

Text Component

Use a Text Component, to display a static or a dynamic text in your analysis sheet.

You may for example use a text component to display instructions, explanations or further information regarding your analysis.

However, you can also use it to display a dynamic number, that is derived from a KPI.

A great application of the text component is to display the net value or the number of orders in a process cockpit.

Please note however, that the numbers are derived from KPIs and therefore they are set up to follow [selections](#).

Orders: **67,023**

Net Value: **45.3B €**

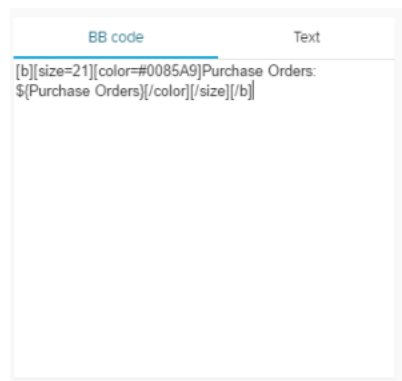
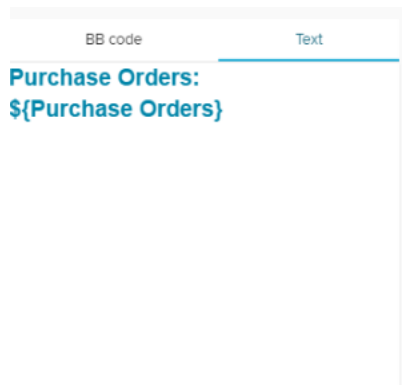
Configuration

The following screenshot offers a sample configuration, displaying the Number of Purchase Orders with a short title:

Purchase Orders:
67,023

Here, you can enter your text.

You can choose (and switch in between) between a normal text editor, and a [BBCode](#) editor.



To display dynamic content in your text area, you can make use of Formulas.

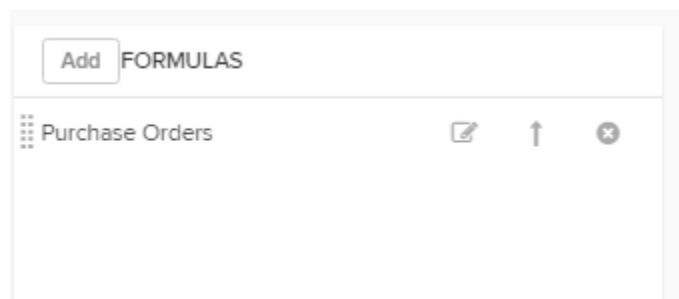
Click on  .


This will open the well known [Formula Editor](#).


Create your desired KPI and **name your formula**.

We will need this name to identify it in our text component.

After you have set up your formula, it will appear in the Formulas section:




Use the  icon to reopen the Formula Editor.

Use the  icon to include this formula in your text.

This will create the following text in your text area:

`${The Name Of Your Formula}`

You can copy it and paste it anywhere within your text component.

Use the  icon to delete your Formula.

Activate the *Show Border* checkbox to surround your text with a border.

You can specify the thickness, style, color and opacity of the borderline.

BORDER OPTIONS
☒ Show Border
Thickness
Style
Color
Opacity 60%

Set a background color for your text!

Activate the *Show background* checkbox, select a color and adjust the opacity.

BACKGROUND OPTIONS
☒ Show background
Opacity 30%
Color

If you don't want your text formula to be affected by *any* external [selection](#), activate the *Component is not filtered with selections* checkbox.

☐ Component is not filtered with selections
