Best Practices for Dashboard Design

• 1, choose metrics based on why they matter.

only choose and use metrics that you need. You don't add stuff just because it looks cool.

• 2, keep it visual.

no one has any issues with the information and how it's presented

• 3, make it interactive.

It has filters and allows you to drill down and examine the underlying data however putting in too much interactivity can cause issues

- 4, keep the data up to date.
- 5, make it simple to access and use.

This is easily accomplished by posting this onto Tableau Public.

• 6, mistakes to avoid.

Which of the following are among the 7 mistakes to avoid in dashboard design?

Starting with too much complexity

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It is a mistake to start with too much complexity. Keep it as simple as possible.

Cluttering the dashboard with unimportant graphics

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It is a mistake to clutter your visualization or dashboard with irrelevant or unimportant graphics. Only use graphics that are essential and important.

Waiting for technology or big deployment

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It is a mistake to put off moving forward on your project because you are waiting for the next new technology or deployment to roll out. Do the best you can with what you have now.

The mistake would be to start with too much complexity.