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Arcwise

The Insider's Guide

AI that explains metric changes from your warehouse and BI data



Every plan, grade, refund rule and rival among spreadsheet and database tools, read from Arcwise's own pages.

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ToolGPA put this guide together from Arcwise's own pages, its app-store listings and our grades. Every fact in it is on Arcwise's page too, where it is kept up to date. Checked Nov 13, 2026.

Welcome

What it is, who it suits, its grades and the ten things to know first

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GPA, above 0 of the 63 other spreadsheet and database tools we grade

Arcwise's site now describes a product for finding and explaining shifts in business metrics, with each explanation traced to the data and documentation behind it. It connects to data warehouses and BI tools such as Snowflake, BigQuery and Databricks, and delivers reports in its own app or embedded in docs and slides. It is sold through demos, and the site no longer describes a spreadsheet product.

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> **It publishes no prices, you book a demo to see it, and it isn't a spreadsheet app.**
>
> From our report card of Arcwise

To get you started, here are **7 things to know about Arcwise**, taken from its own pages and our grades.

1 **Best for explaining metric changes from warehouse data**

Arcwise is now an AI tool that explains why metrics moved, working from your data warehouse and BI tools.

2 **It runs on Web**

Web.

3 **Early metric change detection**

Flags meaningful shifts in performance metrics before they come up in reviews.

4 **Traced explanations**

The vendor says every explanation is grounded in the connected data and documentation and can be audited.

5 **Business context**

Docs, definitions and operating logic can be connected so explanations follow the company's own terms.

6 **A 1.6 GPA, above 0 of 63**

That is against the other spreadsheet and database tools we grade, on value, the free plan, features, ease of use and platforms.

7 **Keep it**

The plain part of Arcwise you could make: reports. What surrounds it you could not. The 2 things listed below take a company, not a weekend.

Arcwise at a glance

PRICING Paid	FREE PLAN No
FREE TRIAL None stated	RUNS ON Web
MADE BY Arcwise	CATEGORY Spreadsheets & Databases
OUR GRADE 1.6 GPA, weak	

The report card

Best for explaining metric changes from warehouse data

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see it, and it isn't a spreadsheet app.

TOOLGPA REPORT CARD	Arcwise	Graded Nov 13, 2026
SUBJECT	GRADE	COMMENT
Value for money	C	No price is published, so it sits in the middle until a quote says otherwise.
Free plan and trial	F	No free plan and no trial on record, only a demo booking.
Features	D	It explains metric changes and needs a warehouse such as Snowflake, BigQuery or Databricks to be any use. It no longer edits spreadsheets.
Ease of use	C	Connections to a warehouse and your documentation have to be set up first, and no store rating is on record.
Platforms and integrations	B	Web with Snowflake, BigQuery and Databricks connections. No desktop or phone apps are listed.
Grade point average		Weak, out of 4.0 **1.6**

An A is worth 4 points, a B 3, a C 2, a D 1 and an F nothing. The GPA is the average of the five.

Who Arcwise is for

- ✓ Fits if your metrics live in a warehouse and you need to explain moves in them
- ✓ Works for data teams that can book a demo and connect their own LLM keys

Who it is not for

- ✕ Skip it if you want a spreadsheet app, which this no longer is
- ✕ Not for you if you want to try it without talking to anyone
- ✕ Watch out: the SOC 2 Type II claim is the vendor's own, and no prices are shown
- ✕ Too light for anyone without a data warehouse

Good to know

Good for

- ✓ Operations and growth teams that already keep metrics in a data warehouse
- ✓ Companies that need an auditable trail behind each explanation of a number

Worth knowing

- ⓘ No prices are published; the site offers a demo booking and the paid and free terms of use are separate documents.
- ⓘ The current site is about warehouse metrics, not editing spreadsheets, so it is a poor fit for someone who wants a spreadsheet app.
- ⓘ The security page lists SOC 2 Type II as the vendor's claim, with your own LLM keys supported.

What it costs

Every plan, the free plan, ways to pay less and how prices have moved

Arcwise's current pricing could not be confirmed from its own site.

> **No price is published, so it sits in the middle until a quote says otherwise.**
>
> From our grade for value for money

We could not confirm Arcwise's current prices from its own site, so this guide lists no plans. arcwise.app has them.

What it does

Its main features, where it runs, what it works with and who makes it

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Place it runs: Web

AI that explains metric changes from your warehouse and BI data. Here is what it does, as its own site describes it, and what it covers: AI features, reports, dashboards.

> **It explains metric changes and needs a warehouse such as Snowflake, BigQuery or Databricks to be any use.**
>
> From our grade for features

Early metric change detection

Flags meaningful shifts in performance metrics before they come up in reviews.

Traced explanations

The vendor says every explanation is grounded in the connected data and documentation and can be audited.

Business context

Docs, definitions and operating logic can be connected so explanations follow the company's own terms.

Reports in your workflow

Reports are delivered in the Arcwise app or embedded in docs and slides.

Where it runs

Web

What it works with

Snowflake
BigQuery
Databricks

Arcwise is made by Arcwise.

Where it stands

Its grades against its category, and whether to keep it or make your own

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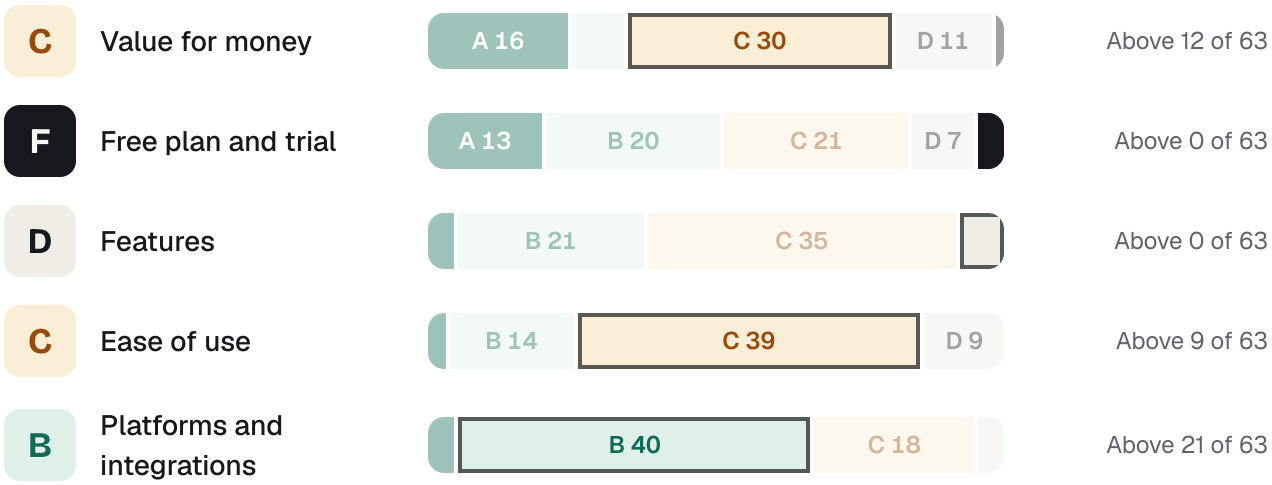
Other spreadsheet and database tools it is graded above

Arcwise's GPA of 1.6 is higher than 0 of the 63 other spreadsheet and database tools we grade, and level with 4.

It stands best on platforms and integrations (B, above 21 of 63) and worst on free plan and trial (F, above 0).

Each grade against the category

Every bar is all 64 spreadsheet and database tools we grade, cut by the letter each got. Arcwise's own letter is outlined.



Keep it, or make your own?

Whether this is something you could build for yourself with an AI app builder, and what you would give up.

Keep it

The plain part of Arcwise you could make: reports. What surrounds it you could not. The 2 things listed below take a company, not a weekend.

That makes this kind of software worth paying for, not this one in particular: 59 of the 63 other spreadsheet and database tools grade higher.

What you could make

- Reports: an app builder makes this well.

What you could not

- Connections that pull numbers from dozens of other services.
- AI features, unless you pay a model provider for each request yourself.

What this rests on. Arcwise's listing: what it does, where it runs, what it plugs into and what it costs. It is a judgement about the kind of software this is. We have not built a replacement for it, and making your own means looking after it too. How we decide, and every tool's verdict.

The alternatives

The tools it is most often weighed against, side by side



Sourcetable, Equals and Better Analyst (formerly Formula Bot)

The 3 tools Arcwise is most often weighed against, with where each one differs from it.

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Sourcetable

Free plan · from $29/mo

AI spreadsheet that queries databases and business apps.

- Sourcetable has a free plan. Arcwise does not.
- Arcwise also covers reports and dashboards.
- Sourcetable also covers spreadsheets.

Arcwise and Sourcetable compared in full

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Equals

Free trial · from $24,000/yr

Spreadsheet connected to business data, with dashboards.

- Equals also covers workflow automation and spreadsheets.

Arcwise and Equals compared in full

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Better Analyst (formerly Formula Bot)

Free plan · from $20/mo

AI data analyst: chat, dashboards and alerts over files and databases.

- Better Analyst (formerly Formula Bot) has a free plan. Arcwise does not.
- Better Analyst (formerly Formula Bot) also covers chat assistant, workflow automation and spreadsheets.

Arcwise and Better Analyst (formerly Formula Bot) compared in full

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Quick answers

The questions people ask about it, each answered in a line or two

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Questions, each answered in a line or two

The short version of everything above, for when you only need the answer. Each one is told in full in its part of the guide.

Is Arcwise free?

No. Arcwise is a paid product.

What platforms does Arcwise work on?

Arcwise is available on Web.

Does Arcwise have an Android app?

No Android app was listed when its pages were read on Nov 13, 2026. Arcwise is listed for Web.

Does Arcwise have an iPhone app?

No iPhone app was listed when its pages were read on Nov 13, 2026. Arcwise is listed for Web.

Is Arcwise open source?

Arcwise is not described as open source on its own site, as read on Nov 13, 2026.

What does Arcwise integrate with?

Arcwise's listing names Snowflake, BigQuery and Databricks. A listing names up to eight integrations, so it may connect to more.

Who makes Arcwise?

Arcwise is made by a company of the same name.

What are the alternatives to Arcwise?

The closest alternatives to Arcwise in our directory are Sourcetable, Equals and Better Analyst (formerly Formula Bot).

How does Arcwise compare with other spreadsheet and database tools?

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Could I make my own version of Arcwise?

The plain part of Arcwise you could make: reports. What surrounds it you could not.

Where this guide comes from

The prices, plans, platforms and features were read from Arcwise's own pages on Nov 13, 2026, and the grades were given on Nov 13, 2026. Graded from this listing, whose facts were read from Arcwise's own pages on 13 November 2026. Not based on using the product, and shorter than our full reviews.

Every tool we list gets five grades, A to F, each with its reason, and a GPA that averages them. How each is decided is at toolgpa.com/grades. This guide is ToolGPA's own work; it is not made, paid for or approved by Arcwise. Prices change, so check arcwise.app before you buy.

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Tools graded, in 95 categories

ToolGPA grades software the way a school report grades a pupil: five subjects, a letter for each with the reason written beside it, and a GPA that averages them. Prices, plans and platforms are read from each maker's own pages and dated, so you always know how fresh a figure is.

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tools graded	categories	price changes on record	apps priced in 12 countries

What else is on toolgpa.com

Arcwise, kept up to date

Everything in this guide, with prices and grades as they are today

toolgpa.com/tools/arcwise

How grades are given

The rules behind every letter and every GPA

toolgpa.com/grades

Value charts

What each tool costs against what it scores, for every category

toolgpa.com/charts

Compare

Any two tools side by side, plan by plan

toolgpa.com/compare

Price changes

Every price rise and cut on record, each with its source

toolgpa.com/price-changes

Prices by country

What apps cost on the App Store in 12 countries

toolgpa.com/prices-by-country

Pay less

Every public discount: yearly billing, students, nonprofits

toolgpa.com/save

Keep or make

Which tools are worth paying for, and which you could build yourself

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