

# Learning Measurement from an L&D Perspective at Via

Via and CrossKnowledge

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## **Company Background**



Company-at-a-Glance		
Headquarters	Via S/A (Rua Samuel Klein, 98 – Centro – São Caetano do Sul/SP - Brazil	
Year Founded	2010	
Revenue (Receita)	R\$28.901.000.000,00	
Employees	47 thousand employees	
Global Scale (Regions that you operate in or provide services to)	Brazil	
Customers/Output, etc. (Key customers and services offered)	Omnichannel retail Retail of home appliances and electronics	
Industry	Retail	
Stock Symbol	VIIA3	
Website	https://www.via.com.br/ https://ri.via.com.br/	



# **Company Background**



Company-at-a-Glance	
Headquarters	Hoboken New Jersey US
Year Founded	2000
Revenue	\$70 million USD
Employees	250+
Global Scale (Regions that you operate in or provide services to)	Worldwide
Customers/Output, etc. (Key customers and services offered)	CrossKnowledge delivers an integrated and personalized learning experience: a unique combination of digital content for the most in-demand skills created with world-renowned experts, a learning platform built with human and artificial intelligence, and unmatched accountability with a dedicated Client Success Team. That's what makes CrossKnowledge the trusted learning partner of organizations, helping L&D, managers and learners acquire the skills they need to succeed. Part of Wiley, one of the world's largest research and education providers, CrossKnowledge has 20 years of experience in digital learning, serving over 12 million learners in 130 countries.
Industry	Digital learning
Stock Symbol	JWA
Website	www.crossknowledge.com



## **Budget and Timeframe**

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Overall budget	R\$ 1,071,000 in technology costs/year						
	R\$	340,000	in	salary	mass	of	involved
	emplo	oyees/yea	r				
Number of (HR, Learning,	3						
Talent) employees involved							
with the implementation?							
Number of Operations or	8						
Subject Matter Expert							
employees involved with the							
implementation?							
Number of contractors involved	1 partner contract, 1 HR people contract						
with implementation							
Timeframe to implement	2 yea	rs					
Start date of the program	01/07	7/2020					

#### **Business Conditions and Business Needs**

Via is recognized for believing in people and making their dreams come true, and, for that, it intends to be the relationship and consumption platform for Brazilians.

Through several brands (Casas Bahia, Pontofrio, banQi, Bartira, Asap Log, I9XP and Extra.com), it works with brands that are present in people's homes. It is the largest electronics and furniture retail company in Brazil, also offering financial and full-commerce solutions for other companies.

The group is driven by continuous innovation, based on technology, new businesses and an unlimited offer of products, services and logistics. In addition, it focused on diversity, learning and customer experience, building the largest and best marketplace in the country.

In 2021, the HOD (Human and Organizational Development) area was restructured. In addition, the formalization of a corporate environmental policy reflects the commitment to improve its positions related to the activity and reinforces the need to restructure information management, implement results dashboards and constantly recycle improvement practices in internal teams.

With its new strategy and culture, the Corporate Education area was redesigned, bringing a dedicated look at indicators. This position was dedicated to designing new models for



measuring and monitoring learning data. The model evolves daily, with investment in employee development and integration between systems.

#### Overview

Before the implementation of the learning indicators measurement program, a diagnosis was carried out with some benchmark actions and research studies on training, published in ABTD e Integração - Escola de negócios, of companies with the same branch/business. A diagnosis was also carried out with the Human Development team and business partners, to understand the main indicators needed to monitor the company's current strategies.

The Corporate Education area proceeded to perform the measurement, report and monitoring of the general indicators of Corporate Education, such as training applied according to learning needs, volume of training, participation in courses, cost of training, performance of Universidade Via (Corporate University) as volume of accesses, times and days of the week most accessed, reaction assessments, learning and NPS.

The main objective of the measurement was, first, to carry out the proper structuring of the data in Corporate Education and report of the important numbers, according to the area/company's strategy. The program was integrated throughout the company, as it is now possible to measure these numbers in all corporate, logistics and stores areas, and all the HR area have access to this information.

Currently, the company works with a data processing model and reports with dashboards for weekly or periodic monitoring. The monitored actions are:

- Regulatory training mandatory by law, by regulatory bodies
- Development programs
- Education logistic processes: classes planned x held per month, attendance rates
- Budget planning (approved x accomplished)
- Project follow-up (planned vs. delivered projects, SLA measurement, level of complexity, team distribution)
- Content development (scheduled vs. completed projects, queue, use of monthly fee).

The monitoring of all indicators in T&D is integrated via PowerBI, available to the HR team and in implementation phase to all of Via's leadership.



## **Design of the Program**

The measurement program in its first delivery was directed to the company's Human and Organizational Development audience and its Business Partners, as a pilot. It will be improved based on the HOD team feedback, with a plan to make it available for all leaders

To structure the volume of necessary indicators, some brainstorming meetings were held with the involved areas and had the participation of the responsible for BI Corporate Education indicators, taking into account the business strategy, objectives of the area, company, customers, leaders and its follow-up needs.

Based on that meeting, it was carried out a modeling of indicators creation, according to the tool chosen for each panel.

We currently have the following indicators dashboards:

Weekly monitoring dashboard on regulatory training



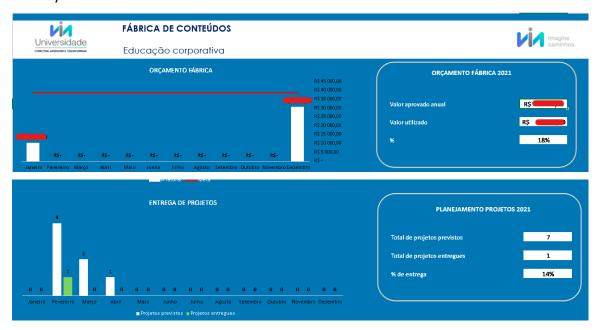
Cost tracking report with Education and Organizational Development providers, budget control.

Area monitoring projects Dashboard, from inception to implementation





Dashboard for monitoring projects in content development, with the supplier in Content Factory.

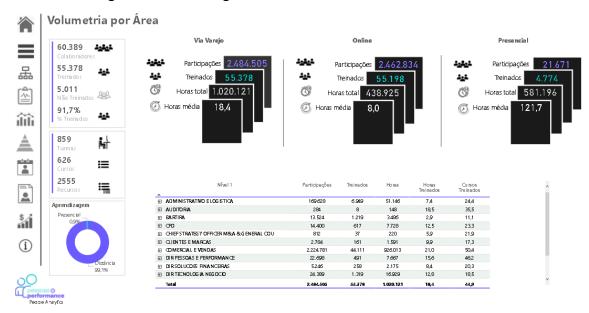


## Dashboard of demands in on-site/remote training logistics

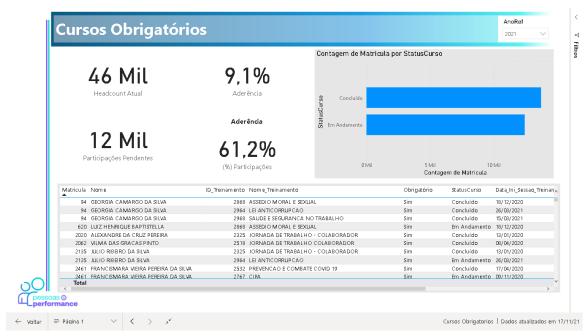




#### PowerBI management in learning KPIs

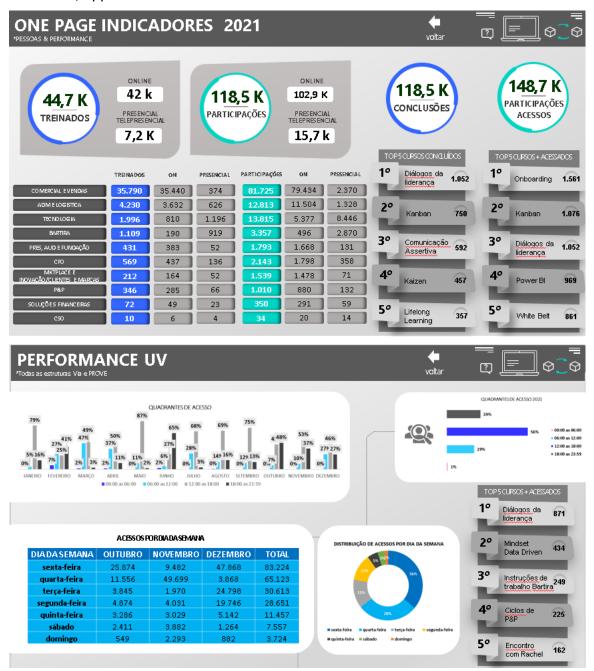


## PowerBI management in compliance indicators in regulatory training

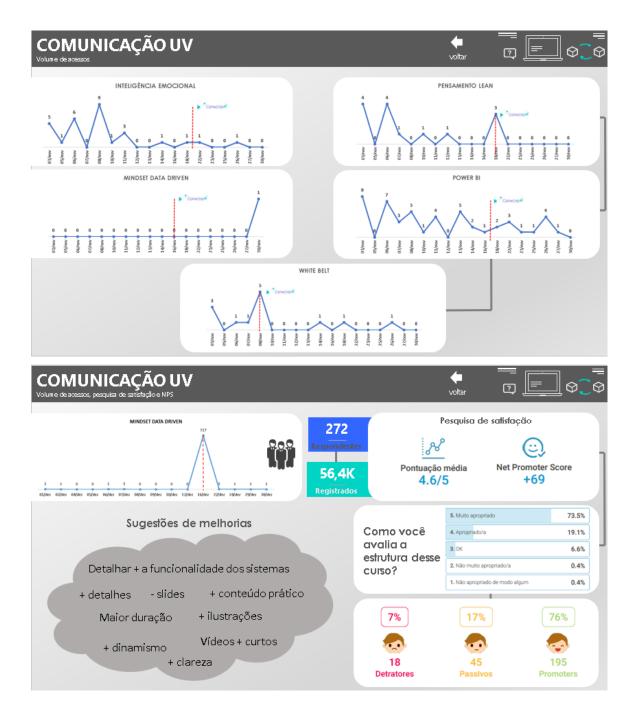




Monthly routine with presentation of indicators volume, identification of gaps, anomalies, opportunities in Education to share with the area.







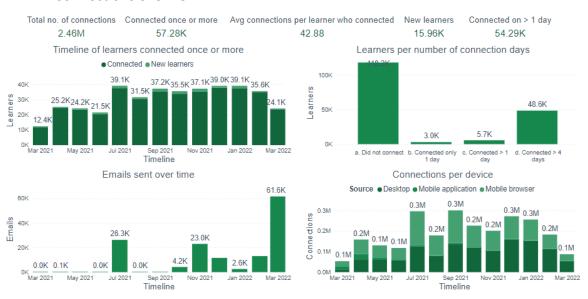


## Real-time tracking in LXP/LMS:

#### • Platform performance:

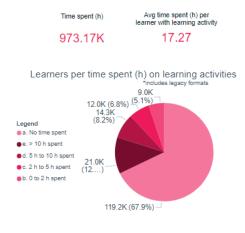


#### Connections overview:





#### • Time spent on learning:

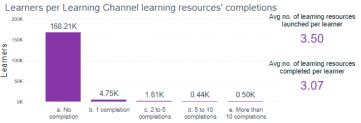


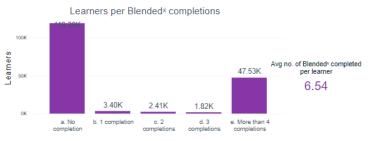


## Completed Content:



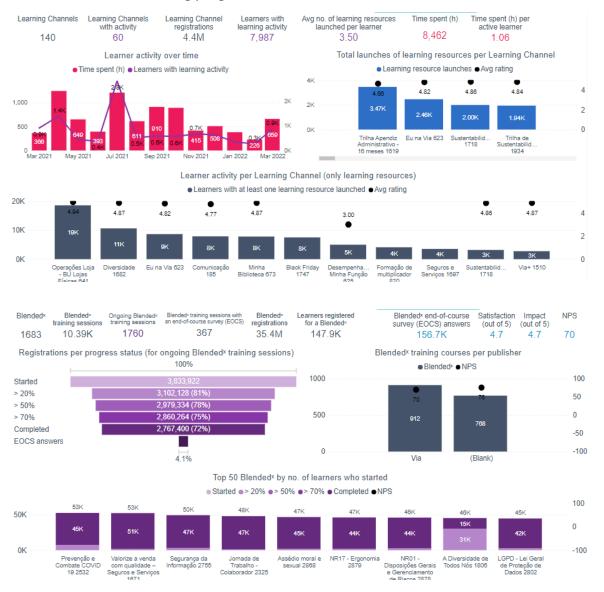








#### Overview of training programs:





## **Delivery of the Program**

The implementation was structured in phases starting in July 2020: diagnosis, structuring the information record, bases and dashboards development, presentations and, finally, PowerBI implementation.

After the diagnosis, the entire structuring of Via's LMS/LXP Platform was carried out, creating patterns for structuring paths, courses and resources, according to the defined data report structure.

After the structuring phase, all the necessary bases for the output panels were developed, such as dashboards in spreadsheets, presentations with data storytelling, reports and panels in PowerBI.

Tools were also developed to monitor adherence to regulatory training by law and result indicators - evaluations, impact and performance of Universidade Via.

## **Change Management Efforts**

The main challenges were the gaps that the company's team and employees had due to data interpretation and new BI tools. For this, it was necessary to train these employees, data users in these tools, mainly in their usability and offered techniques.

As it is a company with great capillarity and high volume of employees, the data volume also becomes a challenge, making its implementation more complex, requiring the use of robust technologies for structuring data, such as servers, SQL, Azure, base automation, RPA. The participation of the company's analytics team and specialists in the field is required.

As measurement, performance and decision-making based on data are part of the company's strategy and objective, a learning path dedicated to this competence and an entire development program was designed/implemented together for the change management of Via's employees. Today, the company has several indicator panels, not only in Education, but also in many other areas of Via, making the daily work much more based on data.



Learning paths launched (44,570 employees):

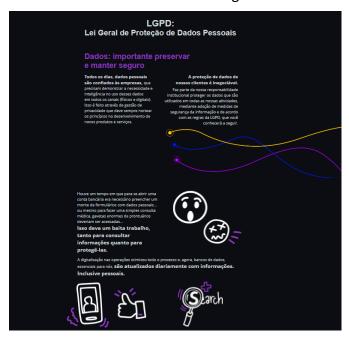
How to Deploy a Data-driven Culture



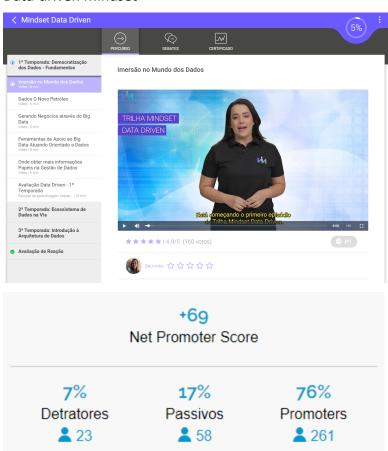




## GDPR: General Data Protection Regulation



## Data-driven Mindset





#### PowerBI



#### Dashboard with Excel







## **Basic Excel**



N	+72 Net Promoter Score				
6%	14%	80%			
Detratores 24	Passivos	Promoters 382			

#### Intermediate Excel



N	+70 Net Promoter Score				
8%	15%	77%			
Detratores 30	Passivos 2 65	Promoters 326			



#### Advanced Excel



+67 Net Promoter Score				
9%	15%	76%		
Detratores	Passivos	Promoters		
<b>2</b> 31	<b>\$</b> 50	<b>2</b> 55		

#### **Measurable Benefits**

With the structuring, report and monitoring of indicators in Education and Development, it was possible to identify the volume of actions carried out, area and Universidade's performance, improvement opportunities. Based on the past, it is now possible to compare annual volumes with previous ones, set goals and obtain new insights for the area.

As examples, Via was able to monitor, with greater priority, the volume and periods of access to Universidade Via and identify days, times most accessed, impact of learning communication, communication engagement. As a result, content was launched at strategic times and days, in addition to identifying the real impact of communication, which engages in access to the Platform.

PowerBI is a dynamic, quick-to-update and self-service tool, from which it is easy to identify any number in training and development at Via. This gives access to managers and Business Partners, who had no vision of the development of their teams and can now monitor the development of their team's Individual Development Plan, among others.

Looking at the quality numbers, it is also possible to identify opportunities for improvement in the quality of training, such as resource enhancement.

As next steps, Via is evolving strategies to track investment returns.



#### Overall

Measuring the results of corporate education and performance of Universidade Via, it was possible to identify the history of various information about the area in the last two years and support the group to tread new paths, goals, strategies and identify the main points of opportunity that the Education area have. These points are identified in monthly meetings with the Education team, where all the information collected is gathered according to the data structuring performed. This information is worked with the team for inputs and insights into continuous improvement of corporate learning solutions.

As next steps, more robust policies and processes will be implemented regarding the registration and report of this data. Evolve the applicability, investment and results indicators.



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