

The B2B Measurement Breakdown

Why marketers are overwhelmed, underequipped and tracking all the wrong things

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Most marketers are flying blind.

Only

of B2B orgs are truly insights-driven.

(That means 97% are still guessing.)

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Don't trust their analytics. Less than half use them to guide daily operations or major decisions.

It's not that they don't have data. Some feel they're drowning in it.







More dashboards \neq more clarity.

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of B2B companies cite unconnected data sources as a top challenge.



The skills aren't matching the tools.

of analytics producers admit their teams lack the skills to get the job done.



of users admit the same.

Someone's missing the **memo** — or the **training**.

Marketers are clinging to old metrics.





of CMOs still rely on marketingsourced pipeline — reporting on a metric they feel pressured to show, not one that truly reflects impact.

use marketing-influenced metrics — a way to say, "We helped!" without having to prove how.

What's this mean? It's time to move beyond credit and focus on contribution.

Too much data. Not enough direction.

Stop measuring what's easy and start measuring what matters.



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