
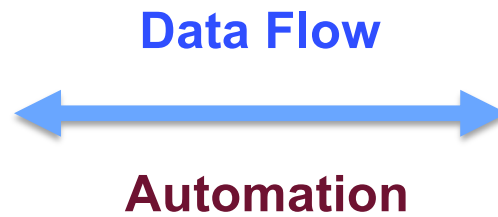
Help us prioritize our future deliveries:

- Vote and add comments to existing Ideas
- Create a new Idea
- Link to IBM Power Ideas: <https://ibm-power-systems.ideas.ibm.com/ideas>

IBM i – Data for emerging technology



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integrate + innovate

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