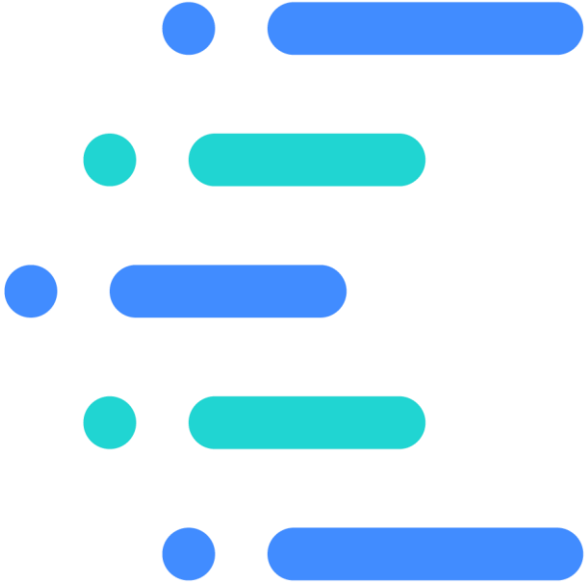# IBM Cognos Analytics 11.1 Reporting

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Major improvement areas

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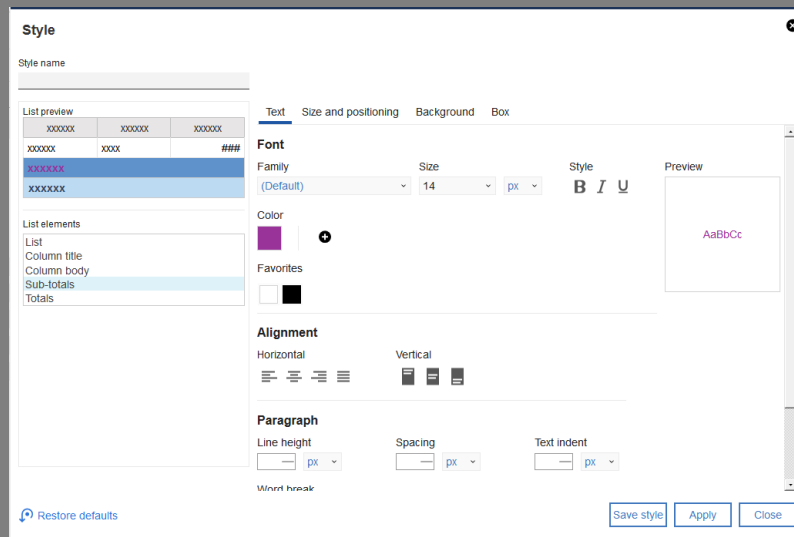
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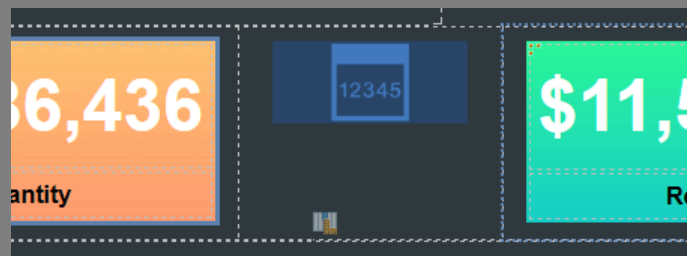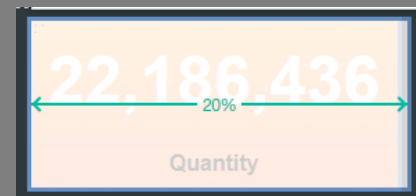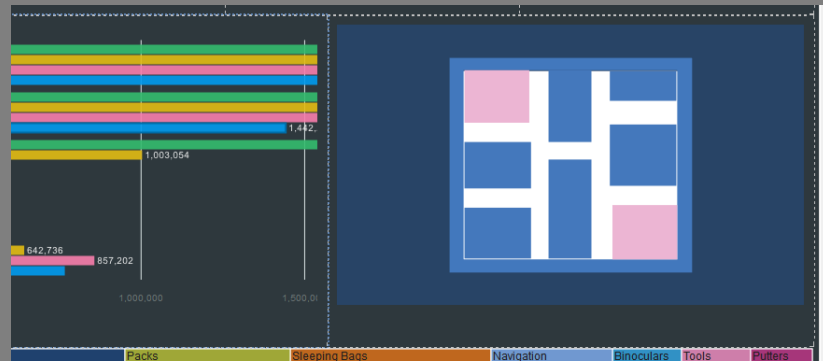
Visualization

What's coming in Reporting?

Reusable Styles

- A centralized location to modify default styles for report object.

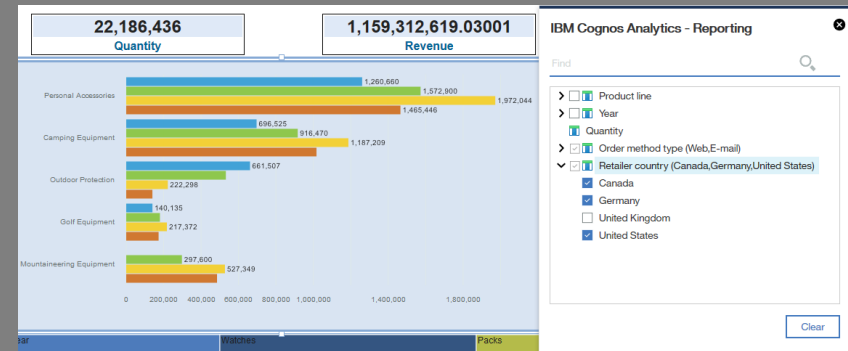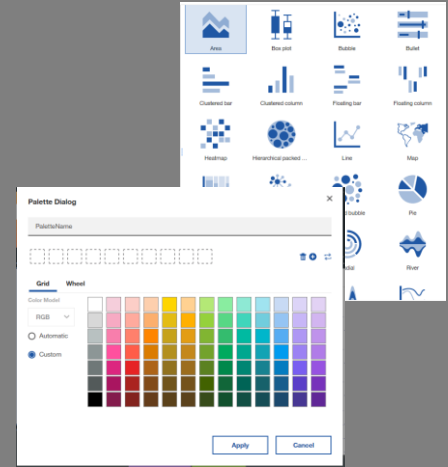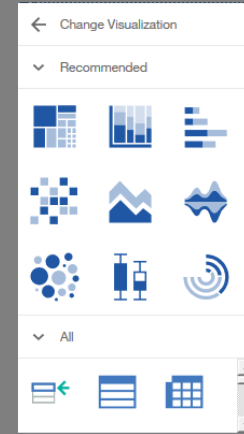- Customized styles can be saved and reused.

Guided layout

- Visual feedback helping report authors to layout objects in desired locations.

- Resize objects directly on the canvas.

- Uses a percentage based positioning to support different screen resolutions.

Interactive visualizations

- Visualizations can interact with extra data provided by report authors.

- Data is cached on the browser side to provide ultimate performance.

- New visualization types including Bullet, Hierarchical packed bubble, Merimekko, Network and Tree map.

- Meaningful visualizations are automatically generated with little authoring experience needed.

- Custom color palette can be shared and reused.

Usability improvements

- Users can leverage existing visualizations from a dashboard or a report via copy/paste

- Improved UI navigation helps report authors to quickly navigate between pages and queries in complex reports.