

Creating a Dashboard

Dashboards are collections of your related charts, tables, and headlines.

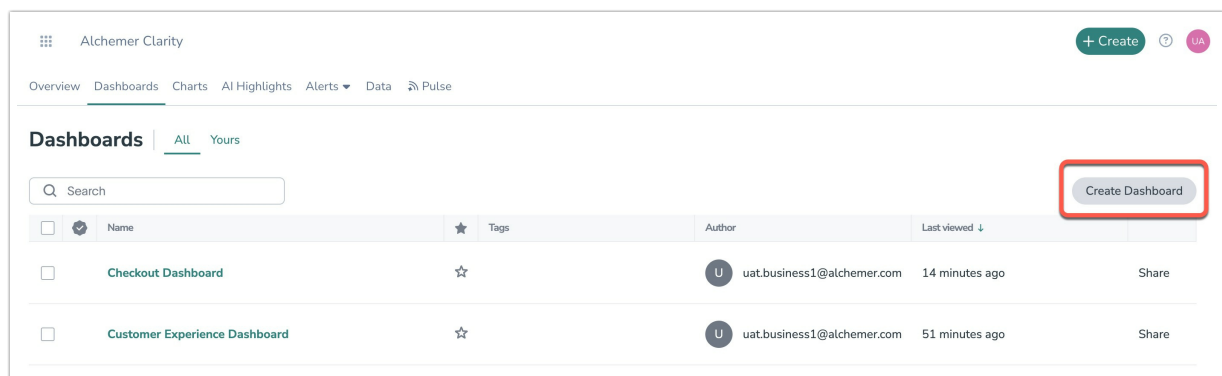
What are Dashboards

You can pin charts and tables to any Dashboard which you created, and those that have been shared with you with the **Edit** privilege. When you create a Dashboard, you can share it with other people with either the **View** or **Edit** privilege. You can collaborate with other users on a Dashboard by commenting and reacting to comments. Dashboards are interactive, allowing you to perform actions like filtering, excluding values, and drill down on the visualizations.

Create a Dashboard

To create a Dashboard:

1. Select Dashboard, on the top navigation bar.
2. Select Create Dashboard on the Dashboard list page.



3. In the **New Dashboard** dialog, give your Dashboard a name and description. Then select **Create**.

Create new Dashboard

Name

Description

Explain the purpose of the Dashboard and how others should read it

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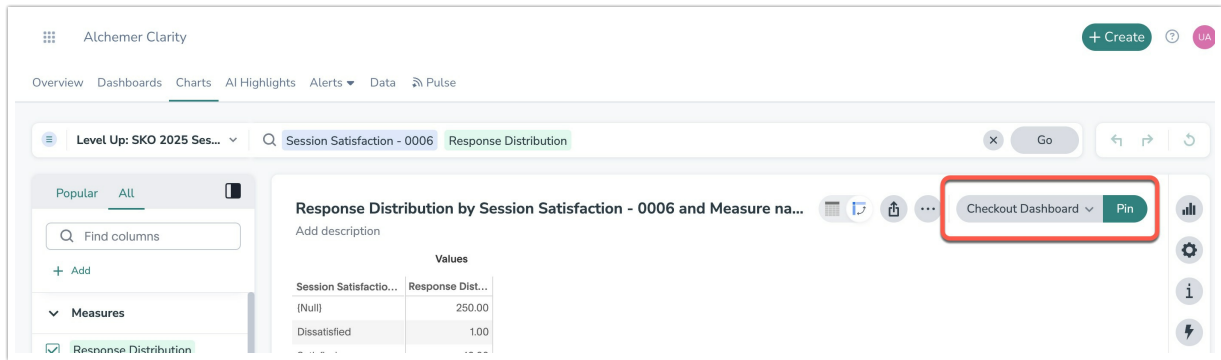
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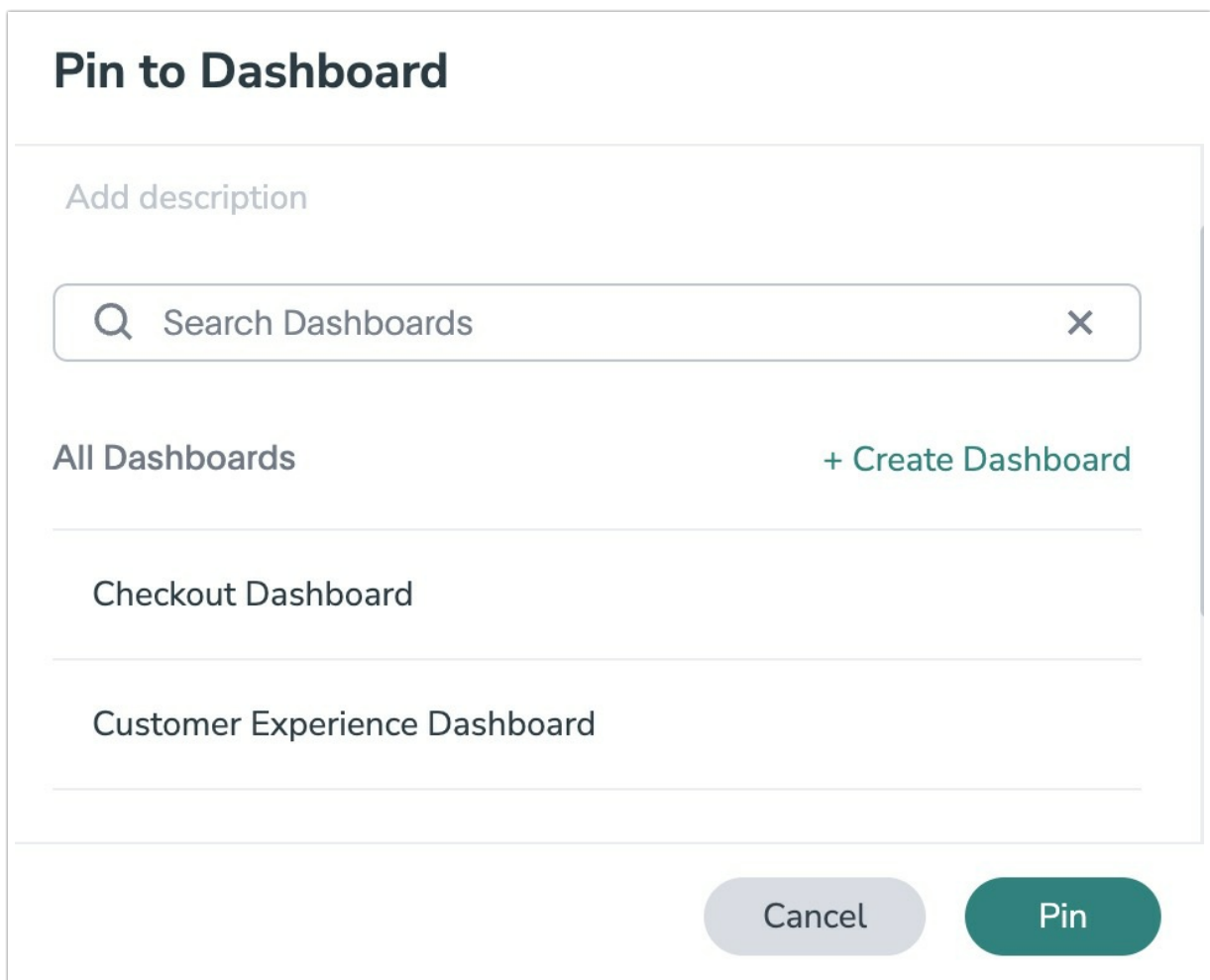
Add a Chart to a Dashboard

Instead of saving a Chart you can add it to a Dashboard. To add a Chart to a Dashboard:

1. While viewing your Chart of interest, select the **Pin** button at the upper right of the Chart. The **Pin** button may have a Dashboard tab name next to it. Select **Pin** to quickly pin the Chart to that Dashboard or Dashboard tab. Select the dropdown menu to pin the Chart to a different Dashboard.
2. In the **Pin to Dashboard** dialog, select the name of the Dashboard you would like to add your Chart to.



3. If the Dashboard has multiple tabs, there is an arrow > symbol next to the Dashboard name. When you select the Dashboard, you can choose a tab to pin to, or create a new tab by selecting + Create tab.



4. Select **Pin**.

You can also select **Create Dashboard** at the top of the list of Dashboards to create a new Dashboard, then add your Chart to it.

Download a Dashboard

You can download a Dashboard as a PDF file, without having to download each visualization separately. Downloading a Dashboard works just as it would when downloading an Chart: simply select the **More** menu and select **Download as PDF**.

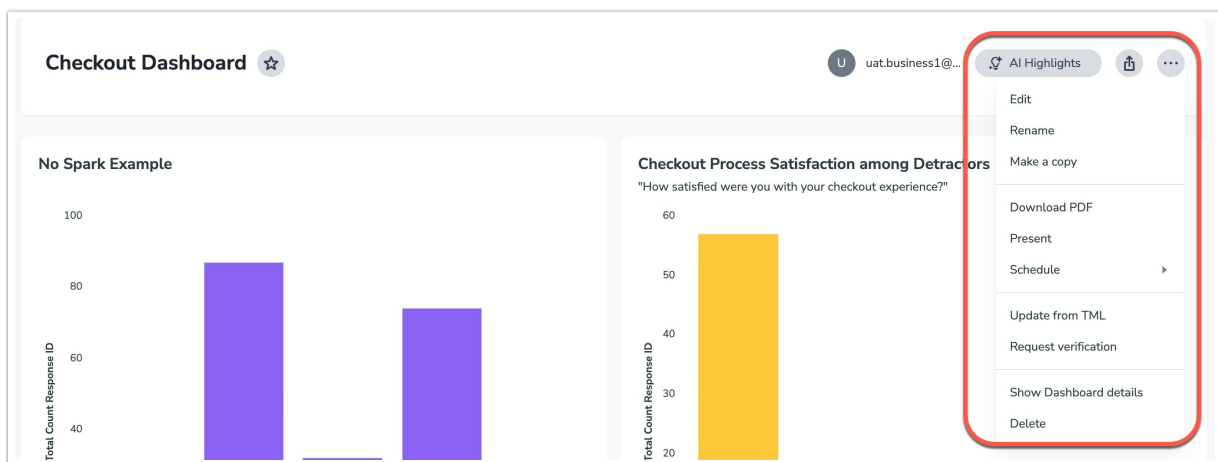
For more details, see [Download a Dashboard as PDF](#).

Details about a Dashboard

You can view the following details about a Dashboard:

Name	Name of the Dashboard.
Description	Short description of the Dashboard.
Data source	Indicates the list of underlying data sources used to create the visualizations in the Dashboard.
Author	Name of the Dashboard author.
Created on	Date that the Dashboard was created on.
Last modified on	Date that the Dashboard was last modified on.
Last modified by	Name of the user who last modified the Dashboard.

View these details by selecting the **More** menu icon and selecting **Show Dashboard details**.



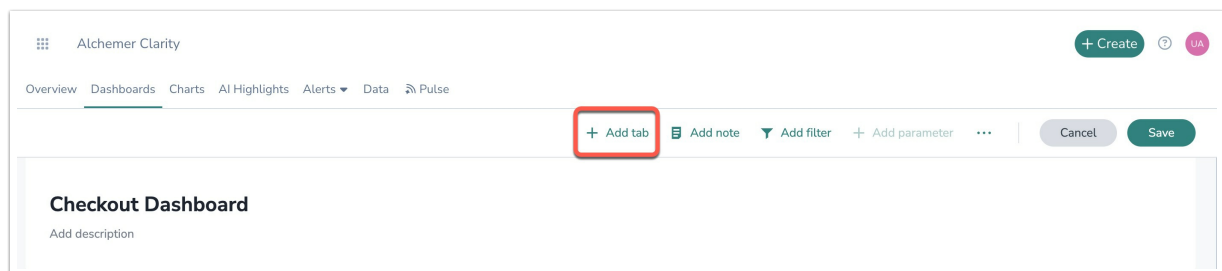
Edit a Dashboard

You must enter **Edit mode** to make changes to the Dashboard. This includes adding filters, adding tabs, and changing the layout. You do not need to enter edit mode to change the name of the Dashboard or Dashboard visualizations. Note that we improved the readability for the smallest size of Dashboard visualizations. Now, minimum-sized visualizations display only the chart, omitting the x- and y-axes and labels. You can hover over select data points to see the values.

To enter edit mode, select the **Edit** button at the upper right of the Dashboard. If this button is grayed out, you do not have edit privileges for the Dashboard. To resolve this, contact your administrator or the creator of the Dashboard.

Dashboard tabs

You may want to separate your Dashboard into multiple tabs, grouping certain visualizations together in each tab. For example, you may have a **Sales** Dashboard that contains top-level KPIs and more detailed charts. You can create a tab for the top-level KPIs for executives to view, and a tab for the more detailed charts that managers need to monitor. To add tabs, select the **Edit** button at the upper right of the Dashboard, and select **+ Add tab** in the top menu.



Undo, Redo, and Reset Buttons

As you work with Dashboard visualizations, you may want to undo or redo an action. Use the in-product undo, redo, and reset buttons to reset or go back or forward 1 step each time you make a change in a search, saved Chart, or Dashboard visualization (for example, when you drill down, or sort). These buttons appear to the left of the **Explore** button in a Dashboard visualization. Note that the reset button is only available for saved Chartss and visualizations; it resets the Chart to its last saved state.



Other Dashboard actions

Other Dashboard actions include actions you normally perform on your search as well as actions that you can only perform on a Dashboard. You can see these options when you select the **More** menu icon in the upper-right corner of the Dashboard. Note that there are different options in the more menu for the Dashboard, depending on whether you are in **view** or edit mode.

You can see different options when you select the **More** menu icon in the upper-right corner of any Dashboard visualization. Note that there are different options in the more menu for the visualizations, depending on whether you are in **view** or edit mode.

If you make a change to a Dashboard in **Edit** mode, you must save your changes. Select the **Save** button in the top menu bar to make your changes permanent.

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