

# Big Data in Hulu

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# Agenda

- What is Hulu?
- Big Data in Hulu
- How Data Helps Marketing
- How Data Helps Advertising
- Q&A

# Hulu Introduction – Overview



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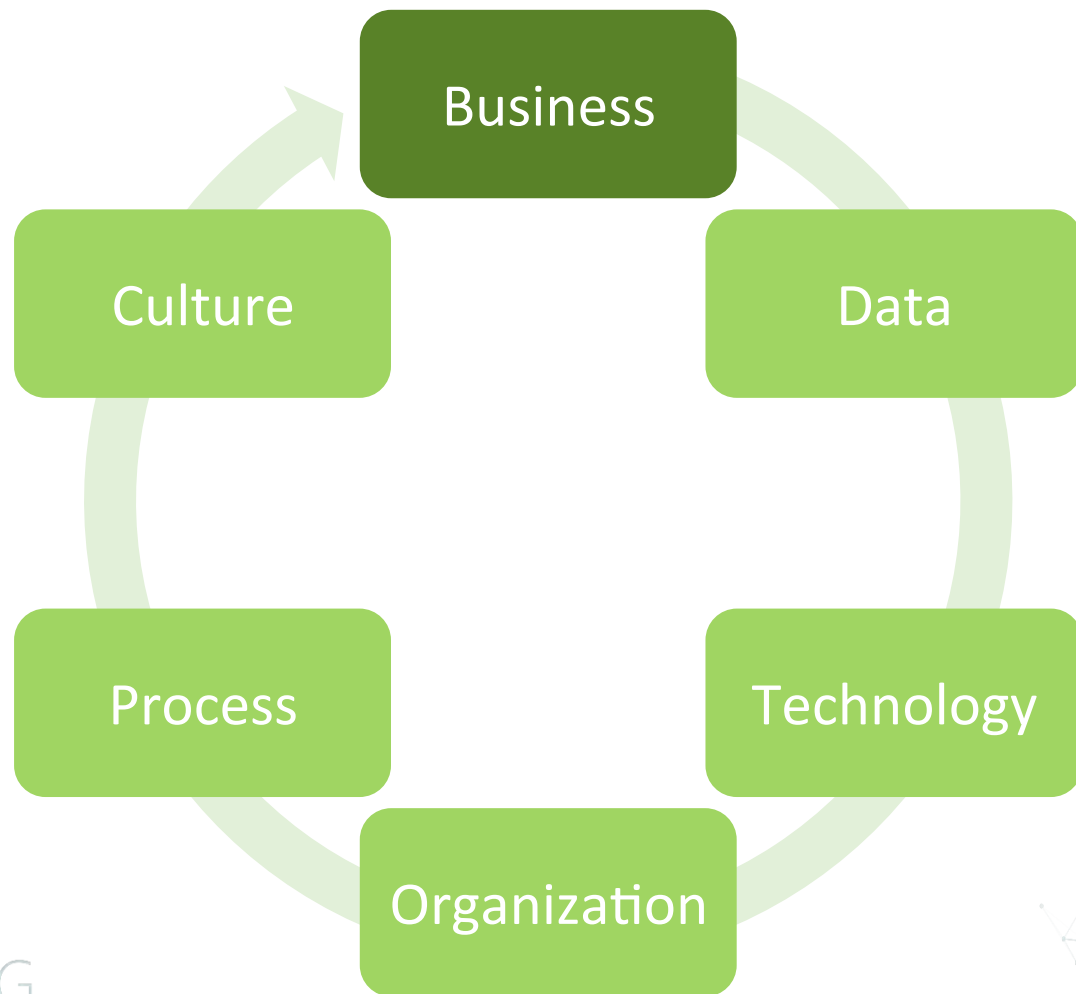


# Big Data in Hulu – Framework

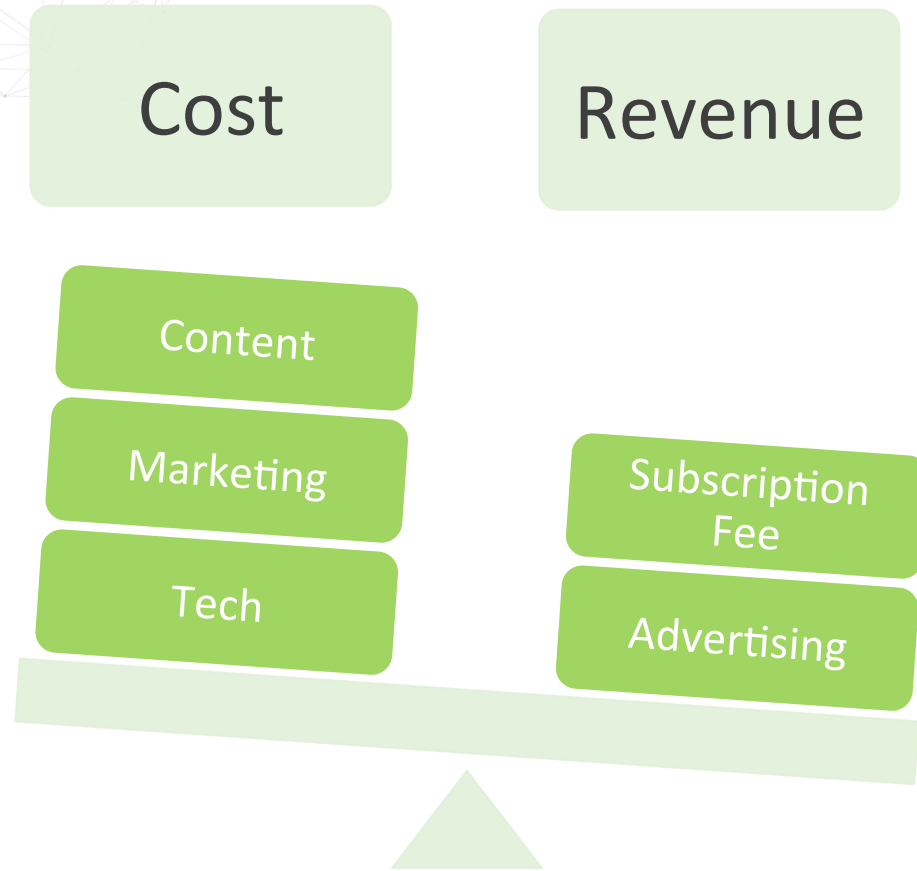
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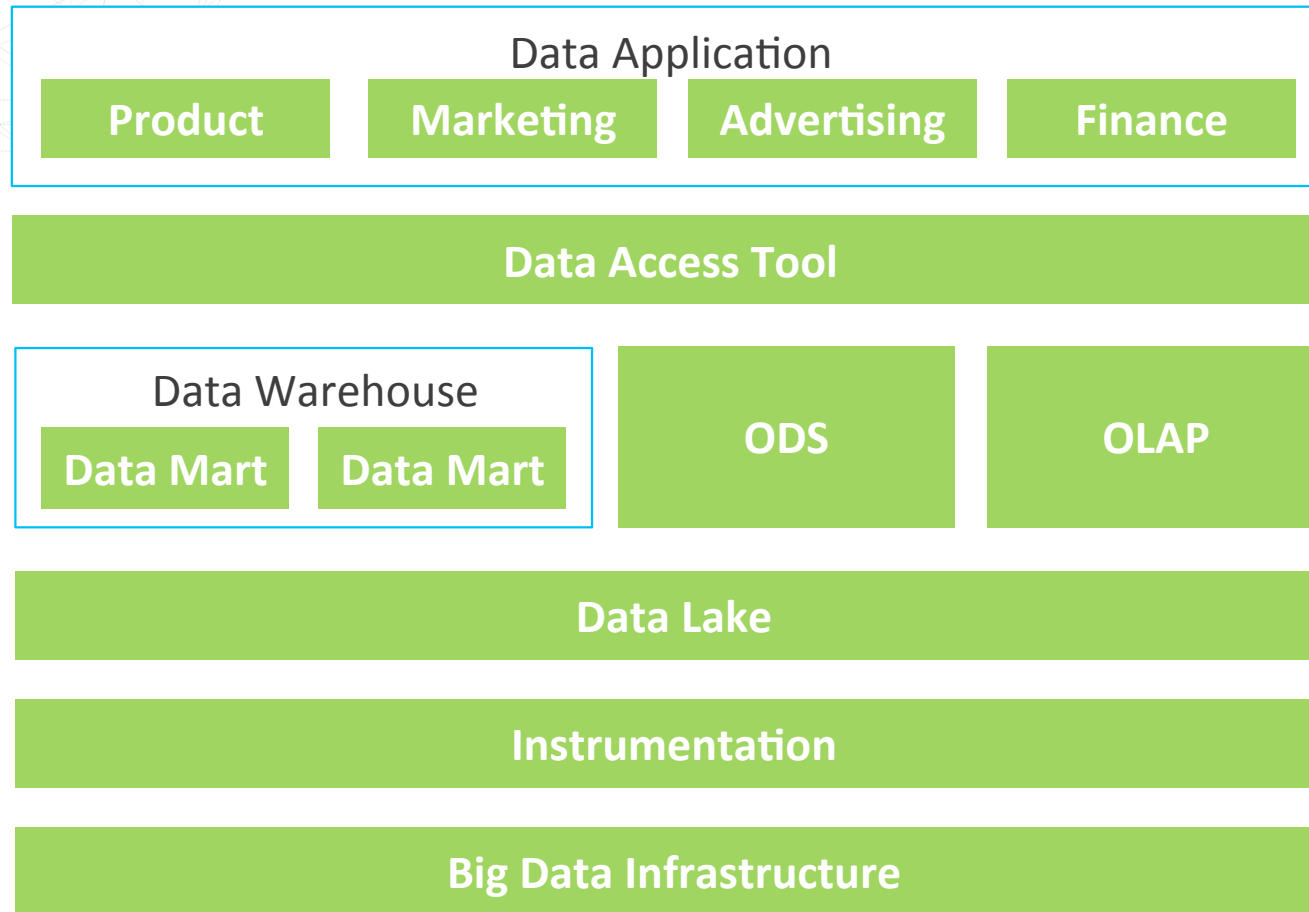


# Big Data In Hulu – Business Model



1. Start from business
2. Figure out how data could help on:
  - support daily operation
  - reduce cost
  - increase revenue

# Big Data In Hulu – Overview



1. Combine general purpose big data technology stack with company specific business scenarios
2. Combine analytics system with operational system



# Marketing in Hulu

# Marketing In Hulu – Goal

Branding

Acquisition

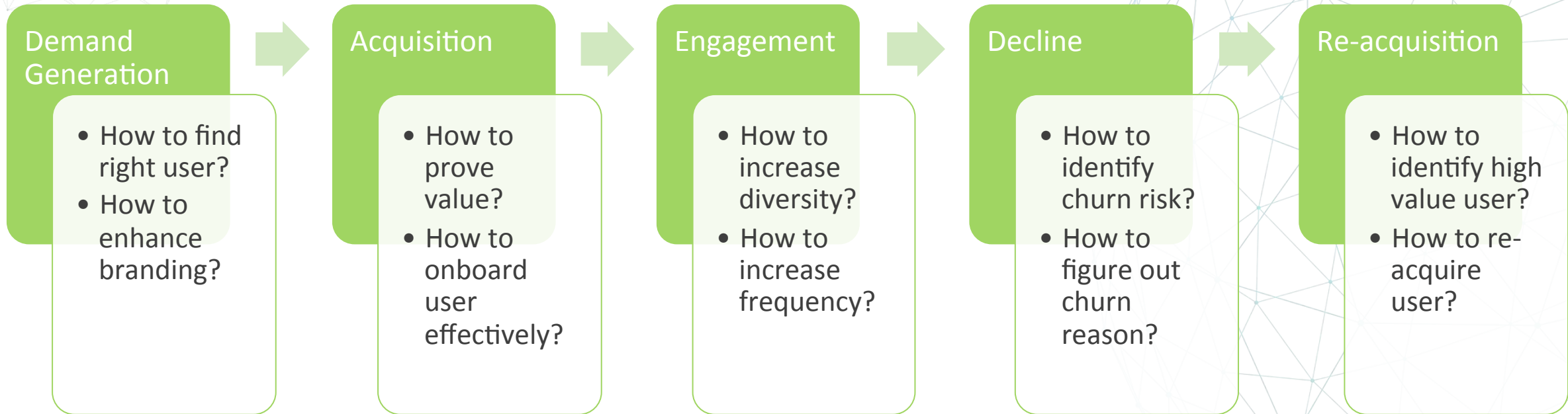
Engagement

Retention



Cost

# Marketing In Hulu – Customer Lifecycle



# Marketing In Hulu – Key Consideration



## Context awareness:

1. Varies from different customer lifecycle stage
2. Varies from combination of key consideration

## Channel:

1. On Hulu
2. Off Hulu + Online
3. Offline

# Marketing In Hulu – Matrix

	Demand Generation	Acquisition	Engagement	Decline	Re-acquisition
Targeting					
Product					
Pricing					
Channel	<p>What is the ROI for each of our paid media channels? What cost per sign-up should we target to profitably acquire new subscribers? Use CLV and Attribution in combination to determine the CPS target for each channel.</p>				
Messaging					

Data:  
 1. Cost / Value of each channel  
 2. CLV of each user  
 System:  
 1. MTA, Dimensional analysis  
 2. CRM database

# Marketing In Hulu – Requirement

## Data Lake / Data Mart

- First party / Third party
- KPI / Reporting

## CRM system

- Fact
- User persona

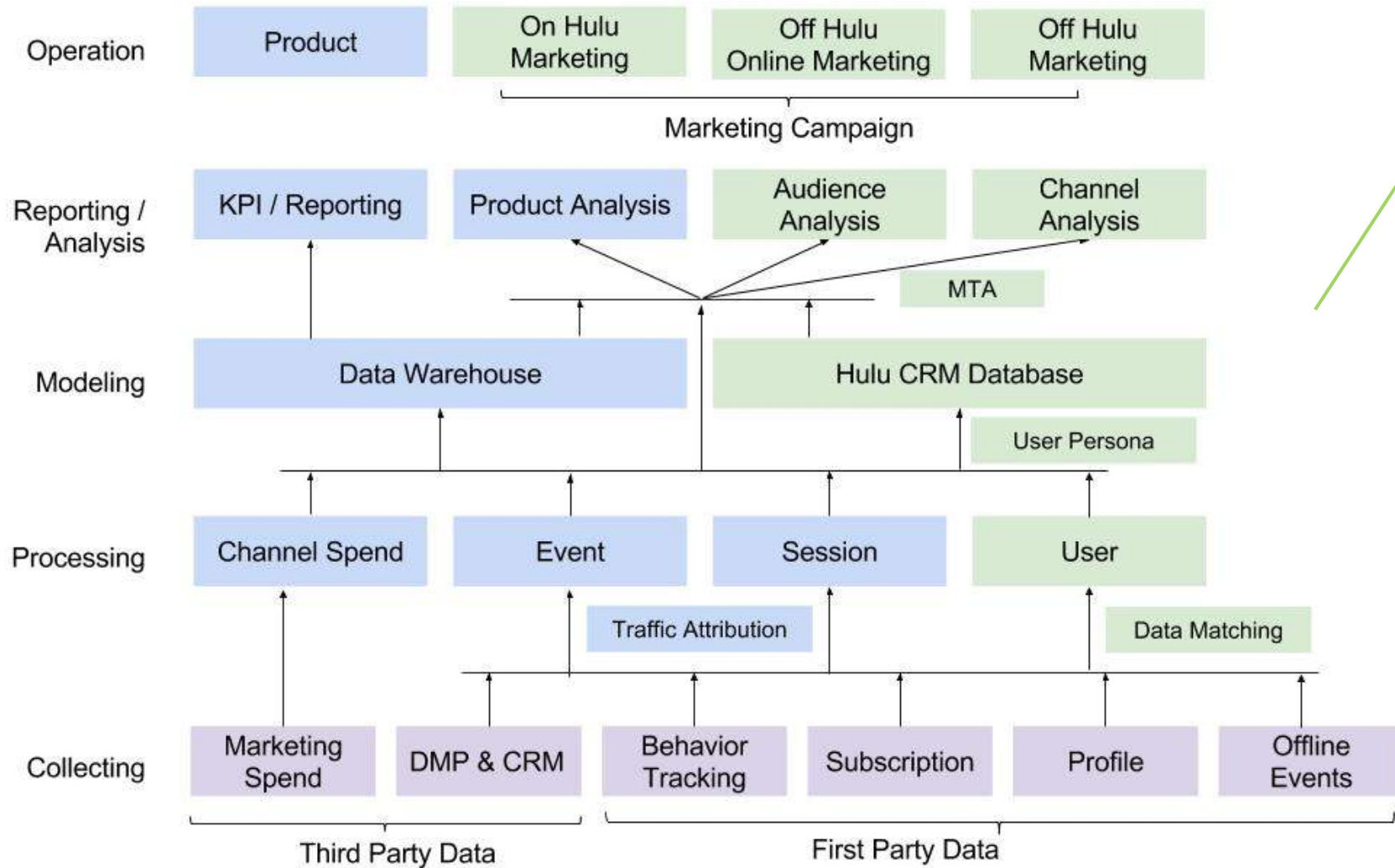
## Marketing campaign management

- In house
- External

## Advanced analytics system

- MMM / MTA
- OLAP / Cohort / Funnel
- Data Mining

# Logical Architecture



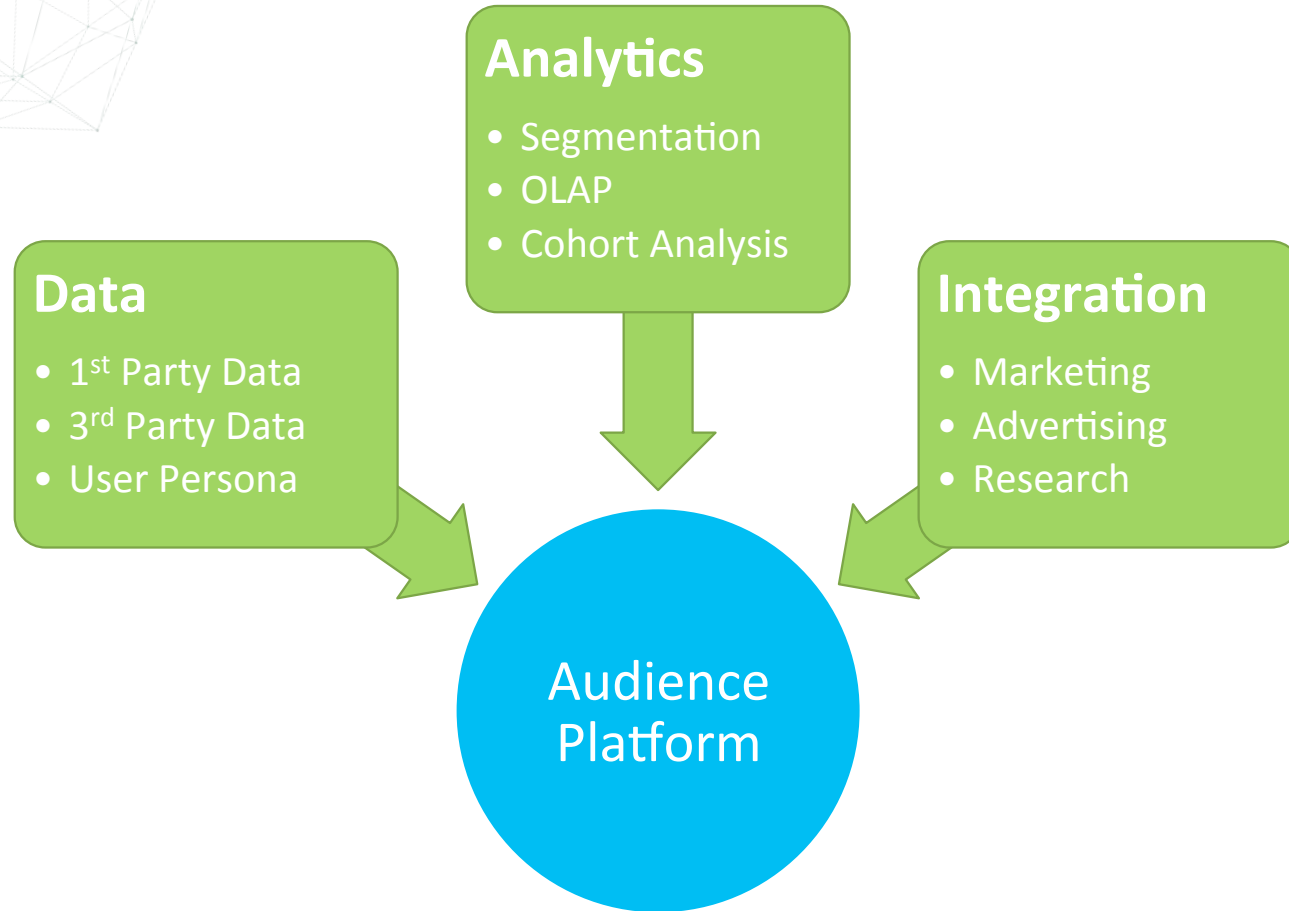
## Data:

1. 1<sup>st</sup> party vs 3<sup>rd</sup> party
2. implicit and explicit

## System:

1. analytics oriented vs operational oriented
2. Fine-grained vs coarse-grained

# Audience Platform - Overview



1. Aggregate data at user level
2. Optimized for operational purpose
3. Optimized for advanced analysis



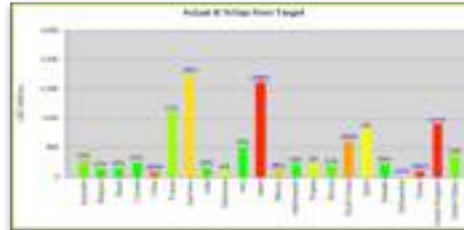
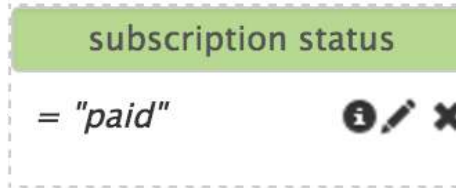
# Audience Platform - Overview

## DATA SOURCE

- First party data
  - Profile
  - Behaviors
    - Onboarding
    - Engagement
    - Payment
    - Churn
  - User persona
    - Advertisement
    - Product
    - Marketing
    - Finance
- Third party data
  - Facebook
  - BlueKai
  - Acxiom
  - Experian
  - \*DataLogix

## CORE FUNCTIONS

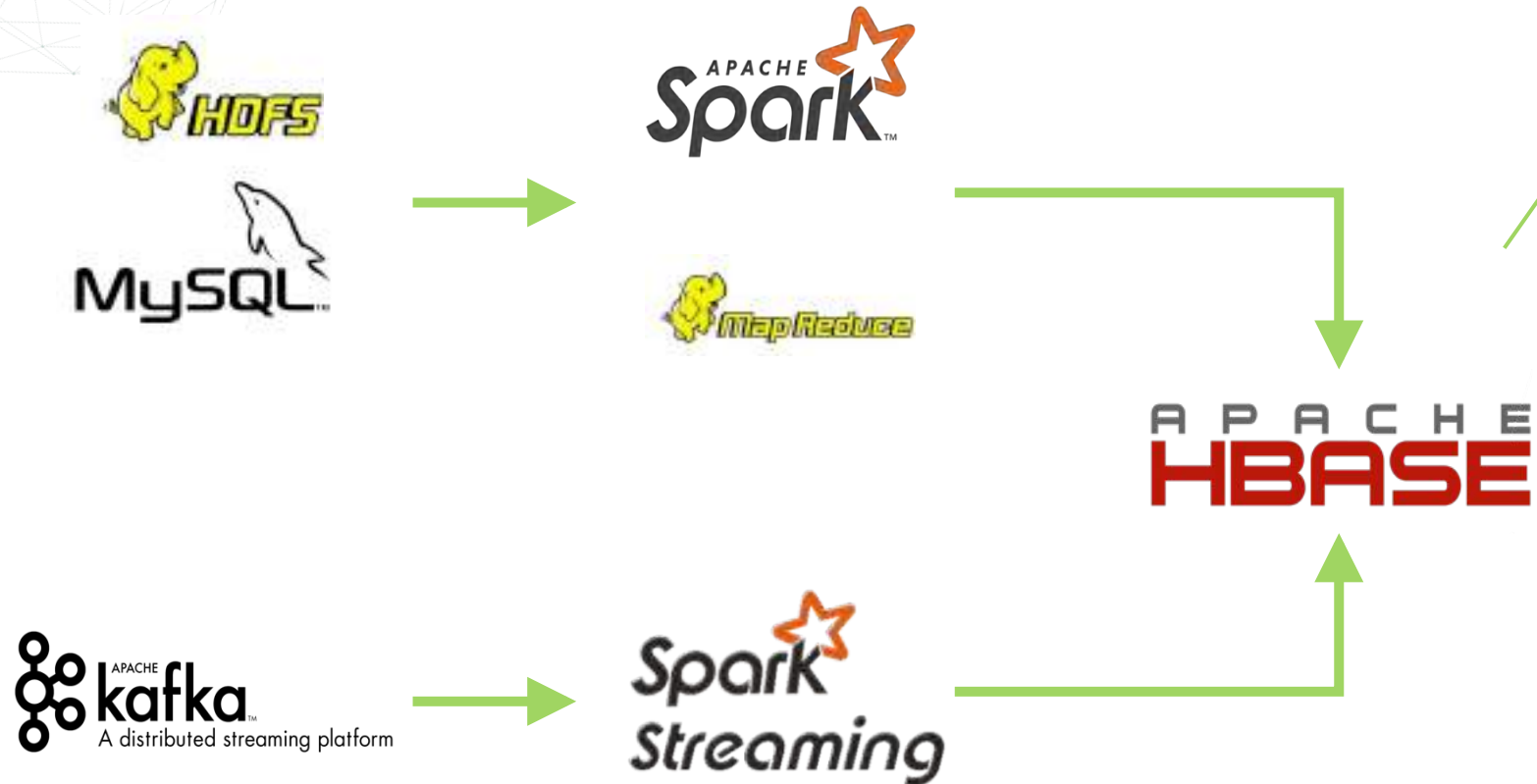
- User Cohort
- Deep analysis



## INTEGRATIONS

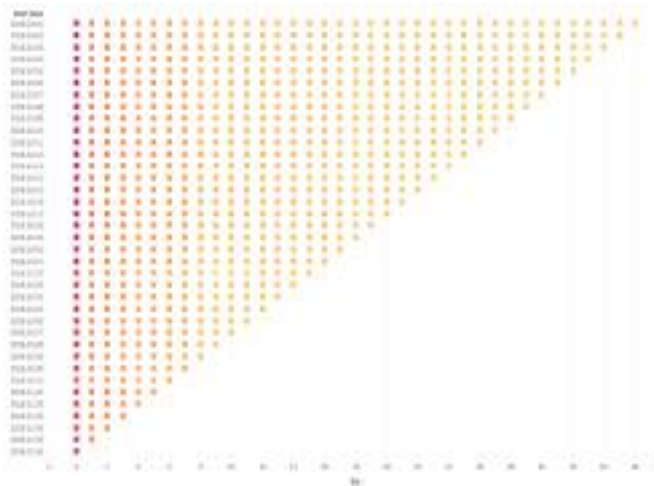
- Marketing
  - Online + On Hulu
    - Push notification
    - Email
    - In house ads
    - Masthead
  - Online + Off Hulu
    - Social Targeting
    - DMP
  - Offline + Off Hulu
    - Analysis
    - Panel matching
- Advertisement
  - Audience Targeting
    - First party
    - Third party
  - Exchanging data with third party

# Audience Platform – Data Pipeline



1. Logical architecture
2. 3<sup>rd</sup> party is ingested in similar way
3. Several down streaming integration

# Audience Platform – Analytics Engine (1)



1. How to make it fast enough?
2. Presto is too slow for this cases due to joining too many tables

# Audience Platform – Analytics Engine (2)

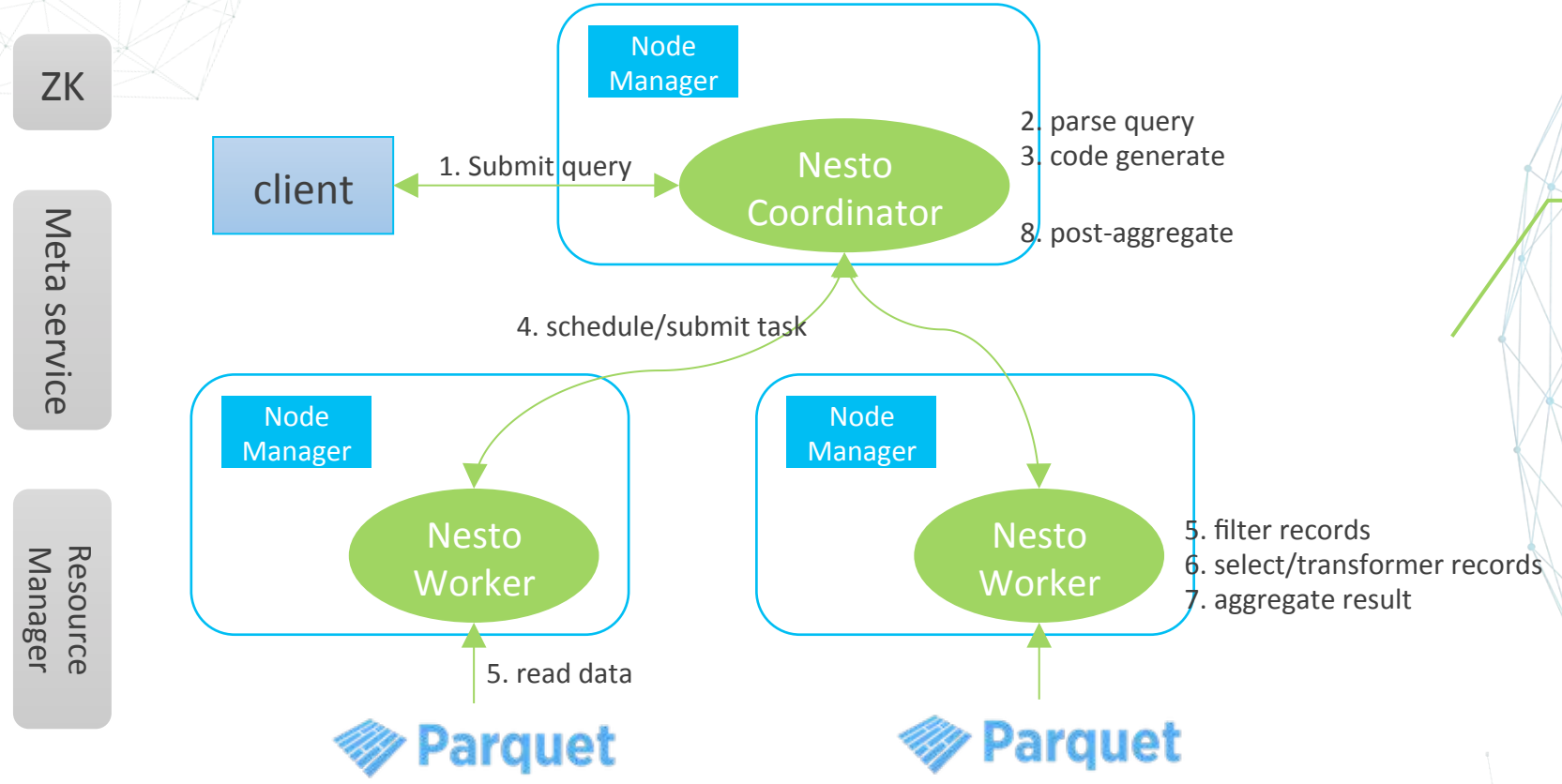
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- User id as key

- nested data
- all historical data

- 3<sup>rd</sup> party and label data included

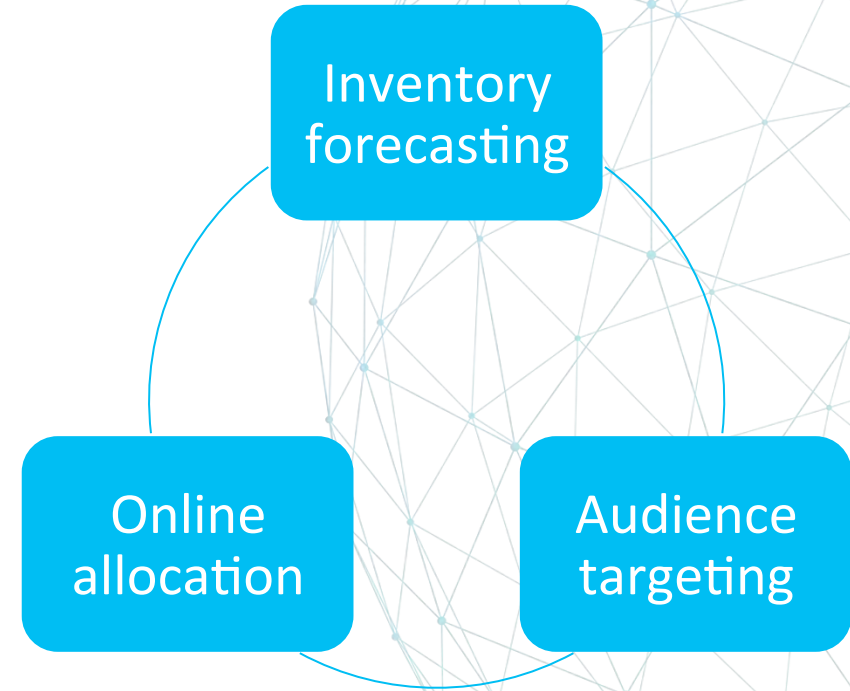
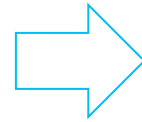
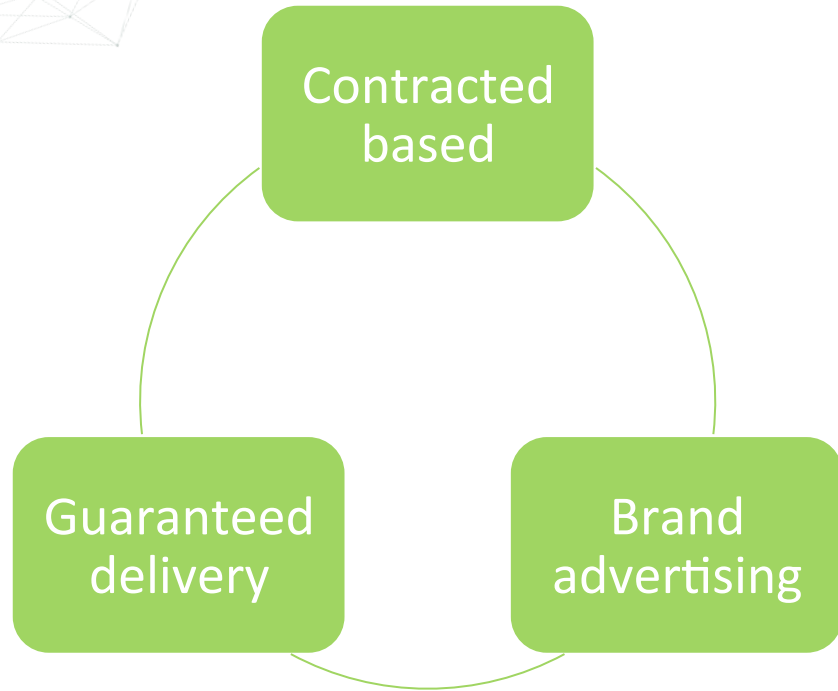
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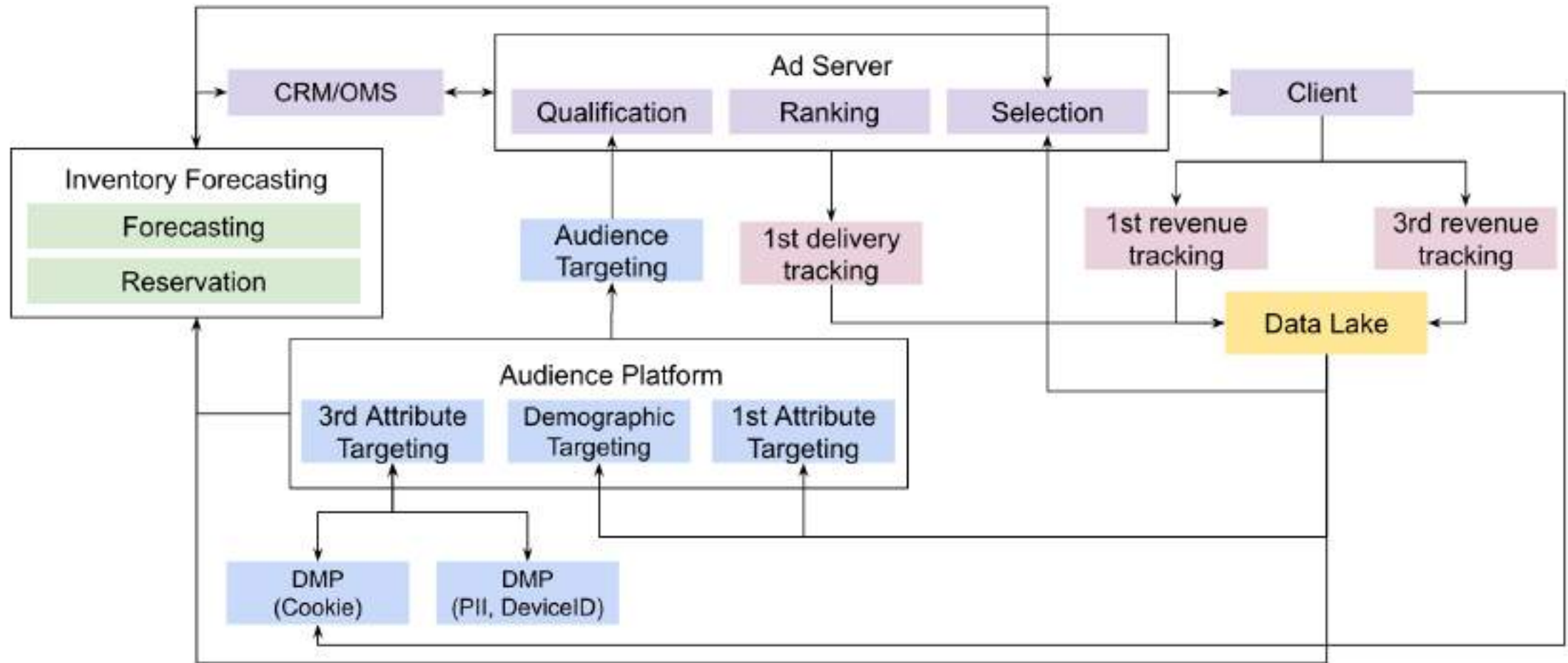
- 1. Dedicated query engine for nested data
- 2. Optimized for advanced analytics

# Advertising In Hulu

# Advertising in Hulu – Overview



# Advertising In Hulu - Architecture

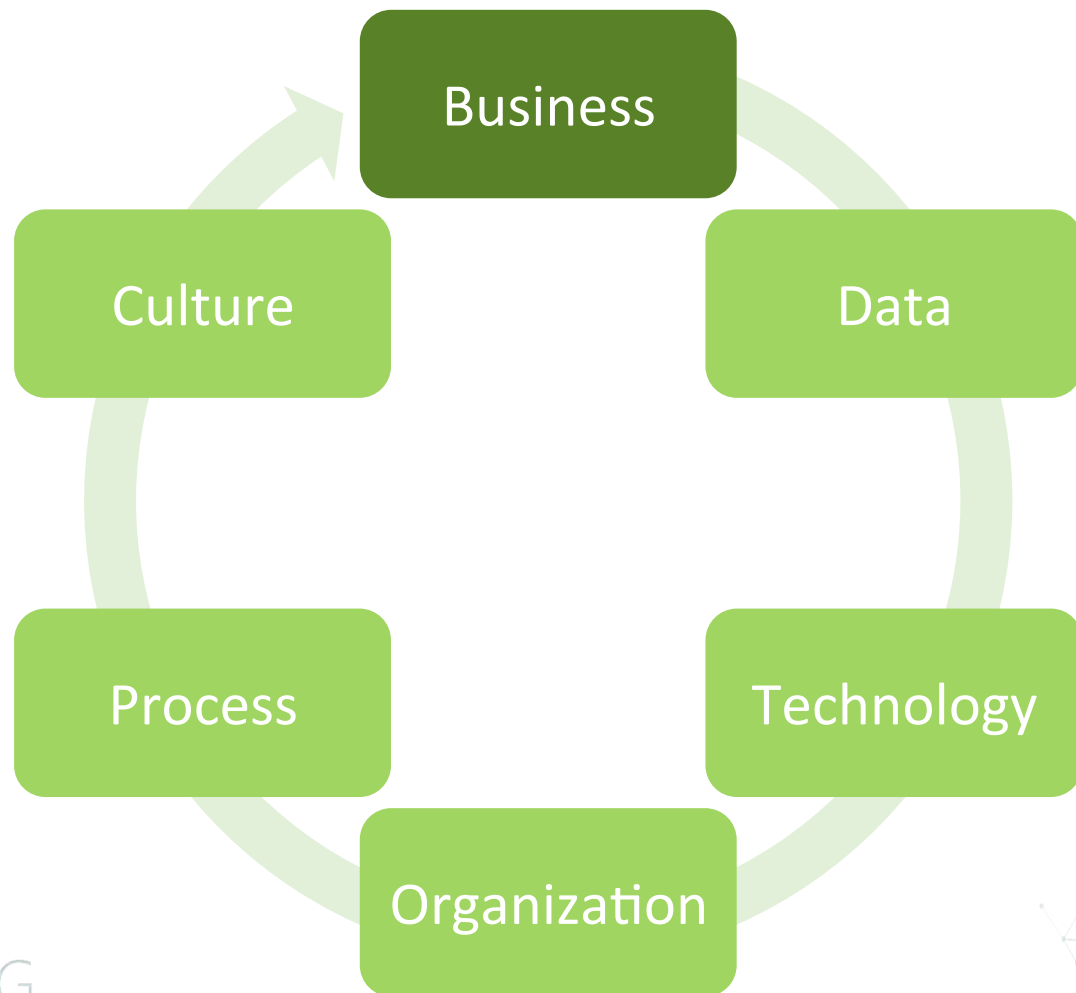




# Advertising In Hulu - Projects



# Summary



# Q & A



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