

# Merchant Portal

Make smarter business decisions through  
our insightful data management tool



## Merchant Portal

Our offering

**Merchant Portal is an innovative, data-driven and digital offering that helps banks provide a differentiated value proposition to merchants, enabling simple, relevant and actionable insights that enhance business understanding and drive profitability.**



### The Merchant Portal aims to give the acquiring bank an edge in service offerings



#### Strategic

Positions the acquirer as a digital first and data-driven differentiator in the market space giving them an edge to acquire potential merchants



#### Enterprising

Act as a strategic business partner for brands providing actionable insights  
Roll out new campaigns and offers in collaboration with merchants



#### Profitability

Track Profitability, Sales Leader board and other business insights

## Benefits to merchants

The Merchant Portal aims to give merchants valuable information that will help make better and more informed decisions



**Simple**

Business friendly user interface to track day to day sales and transactions

Offering simple and quality insights with essential functionalities



**Relevant**

Analysing the business performance indicators (KPIs)

Better understand opportunities for the business

Ability to compare with market data and competition



**Actionable**

Get actionable insights on stores, locations and customers

Generate meaningful data to run campaigns and attract customers

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## Features & Functionality



### **Built-for-purpose data model**

- » Pre-built merchant acquiring and issuing credit card, operative account data model
- » Historization of past data i.e. spends / transactions
- » Provision for manual uploads of master and merchant hierarchies



### **Scalable architecture**

- » Scale up to meet increased workload
- » Platform load tested and benchmarked
- » Can be integrated with any preferred channel



### **Data blending**

- » Uses combination of structured and unstructured data to show insights on the portal
- » Effective way of combining disparate but related information
- » Data enrichment and transformation to provide business KPIs

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### Slice 'n' dice

- » Ad-hoc & DIY Reporting
- » Data Exploration and discovery
- » Generate Pivots & Charts
- » Conditional Formatting



### Advanced analytics & API

- » AI/ML Models around Spend Momentum, Forecasting, Segmentation & Brand Affinity
- » Seamless API integration with Client channels



### Query resolution & Service Quality

- » One stop shop for merchants with a self service query resolution module
- » Front end to provide logging-in and responding to queries
- » Self service front end for query resolution
- » Leverage data to improve service quality



### Reports / Dashboards

- » Self Configurable Reports & Pre-built Dashboards
- » Filters, Drill Downs, etc. to access atomic data
- » 100+ Chart Types
- » Downloaded into CSV / XLS / PDF



### Campaigns

- » Create Campaigns based on analysis of past data and results of advanced analytics
- » Track campaign effectiveness and Return on Investment



### Alerts / Notifications

- » Configurable alerts & notifications based on a set of thresholds
- » Scheduling Facility
- » Alerts are either shown on the dashboard or can be triggered via an e-mail



# Pre-built Key Performance Indicators (KPIs)



## Executive Summary

- » Sales performance summary
- » Top 5 brands
- » Day wise sales performance
- » Key KPIs



## Sales Performance

- » MTD / YTD comparison
- » International / domestic sales comparison
- » Sales composition
- » Top 5 merchant categories / types



## Geographical Analysis

- » Sales for Top 5 origin countries
- » Sales for Top 5 origin region
- » Sales for Top 5 issuance banks
- » Detailed report



## Dynamic Currency Conversion & Easy Payments

- » MTD / YTD comparison
- » DCC conversion
- » DCC composition
- » EMI deals
- » Tenor distribution of EMI deals
- » EMI processing fee revenue



## Decline Analysis

- » MTD / YTD comparison
- » POS decline trend
- » Decline composition
- » Top 5 merchant categories/ types having declines



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