

Splunk in Financial Services

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Introduction



Overall FSI Digital Transformation

Top Industry Drivers

Fintech Disruption

Digital Technologies

Cloud Services

Cyber Security

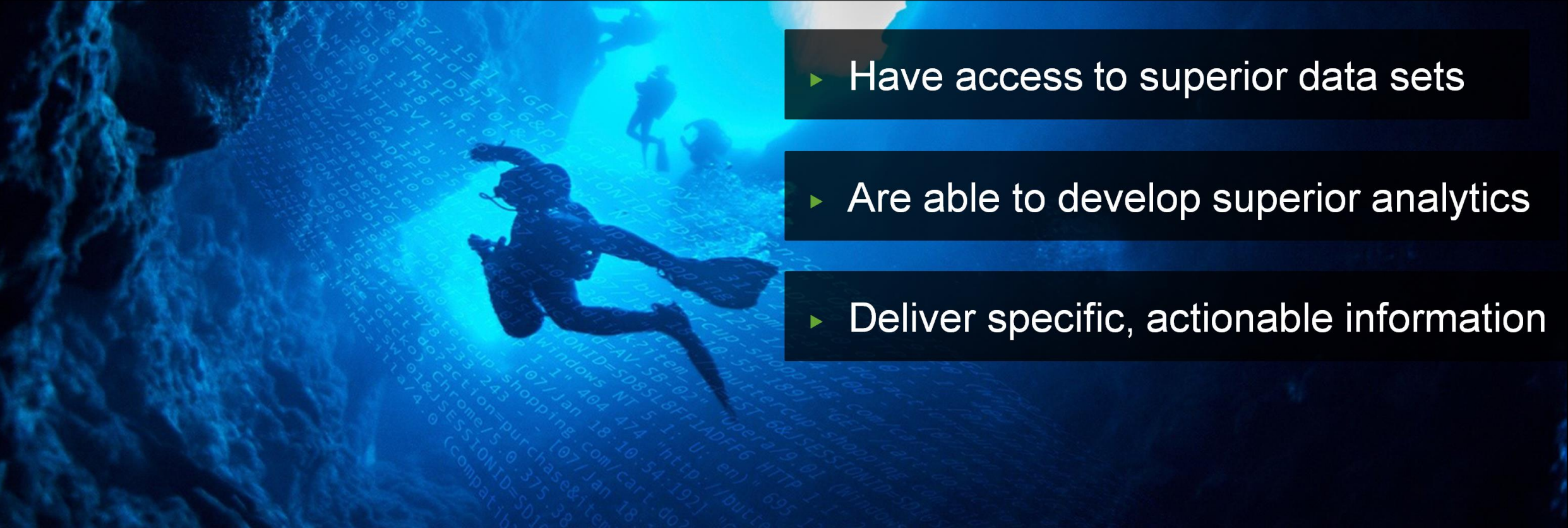
Advanced Analytics

Modernize Core Banking &
Payments

Integrated Risk &
Compliance

Ingredients for Success – Analytics is Key


According to research from Morgan Stanley & BCG, the disruptors and winners will be those financial institutions that . . .

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- ▶ Have access to superior data sets
 - ▶ Are able to develop superior analytics
 - ▶ Deliver specific, actionable information

These Ingredients for Success Rely Heavily on Machine Data

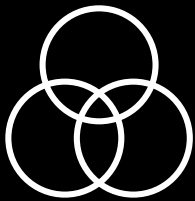
Volume | Velocity | Variety | Variability

Machine data is the fastest growing, most complex, most valuable area of big data

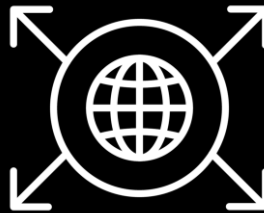


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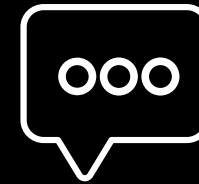
Why is analyzing machine data challenging?



Machine data is
real time,
unstructured, and
unpredictable

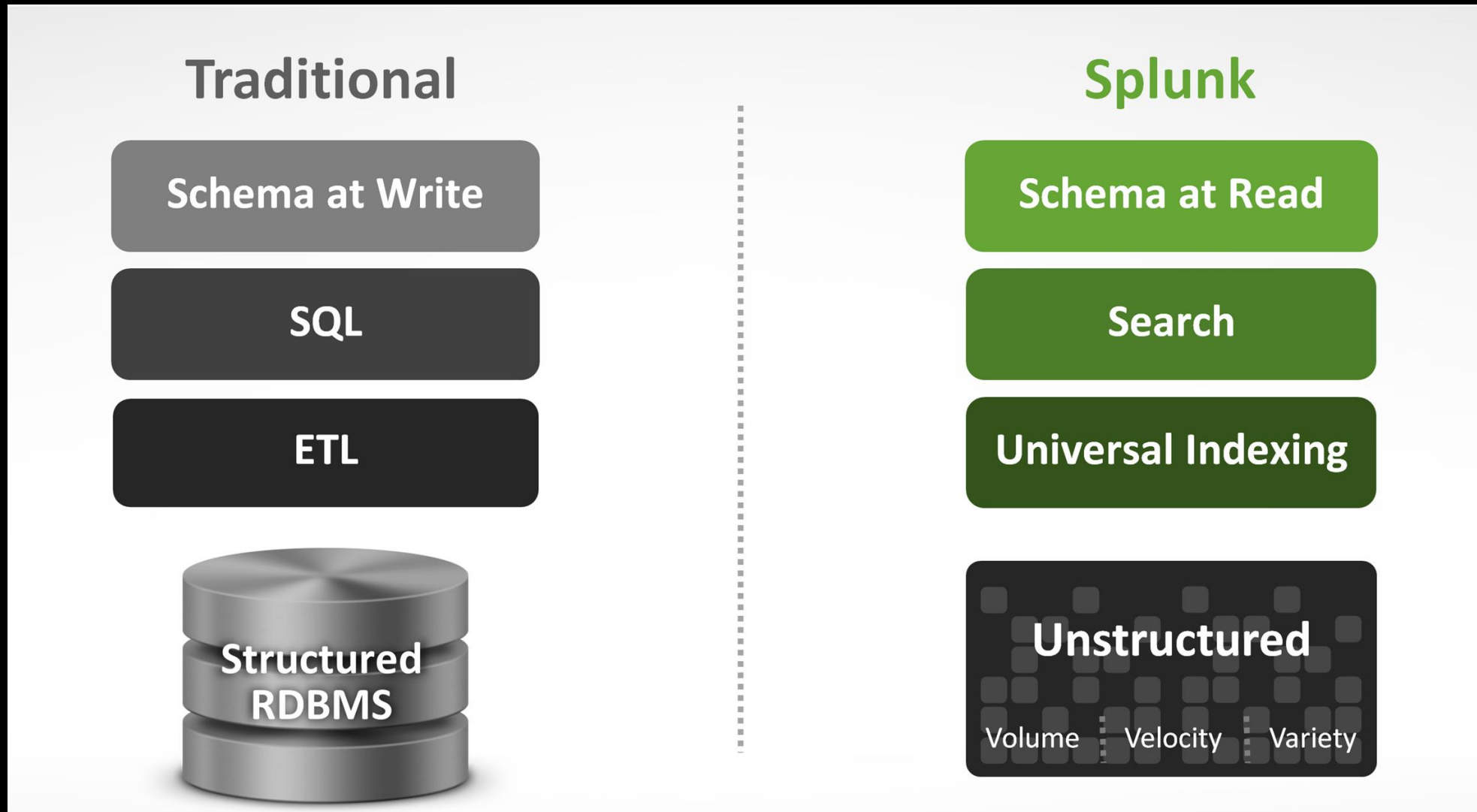


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massive scale

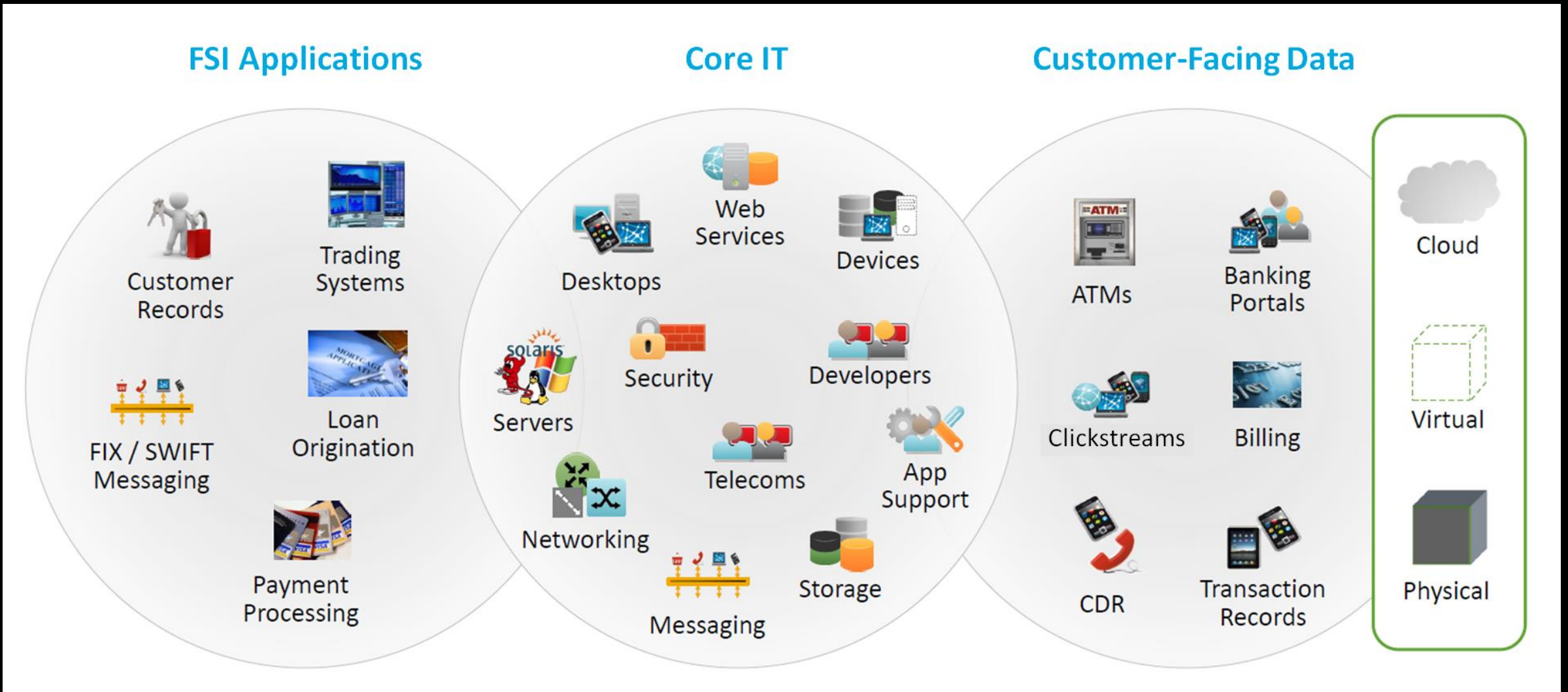


You don't always
know which
questions to ask

Splunk takes a Disruptive Approach to Unstructured Data

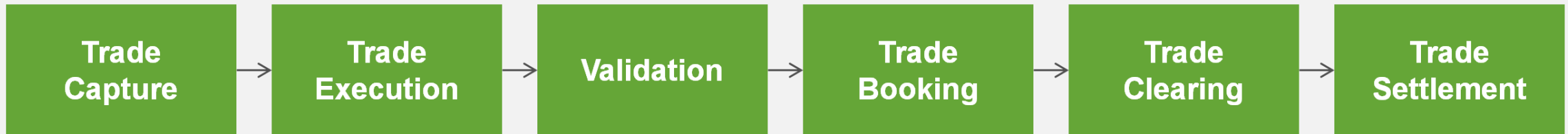


FSI Machine Data is Unstructured, Diverse and Resides in Silos



FSI Processes & Services use Data from these Different Silos

Sample Trade Processing Flow



Diverse IT Systems Support Trade Processing



Front & Back
Applications



Hardware



Message Queues
(SWIFT/FIX)



Enterprise
Service Bus



Networking



Devices

Hence, Gaining End-to-End Process Visibility is Challenging

Diverse IT Systems Support Trade Processing



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Devices

Search & Identify

Monitor Systems/Processes

Gain Operational Visibility

Get Business Insights

- ▶ What caused the delay in processing or settlement?
- ▶ Where are the transaction confirmation details?
- ▶ Does the user have access to the right data?
- ▶ How many transactions were processed?
- ▶ Can we prevent the problem from happening?
- ▶ How is the customer experience? Did we meet SLAs?



Customer Examples

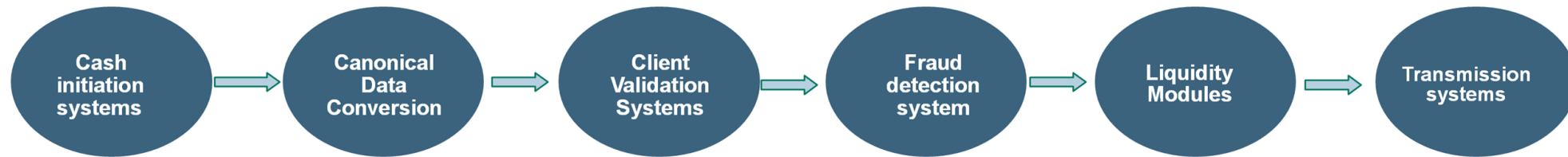


Transaction Process Flows at Northern Trust



Complexity of Transaction Processing

Transactions go through several complex life cycles across systems.



Northern Trust

PAYMENTS AND CORE BANKING

Northern Trust: Tracking Payments and Business Transactions



Northern Trust

“With Splunk, we bring value to our business community.”

— *Director, Transaction Processing Operations*

- ▶ Able to locate transactions anywhere within the environment
- ▶ End-to-end view of process flows
- ▶ Able to monitor system health and troubleshoot abnormal events
- ▶ Increased Straight-Through Processing Rate; reduced settlement risk
- ▶ Rapid system development; without Splunk would have required 20+ weeks of professional services

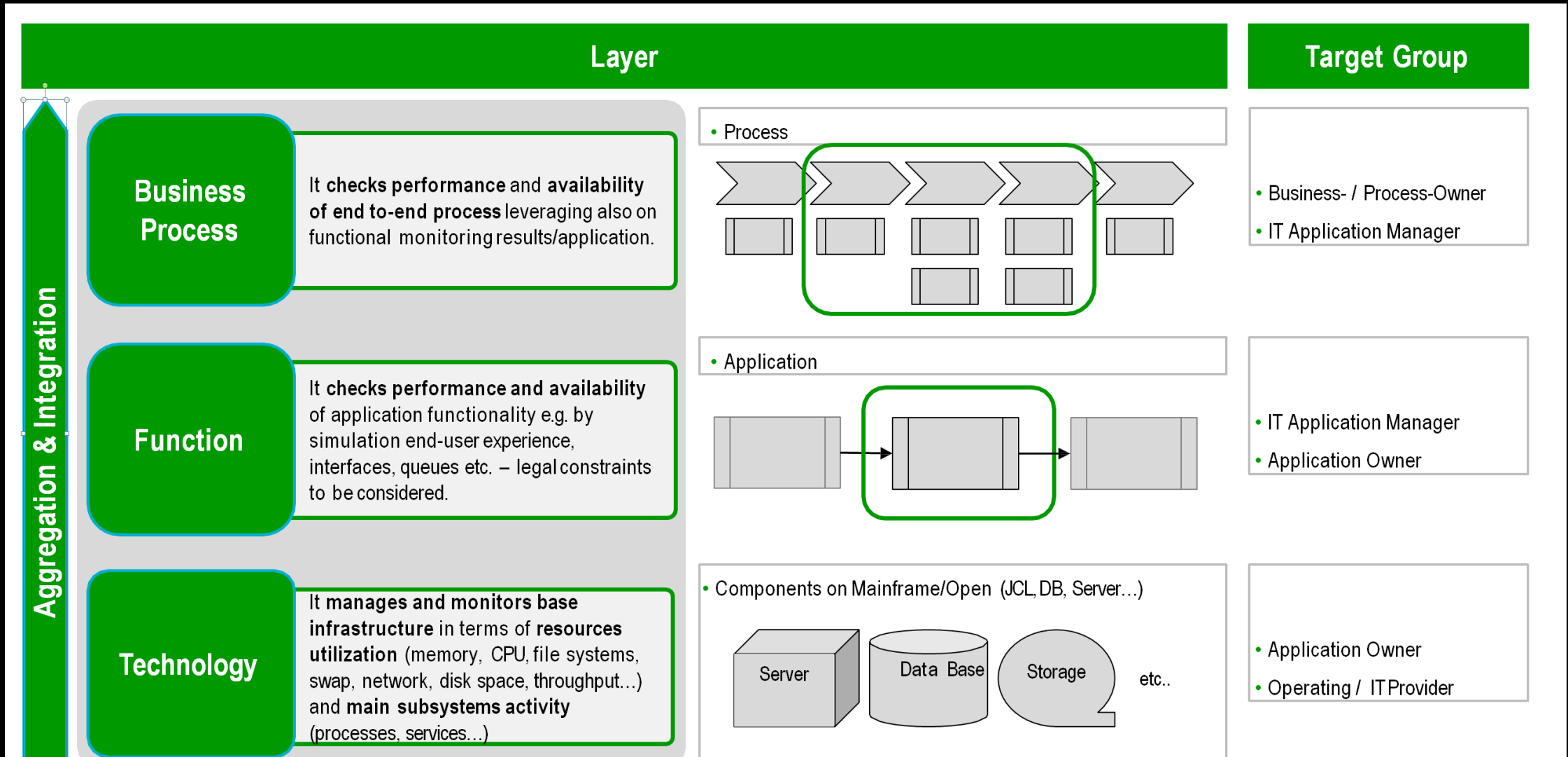
PAYMENTS & CORE BANKING

Unicredit: Operational Visibility Across Multiple Payment Channels



- ▶ Began using Splunk for monitoring online applications
- ▶ > 500 universal forwarders; > 180 source types
- ▶ Now have advanced to using Splunk as a development platform for complex applications
- ▶ One such application monitors all high value payment processes
- ▶ Monitoring happens at three different levels: infrastructure; application; business process
- ▶ Customer feedback is that general functionality is outstanding; Python SDK, Java SDK, and REST APIs are very powerful

Unicredit – Monitoring Payments at Three Levels



SECURITY

Nasdaq: Keeping Markets Moving



“Splunk allows us to have a single skill set that is common across the entire organization. Information security is writing queries but using the same language as our operations team.”

— AVP, Nasdaq

- ▶ Using Splunk Enterprise to monitor potential external security breaches and UBA to detect insider threats
- ▶ Analyst efficiency to gather data and speed security investigations has increased by more than 50 percent
- ▶ Provides deep understanding of data and reusable correlation rules across all support engineer levels

splunk> power up

COMPLIANCE

FIS: Mitigating Security and Compliance Risks



“In addition to using Splunk for monitoring security incidents, FIS also uses the platform to meet the requirements of various industry and government regulations it is subject to.”

— *Senior Director, Regulatory Compliance*

- ▶ Index data from over 55 global locations
- ▶ Helps meet requirements of FFIEC, GLBA, SOX, and others
- ▶ Log monitoring for regulatory compliance requirements including audit trails, data retention, and change management
- ▶ Removes need for purpose-built monitoring solutions for each regulation

FRAUD

PostFinance: Improving Fraud Detection and Customer Experience

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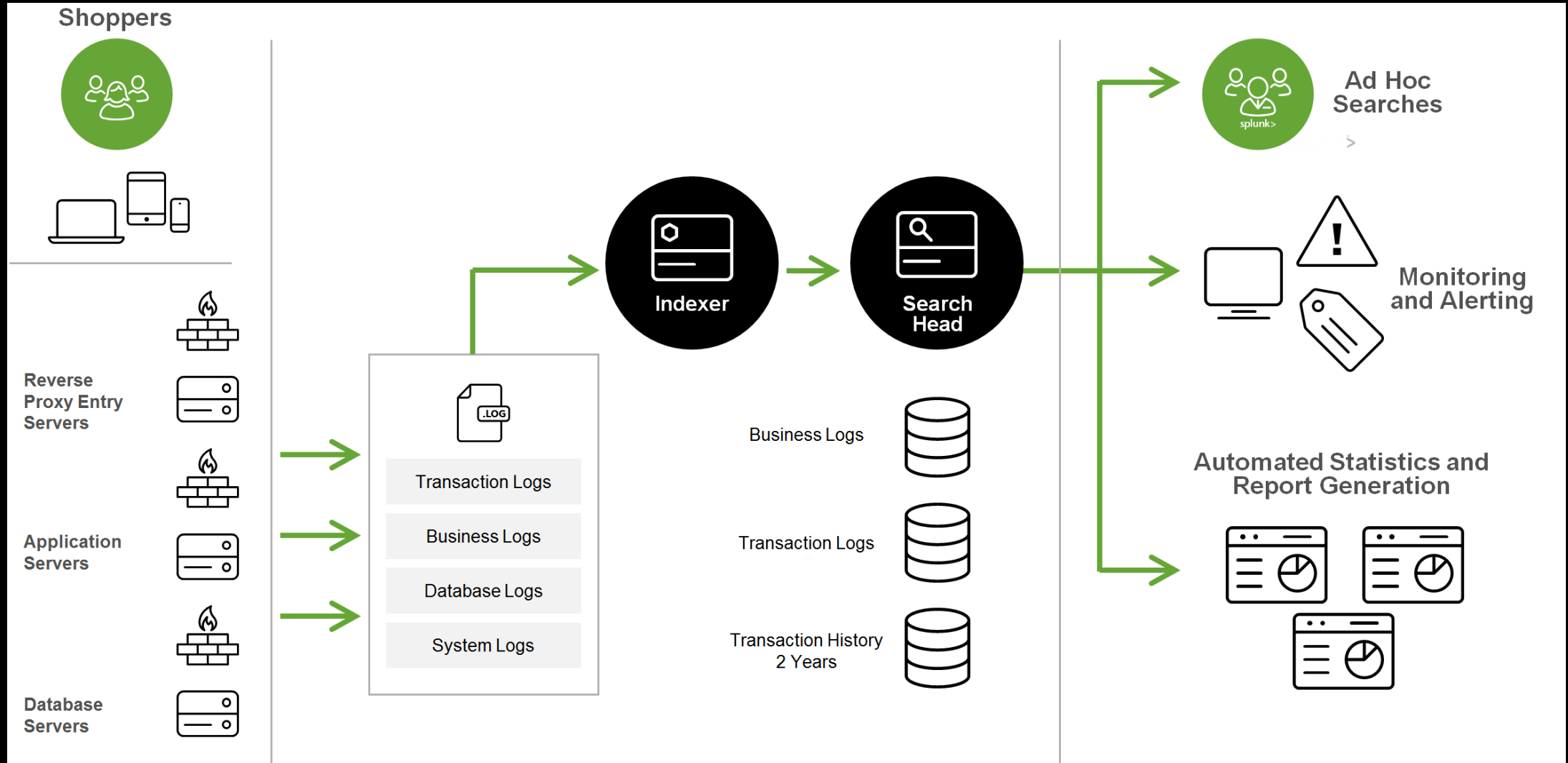
PostFinance+

“Our use of the Splunk platform has grown dramatically and it is now an integral part of our IT operations, providing insights in areas from e-commerce to security and fraud. Ultimately, with Splunk Enterprise, we have improved the protection we offer customers.”

— *Head of IT Infrastructure, PostFinance*

- ▶ Streamlined fraud detection across online banking and payment platforms
- ▶ Operational visibility enables rapid identification and response to online threats
- ▶ Improved ability to respond to new merchant needs

PostFinance Splunk Architecture



ELECTRONIC TRADING

Global Investment Bank: Real-Time Electronic Trading Visibility



Financial
Services

- ▶ Alerting on application errors for faster troubleshooting
- ▶ Transaction profiling across electronic trading processes
- ▶ Solve issues such as incorrect market data, trading latency, or improper display of data in trading applications
- ▶ Monitoring of trader adoption of new applications – management wants to see movement away from spreadsheets

LOAN & TREASURY SERVICES

Scotiabank: Building Critical Monitoring Solutions



“We have yet to find a situation where we could not address a monitoring gap with Splunk.”

– *Director, Performance Management*

- ▶ Reduce MTTR and improve application availability
- ▶ Developed custom monitoring for specific technologies
- ▶ Built dashboards of critical business platforms for VPs
- ▶ Gained real-time view of business volumes (e.g. wire payments; account transfers)

IT OPERATIONS

Intercontinental Exchange: Complete View Across Network of Exchanges

“Data can now be correlated from both NYSE and ICE to give a complete picture of the enterprise.”

— *Director, IT Monitoring*

- ▶ Centralized logging, alerting and search for IT operations
- ▶ Build dashboards for insight across 11 exchanges managed by ICE
- ▶ Application troubleshooting for developers
- ▶ Retired two SIEMs; consolidated everything into Splunk

APPLICATION PERFORMANCE

CME Group: Enabling Timely Trade Settlement Processing



“With Splunk, we were able to switch from using multiple monitoring tools to a single platform solution for both IT and business executives.”

— *Senior Director, Application Monitoring*

- ▶ Monitoring performance of all applications, including those supporting the settlement process
- ▶ Threshold-based alerting on exchange activity (may show application problems or trigger proactive support)
- ▶ Trade matching engine dashboards and KPIs so developers can see potential performance impact of changes

Summary



Splunk Delivers Value for Key FSI Needs

Industry Drivers

Leverage Digital Technologies

Increase in Cyberthreats

Modernize Banking Systems and Processes

Fintech Disruption

**SPLUNK
DELIVERS
VALUE**

Splunk Value

Enhance Customer Experience

Prevent Security Breaches and Protect Financial Privacy

Provide End-to-End Transactional Visibility; Meet SLAs

Improve Service Delivery and Real-Time Insight

At Over 1,200 Financial Services Customers Globally

Deutsche Bank 

 Northern Trust

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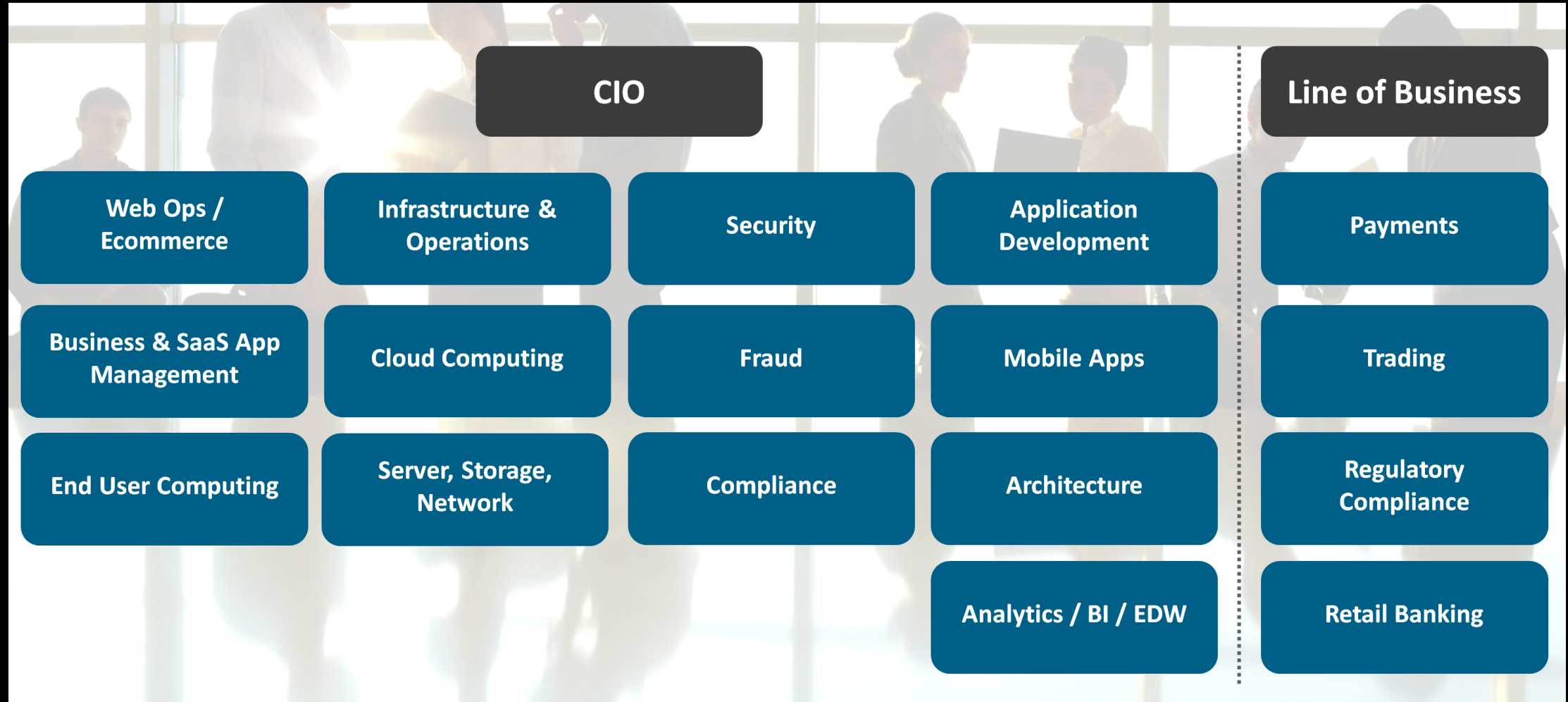


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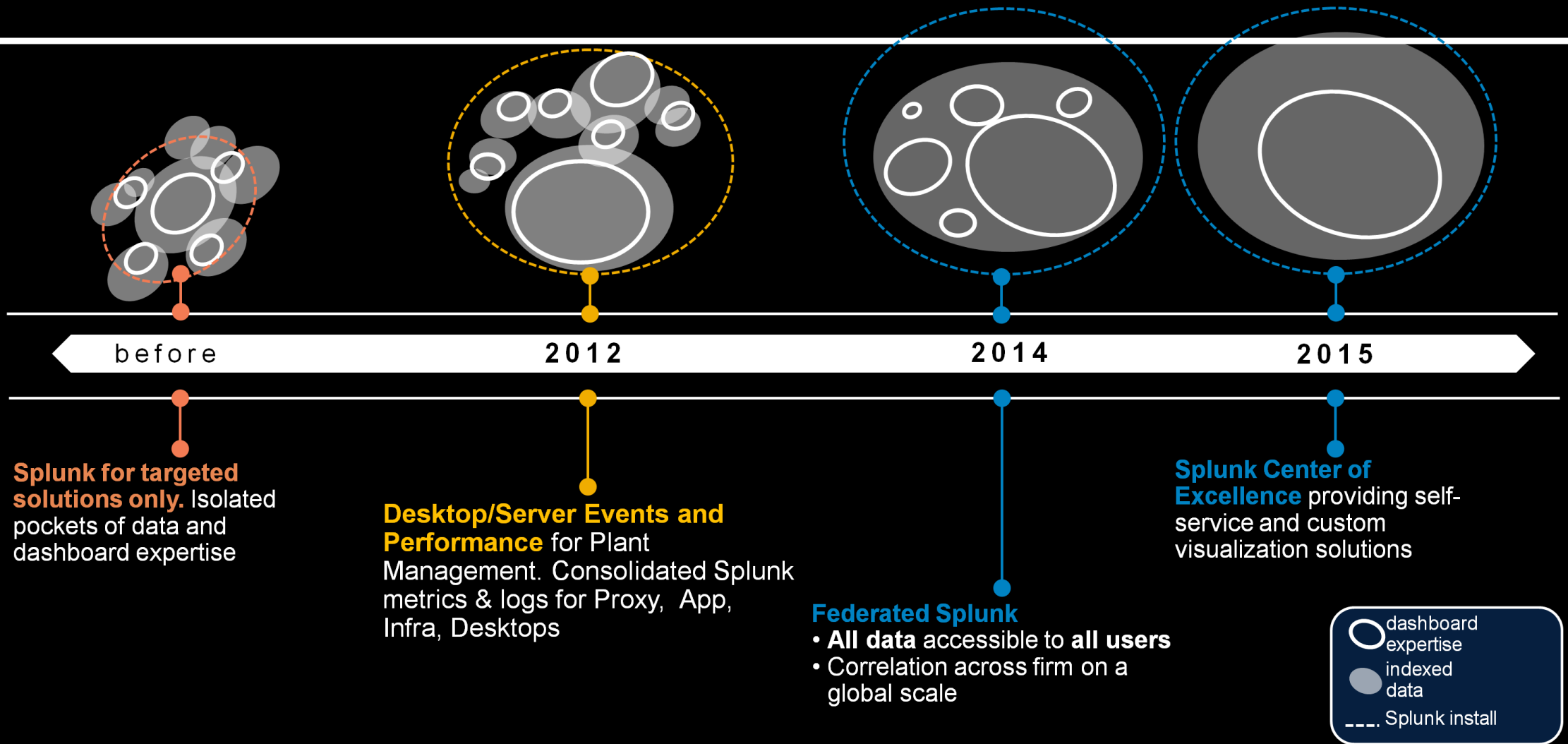
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Start Anywhere With Splunk and Evolve from There



Evolution of Splunk at a Major Financial Institution



Splunk: Five Key Things to Remember



Any Question, Any Data, In *Real Time*.



**Single Platform,
Many Lenses**



**Performance
at Scale**



Open Ecosystem



Hybrid



**Artificial
Intelligence**

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