Enterprise Analytics
(Also known as Pyramid Analytics or BI Office)
Slicing in the dashboard in Enterprise Analytics
**How can you Slice in the dashboard in Enterprise Analytics?**

What is slicing? Think of the data you are looking at as a cake or a pie. Slicing means you only want a portion of the cake/pie. There are 3 different types of slicing capabilities in Enterprise Analytic dashboards.

1. Slicer
2. Global Slicer
3. Cascading Slicer

The regular slicer can be found with the Global Slicers along the top or side of the dashboard or in their own panel. The regular slicers have a lightning bolt indicator on the box next to the name of the dimension you are slicing by and are directly related to or inherited by at least one panel in the dashboard. Some examples of a regular slicer are the State, Citizenship, Age Band, Gender and Degree Honors found in the Degree Awards dashboard. These regular slicers are inherited by the Degree Awards Trend panel.
Global Cascading Slicers can be identified by the Globe that is on the box next to the dimension name you are slicing by. Global Cascading Slicers can be found on every tab of the dashboard and are tied to most panels. It is important to know that if you change the Global Slicer on the first tab of the dashboard, the results of the change will be reflected throughout the entire dashboard and all of the panels. In cases where the panel contains the Global Slicing dimension, the slicer will not apply (Refer to How to drill down/up instructions).

For example, in the NAU Daily Enrollment dashboard, if I change the Global Slicer “Campus” to “Flagstaff Mountain” on the Key Enrollment Metrics tab, then the other tabs in the dashboard will now reflect “Flagstaff Mountain”.

Key Enrollment Metrics Tab
Key Enrollment Metrics Tab—“Flagstaff Mountain”

| Campus | Flagstaff Mountain |

Campus Related Tab

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