

Microsoft Fabric Foundations

Simplify Your Data Landscape.
Restore Trust. Accelerate Insight.



Close the Analytics Gap. Drive Adoption. Deliver Value

Re-imagine Your Data Estate with Microsoft Fabric.

Today's organisations are producing more data than ever, and turning that data into clear, actionable insight is now a major competitive advantage. But many leadership teams are still dealing with the same challenges: disconnected systems, time-consuming reporting, and inconsistent governance that make it harder to move quickly and confidently.

Microsoft Fabric is designed to change that. It brings all your data together into a single, well-governed foundation, giving your teams faster, more reliable insights and reusable data products that reduce operational effort. And because Fabric is built for the age of AI, it sets the stage for smarter, more innovative decision-making across the organisation.

By simplifying your data landscape and strengthening trust in the information you rely on, Fabric helps leaders drive performance, accelerate transformation and build a truly data-driven culture.

70%

of data goes unused in decision making due to fragmentation and lack of accessibility

80%

of an analysts' time is spent manually preparing data - reducing capacity for high-value insight.

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is the average cost of data governance or security failure, driven by compliance risks and uncontrolled data sprawl.

40%

faster insight delivery where companies use unified analytics platforms, enabling faster, more confident strategic action.



Organisations that succeed in the AI era will be those that modernise their data foundations today - not tomorrow!



Why Choose Storm Technology?

Storm Technology is one of Ireland's leading digital and data consultancies, with over 30 years' experience helping organisations unlock value through Microsoft-powered transformation. Our dedicated Data & AI practice brings together deep technical expertise with proven business-led strategy, ensuring that your investment in Microsoft Fabric delivers measurable impact - not just more technology.

Why organisations trust Storm with their Fabric strategy:

- **Business-Aligned Roadmaps:** We translate corporate goals into a clear, actionable data strategy.
- **Technical Excellence:** Specialists in Microsoft Fabric, Power BI, Azure and Purview.
- **Governance-First Approach:** Ensuring trust, security and compliance across your analytics estate.
- **Proven Adoption Methodology:** Empowering your teams to drive lasting, organisation-wide value.

We don't just implement platforms—we help you build a scalable, future-ready data capability.

Our Analytics Framework Methodology

A Proven Approach to Delivering Insight, Adoption & Long-Term Value

Storm Technology's Analytics Framework provides a structured, end-to-end approach to transforming how organisations use data. Built on four interconnected pillars—Strategy, Architecture, Governance and People - this methodology ensures that every stage of your Microsoft Fabric journey delivers measurable business impact.



Strategic Planning

We begin by aligning your data initiatives directly to your organisation's strategic goals. Through collaborative workshops, value targeting and KPI mapping, we identify the highest-impact domains and define clear success criteria before any technical work begins. This ensures the programme is focused, achievable and grounded in business outcomes, not technical complexity.



Technical Architecture & Enablement

Our team establishes a scalable, modern architecture leveraging Microsoft Fabric's Lakehouse patterns, shared semantic models and automated ingestion pipelines. This reduces duplication, accelerates time-to-insight and creates a trusted foundation for future AI use cases. Standardised integration and reusable data products streamline reporting across the organisation.



Governance & Optimisation

Sustainable analytics requires control - so we embed governance from day one. This includes structured workspace design, RBAC security, endorsement processes, lineage visibility and integration with Microsoft Purview. We also optimise query performance, monitor costs and ensure the platform remains scalable as additional domains come on board.



User Adoption & Capability Building

Technology alone does not transform organisations - people do. Our adoption model provides role-based enablement for analysts, developers and business users, supported by Power BI Apps, champion networks and ongoing office hours. This empowers teams to confidently use and evolve your analytics capability long after implementation.

A Managed, Scalable Data Platform

By combining strategy, architecture, governance and people enablement, Storm helps you move from ad-hoc reporting to a unified, governed and insight-driven analytics ecosystem - delivering faster decisions, stronger trust and a foundation ready for enterprise-scale AI.

Solution Tiers

Our flexible, value-driven engagement model is designed to help your organisation on its data modernisation journey, from initial planning to enterprise-scale adoption.

<p>T1 ASSESS "Strategy & Roadmap"</p> <hr/> <p>The Problem: We need to modernise our data estate, but the path, costs and ROI are unclear.</p> <p>What's Included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Current-state assessment • Target architecture design • Prioritised use case definition • Adoption plan & business case. <p>Outcomes: Clear, costed roadmap & ready-to-start pilot candidates.</p>	<p>T2 PILOT "Build & Validate"</p> <hr/> <p>The Problem: We need to prove the platform works for our data and build skills before a full investment</p> <p>What's Included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lakehouse for 1-2 domains • Automated pipelines setup • Shared semantic models • Role-based user training <p>Outcomes: Validated value, reduced risk & measurable user adoption.</p>	<p>T3 SCALE "Expand & Govern"</p> <hr/> <p>The Problem: We have pockets of usage but lack the governance and frameworks to deploy enterprise-wide.</p> <p>What's Included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multi-domain expansion • Governance framework setup • Performance optimisation • Enterprise catalog - (Purview) <p>Outcomes: Enterprise-ready platform with trusted reusable data products.</p>
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Ready to get started? [Book a free discovery call](#) with a member of our Microsoft Fabric team.

KEY OUTCOMES:

Faster, Automated Insights

AI-Ready Architecture

Improved Collaboration

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