

# Data analyst

## Definition

A data analyst is a [data management role](#) identifying data requirements, defining data, and developing and maintaining data models.

## Notes

A data analyst translates data into insights to improve and refine the (business) processes [1][2][3]. In addition, business decisions will depend on his or her analyses [3].

Responsibilities of a data analyst are: [2]

- Collecting data from different sources, either by surveying people, or gathering already captured data.
- Cleaning and preparing data depending on the requirements of the analysis to ensure result accuracy.
- Analyzing data and interpreting results – this involves identifying trends or patterns in data that can help in making informed decisions.
- Communicating analysed results to teams through visualizations or written reports.

## Relations

A data analyst is an instance of a [data management role](#).

A data analyst is part of DQMS-element [roles and responsibilities](#)

## References

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