

Building Analytic Tools



- CATALYST (CIA, 1985-1990): S&T analytic tool development.
- Infosight (TRW/ESL, 1990-1995): defense conversion project.
- BizInt Smart Charts (BizInt Solutions, 1995-present): commercial software products.
- Looking forward lessons learned and technology "progress".

CATALYST Vision



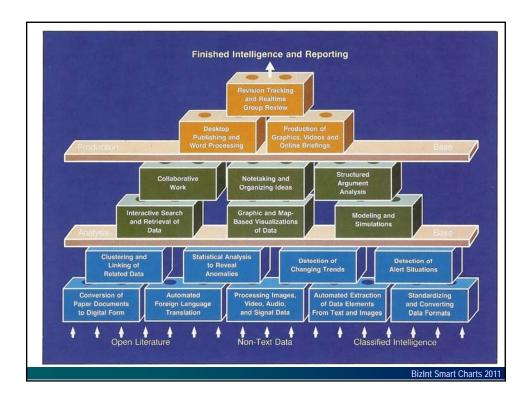
- CATALYST (Computer-Aided Tools for Analysis of Science and Technology) – 1989 paper.
- "functional specification for an analytic computing environment that we believe will be needed."
- "We propose a set of automated tools managed by the analyst to process both incoming and historical data...with sufficient built-in knowledge to operate on large amounts of data automatically."

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CATALYST Vision



"...we can best understand the CATALYST environment as a computer-assisted analysis pyramid in which interconnected computer tools are available at every step of the analysis pyramid."



CATALYST tools



- Pinnacle: OCR, full text search & retrieval.
- ALERT: new cable traffic system, NLP.
- HYPERION: hypermedia notetaking.
- **BEACON**: clustering, landscapes.
- **ATLAS:** NLP, visualization.
- Tools delivered to a few dozen OSWR analysts on Sun and NeXT workstations.

Lessons Learned: What worked?



- Conceived and managed by analysts and former analysts
- Development team closely tied to users.
- Problem-driven rather than technology-driven.
- Enthusiastic and motivated team.
- Useful guiding vision.

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Lessons Learned: What didn't work?



- Within 5 years, the program was dead and the tools were no longer being used.
- Team members moved on to other challenges.
- Workstation technology replaced by new generation of Windows PCs.
- Technology challenges too great for a small program – workstations, basic tools, sophisticated analytic tools.

Infosight Vision



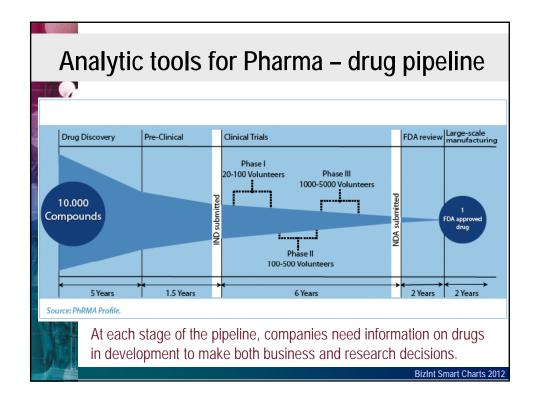
- Infosight defense conversion project at TRW/ESL (1990-1995).
- "...new initiative to develop and market software products for real-world intelligence."
- Apply ESL IC expertise in artificial intelligence and data fusion to the corporate world.
- "The Infosight business goal is to be the "Microsoft" of real-world intelligence in the next century...a multi-billion dollar software company."

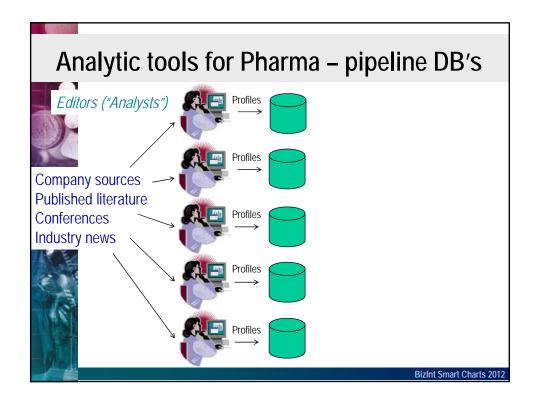
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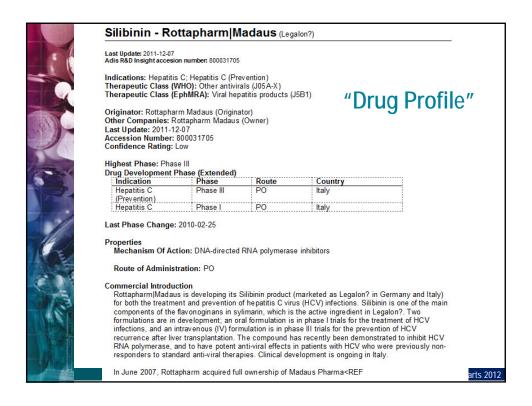
Infosight program

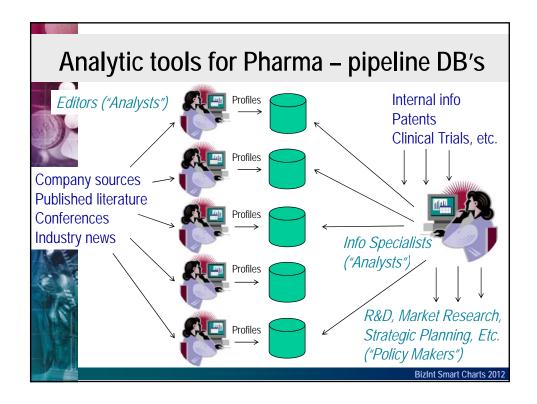


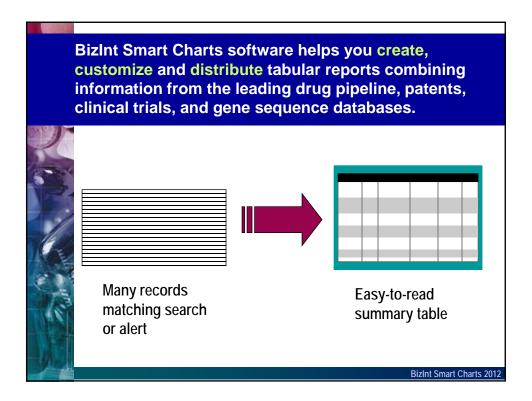
- Brought in Silicon Valley venture capital and marketing expertise.
- Took the basic technology from ATLAS and applied to a problem faced by "analysts" in pharmaceutical companies.
- Released TRW Smart Charts in late 1994 with sales to pharmaceutical companies.
- Team of 22 developers, marketing, sales, etc.





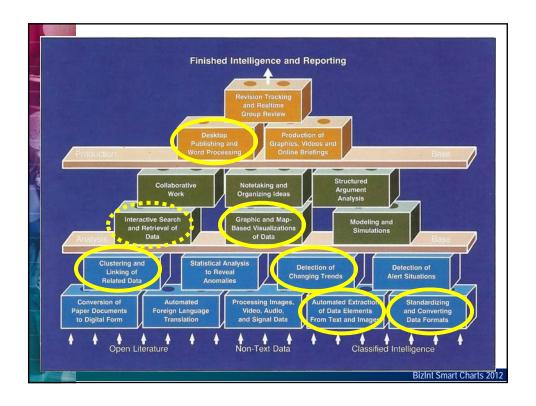






	Product	Originator	Structure	Highest Phase	Indications	Commercial Intro
77	PF-04878691	3M Pharmaceuticals	÷:	Discontinued	Hematologic/blood cancer Hepatitis C (HCV) Immunological Disorders Melanoma	Originated by 3M Pharmaceuticals, S-32855 is an imidazoquinoline toll-like receptor 7 (TLR7) agonist that acts as an immune response modifier. 3M had been developing the compound in phase II clinical trials in a subcutaneous formulation for the oral treatment of melanoma and hematologic malignancies. Pfizer had also been developing the compound for the treatment of hepatitis C; however in 2009 the company discontinued this research [CONT.]
78	Resiquimod	3M Pharmaceuticals	0,4	Phase I/II	Cutaneous T-cell lymphoma Hepatitis B (HBV) Hepatitis C (HCV) Herpes genitalis Immunological Disorders	Resiguimod is an immune modulating topical gel in early clinical trials at the University of Pennsylvania for the treatment of early stage cutaneous T-cell lymphoma The Mayo Clinic and the University of
79	Imiquimod	3M Pharmaceuticals (Originator)	NH2	Marketed	Actinic keratosis Basal cell cancer Hepatitis B Hepatitis C Herpes simplex virus infections Human papillomavirus infections Molluscum contagiosum Photodamage Tinea pedis Vulvar intraepithelial neoplasia	Imiquimod belongs to a class of immune response modifiers known as imidazoquinolines, which was originally developed by 3M Pharmaceuticals for a variety of skin disorders and viral infections. Meda and Medicis now own thrights to imiguimod Imiguimod is active both orally as well as topically in gel and cream preparations, and it induces high levels of circulating interferon-alpha and interleukin-1 [CONT.]

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1	Safety disposable mouse trap	WO 2006036767	PatBase		US 2006064922 US 2007151140 WO 06036767 WO 06036767		2006-03-30 2007-07-05 2006-04-06 2006-09-14	Source: US2006064922 designed to provide a di spring-loaded mouse tr arm to prevent accidents bow of a spring-loaded safety disposable mous lever screw attachment other conventional sprin trap elements. [CONT.]
2	Animal e.g. mouse, trap for use in e.g. house, has safety arm attached to top portion of screw attachment and maneuvered over bow, where safety arm is rotated by user with use of lever.	WO 2006036767	Derwent World Patents Index		US 2006064922 WO 2006036767		20060330 20060406	US2006064922 A UPAB- NOVELTY: The trap has above a collar and attact of a screw attachment. A attached to the top portio attachment and is mane (12). The safety arm is re with the use of the lever, attachment is anchored that the lever is located o path of the bow. [CONT.]
3	Safety disposable mouse trap	WO 2006036767	MicroPatent		US 20060064922	A1	2006-03-30	This product is designed disposable spring-loads a safety arm to prevent a discharge of the bow of mouse trap. The safety of trap consists of a lever, safety arm, and other cospring-loaded mouse trap. CONT.]



BizInt Smart Charts (1995-present)



- Bought the remnants of the TRW Smart Charts business in late 1995 and re-started as BizInt Smart Charts.
- Software used by hundreds of information specialists in pharmaceutical, chemical, and other high-tech companies worldwide.
- Works with dozens of commercial databases.
- ~ \$1M business; ~\$5M technology investment over 15 years.

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BizInt Smart Charts - lessons learned



- Corporate information specialists very similar to intelligence analysts.
- But the "sales" process is very different.
- Key to success is applying simple, mature technology to specific problems within the user's environment.
- Result is tools that offer dramatic new capabilities and are <u>actually used!</u>
- But it's not a multi-billion dollar business.

Looking forward...



In some ways, desktop technologies have exploded since 1989.

- The Web
- Google and similar searching tools
- Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- Laptops, cell phones, mobile devices
- Powerful, cheap desktop computers
- Desktop mapping and imagery (e.g. Google Maps)

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Looking forward...



But we've essentially "lost" some technologies critical to analytic tool development.

- **UNIX**
- Collaborative and notetaking environments (e.g. Lotus Notes, Xerox Notecards, etc.)
- New generation of software development and prototyping tools.

Looking forward...



And there has been surprisingly little progress in key elements of the CATALYST pyramid...

- Getting information online in a format that supports further processing and analysis.
- Automated analysis tools still requires lots of manual work for every specific case.
- Intuitive software development & prototyping tools
- Collaborative and notetaking tools
- Meaningful data visualization
- Presentation (beyond PowerPoint)