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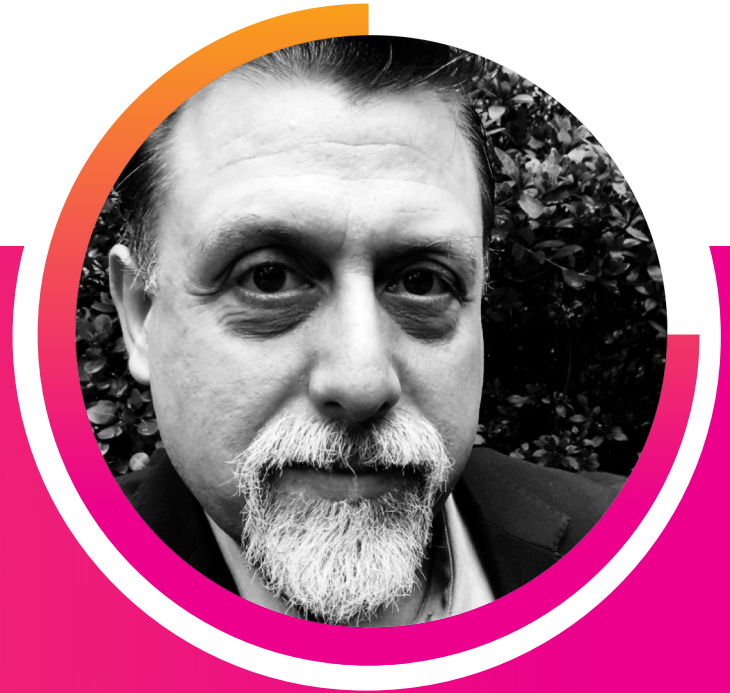
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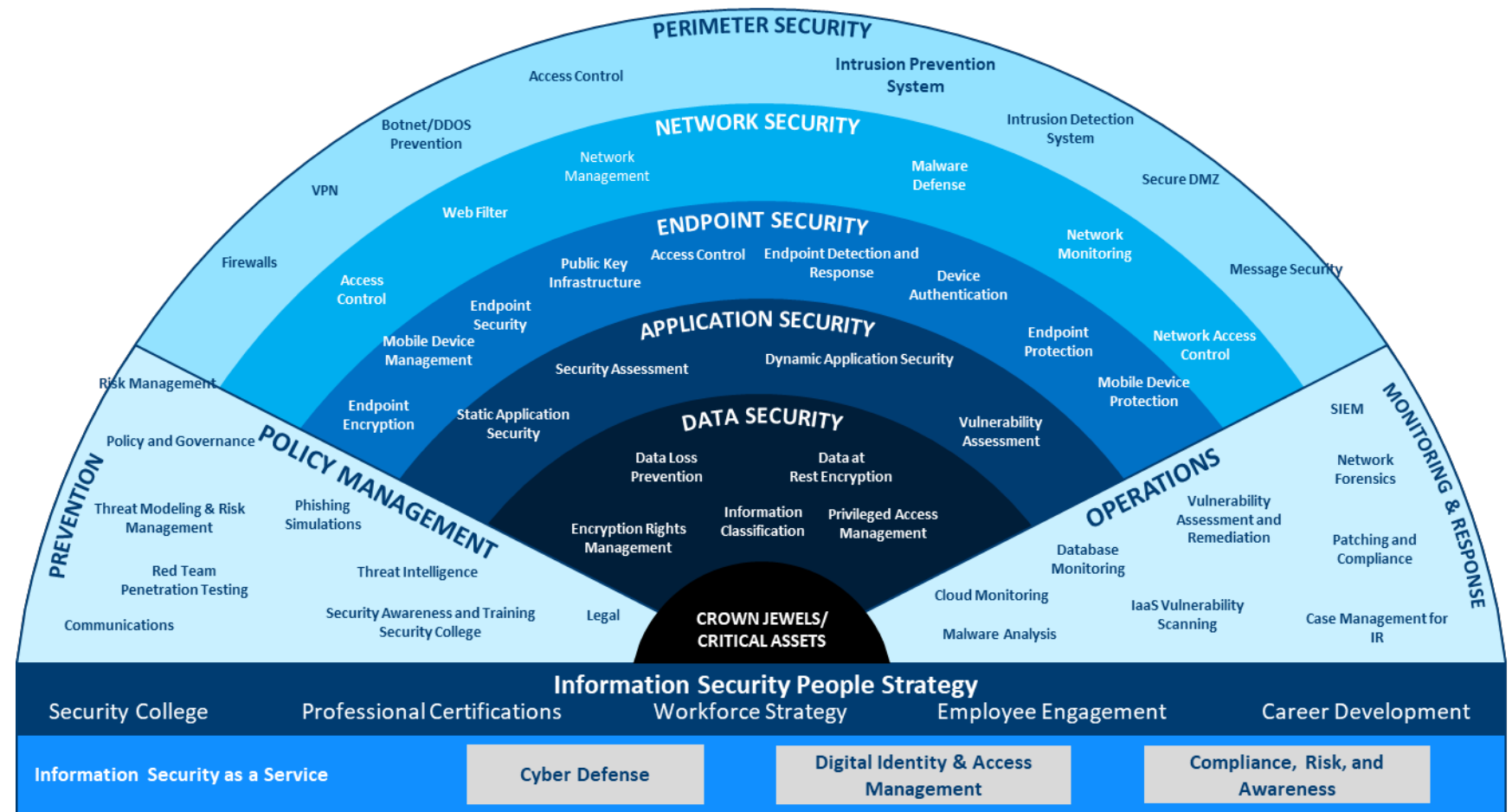
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# Intel's Defense in Depth Strategy

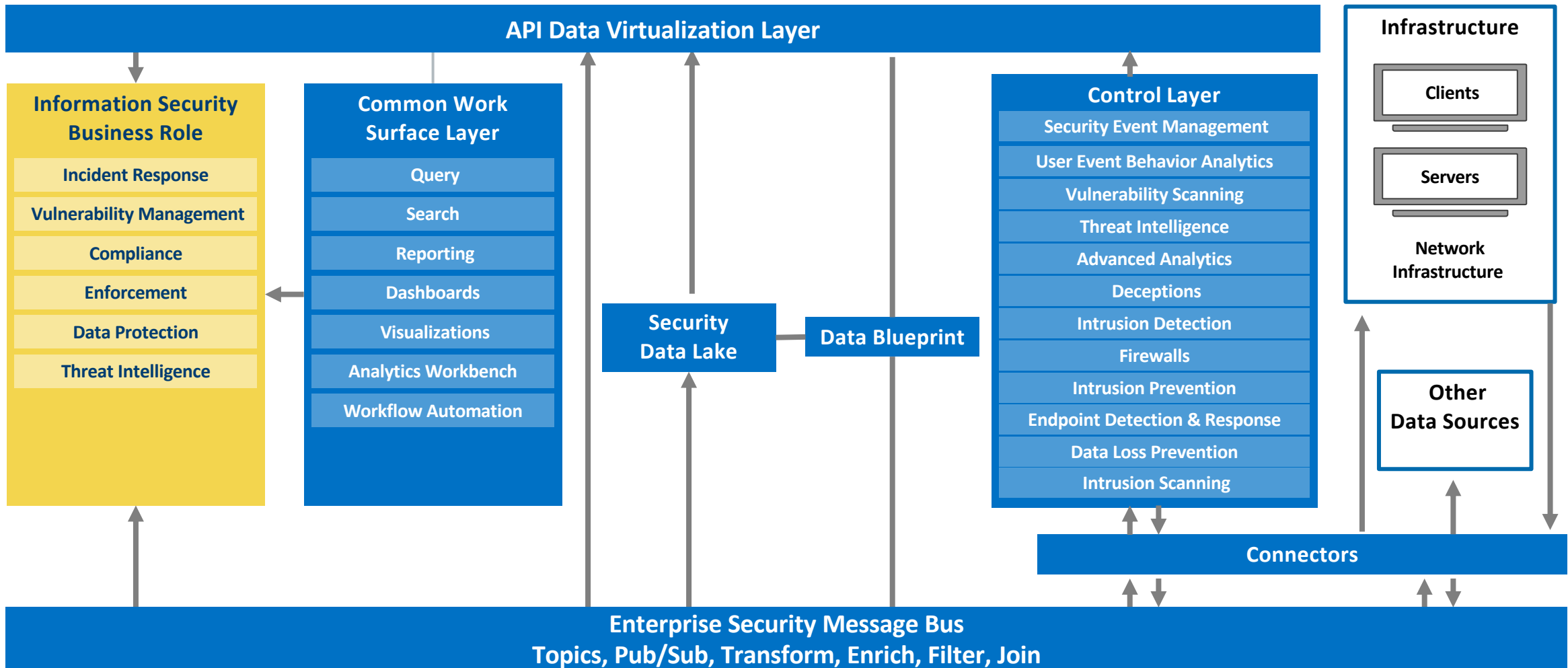
Provides prevention, detection, and response to 99% of threats

- Our defense in depth model is supported by a vast array of tools and capabilities.
- But advanced cyber security threats continue to grow in frequency and sophistication.



# Reference Architecture

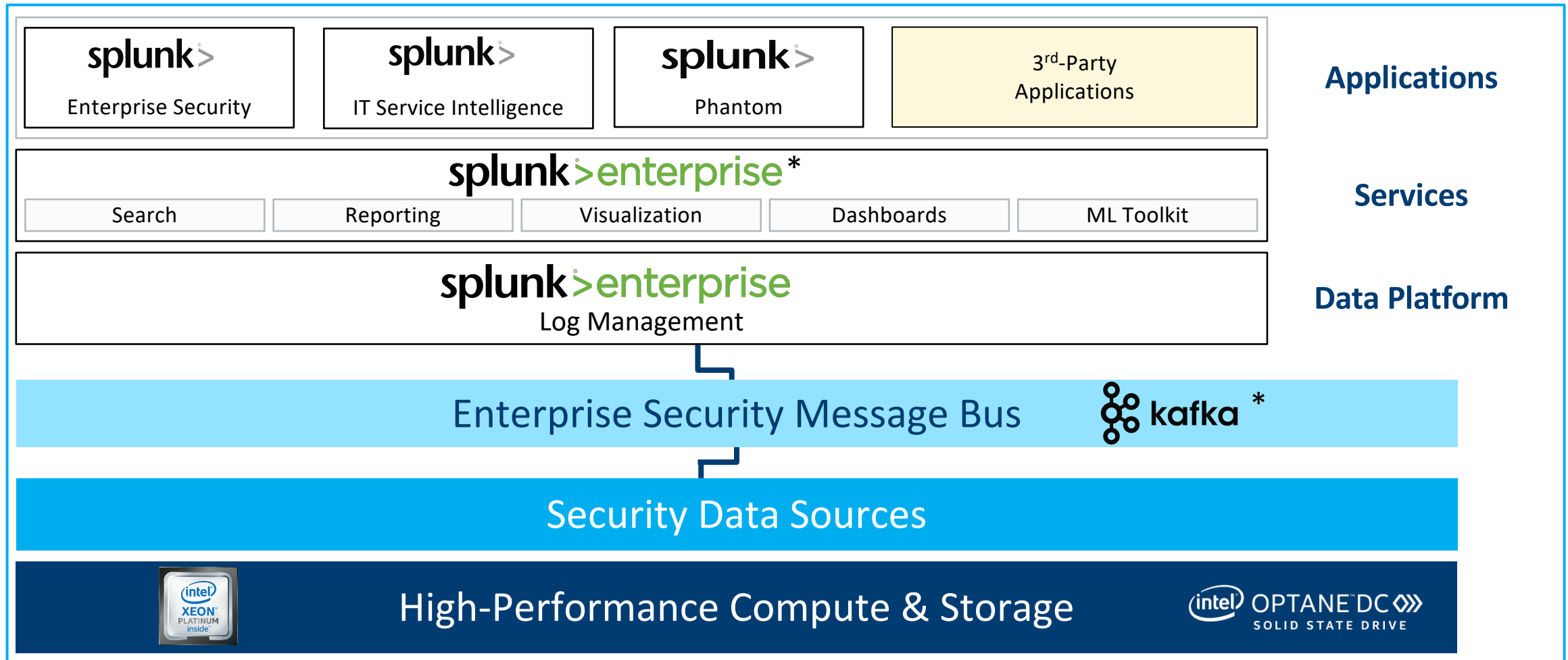
A platform that supports the entire organization





# Cyber Intelligence Platform Architecture

Focus on identifying and responding to sophisticated adversaries



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# Information Security's Cyber Intelligence Platform

Transforming how Information Security works with a data advantage



A context-rich  
data platform



Built with industry-  
leading technologies



Reducing risk to  
intel's brand



# Benefits to Intel

Easy Implementation and Fast  
Ramp of Human Talent



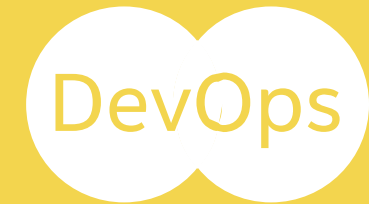
A Common  
Work Surface Across  
All of InfoSec



Data Taxonomy  
Common Language  
& Search on the Fly



Key Cyber Terrain  
InfoSec Org is  
DevOps Ready



Schema on Demand  
with Automated  
Data Normalization



Complete Threat  
Categorization and Kill Chain  
Visibility



Simple Integration  
of Curated Third-Party  
Security Tools



Connection to Open Source  
Machine Learning Libraries



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# Practical Example: Machine Learning for E-Mail Phishing Analysis

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# Machine Learning for Email Phishing Analysis

## InfoSec analyst's report:

- “Email as a threat vector is the #1 cause of all breaches”
- “Top entry point for threat actors into your environment”
- “Suspected phish is reported to our SOC every 5 min”
- “Single largest resource drain on our teams”



\* Verizon 2019 Data Breach Investigation Report

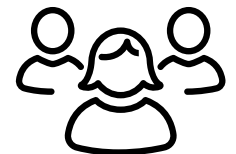
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Difficult to  
Extract Insights



Time Intensive



Subjective Results

# Email Phishing Classifier: A Recipe for Success

## Ingredients

- MLTK
- NLP Text Analytics
- Wordcloud Custom Visualization
- Parallel Coordinates Custom Visualization
- Force Directed App For Splunk
- Halo - Custom Visualization
- Sankey Diagram - Custom Visualization

## Algorithms

- Linear SVC
- ExtraTrees
- Nearest Neighbor

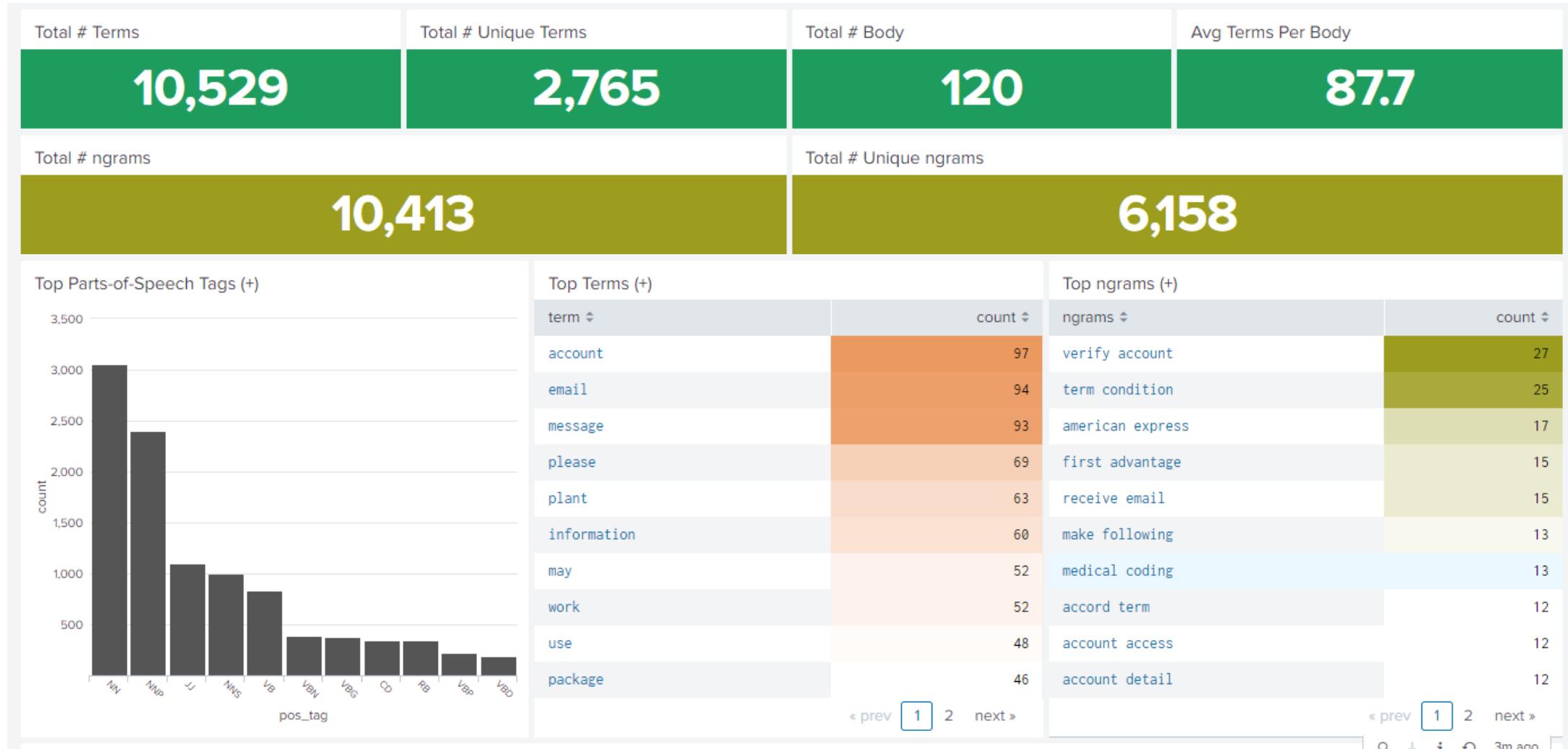
Accuracy,  
Precision, &  
Recall

Classification	Results
False Positive	Bad
True Positive	Excellent!!
False Negative	Very Bad!

## SPL Used

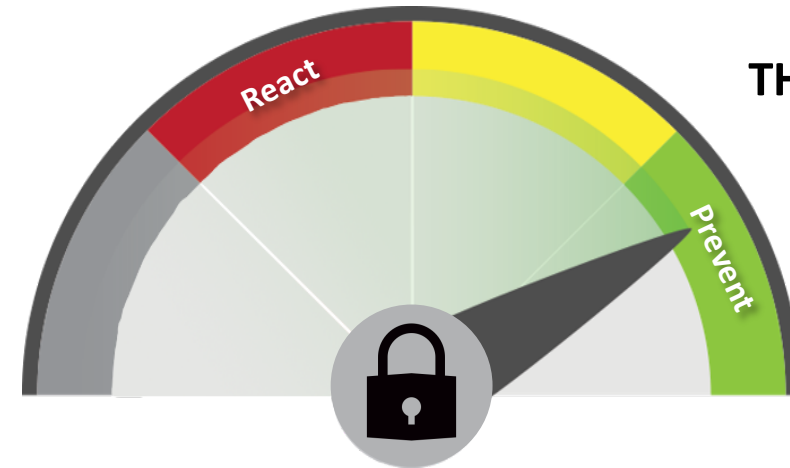
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index=email sourcetype=suspicious_msg | table Body, Response | cleantext textfield=Body base_type=lemma_pos mv=f custom_stopwords="xxxx, xxxxs" | fields Response Body
| sample partitions=10 seed=2222 | search partition_number > 7 | apply nlp_tfidf_model | fields Response Body_tfidf* | apply nlp_mms | fields - MMS_Response* Body*
| apply nn AS prediction
```

# Dashboard: Phishing Emails Example Results



# No Matter the Progress, Security Never Sleeps

Hunting the  
1% -  
More  
Sophisticated  
Threats



SHIFT  
THE NEEDLE

Security Incidents

Classification Report On Data Not Seen

See how well the model performs on new data

class ↕	accuracy ↕
Weighted Average	0.98







# Practical Example: Cybersecurity Data Insights

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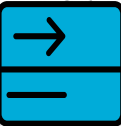
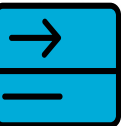
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# Data Investment

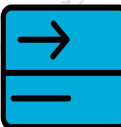
Indexed Data is a Corporate Asset

Data

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Kafka



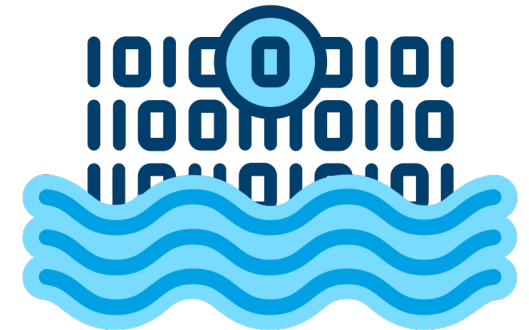
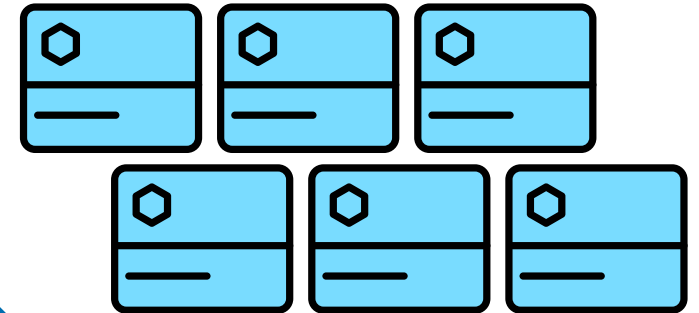
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Invest

Data Ingestion

Splunk Indexers



Data Lake

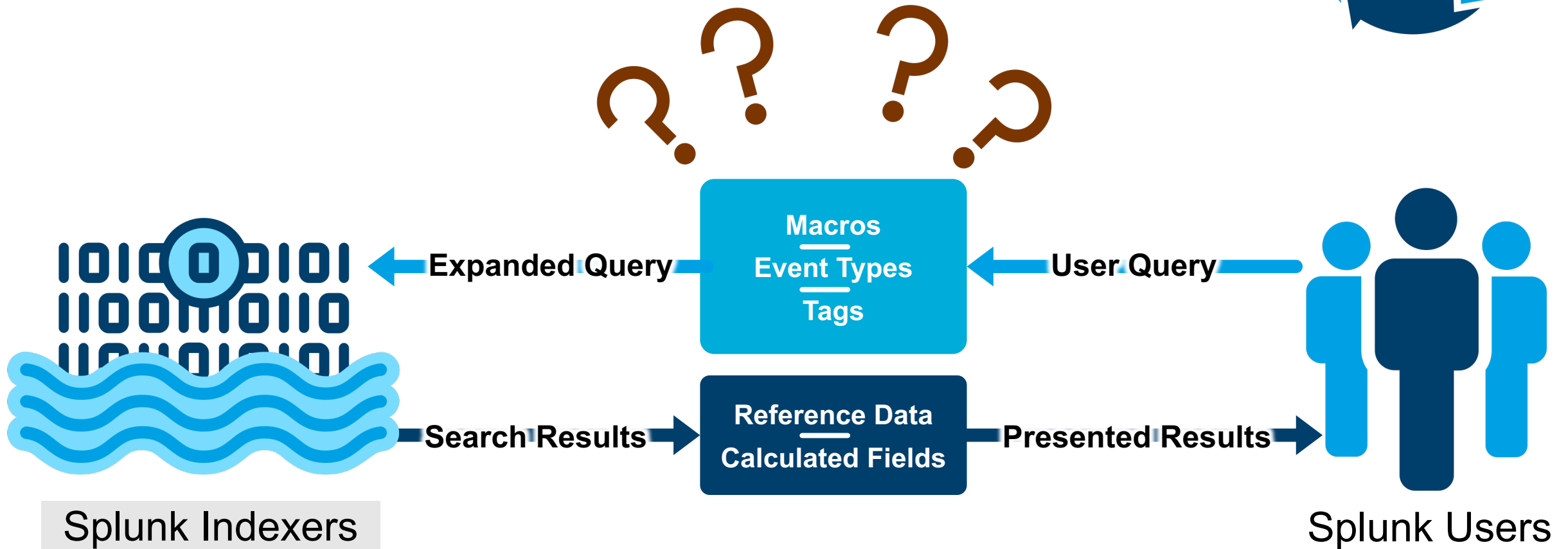
# Measure Data Usage

Search Utilization is a Quantifiable Measure of ROI



# Calculate ROI

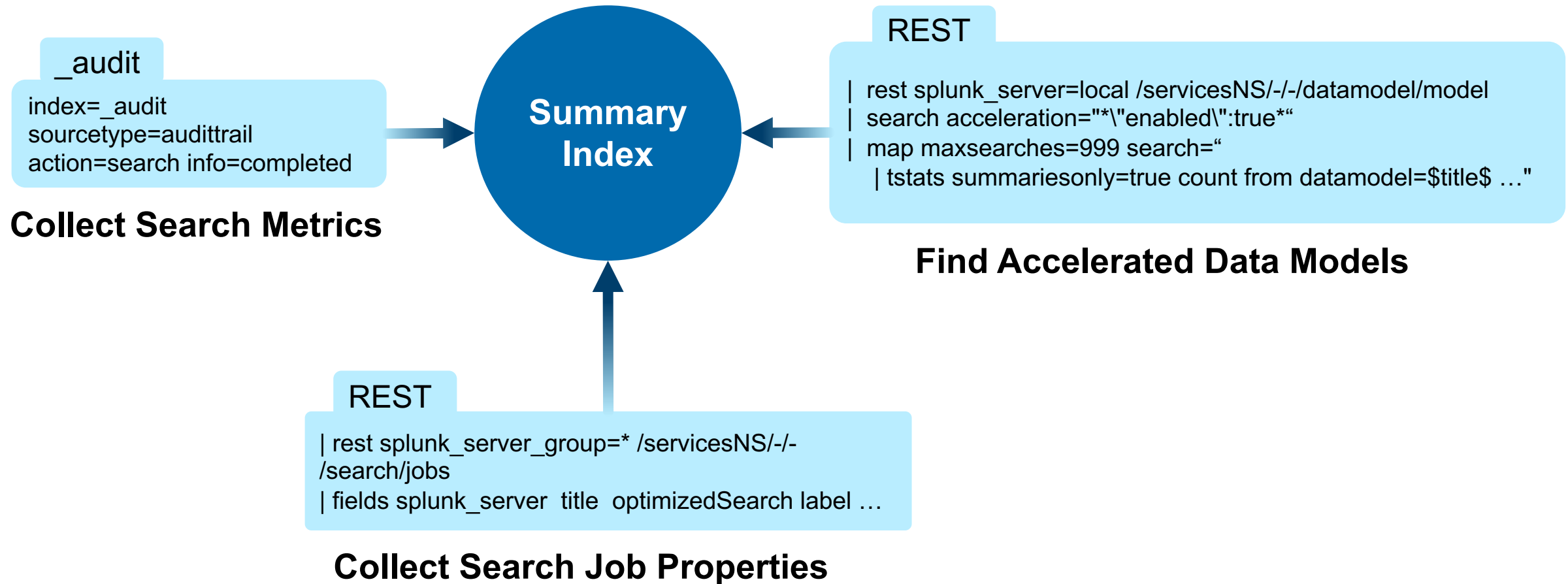
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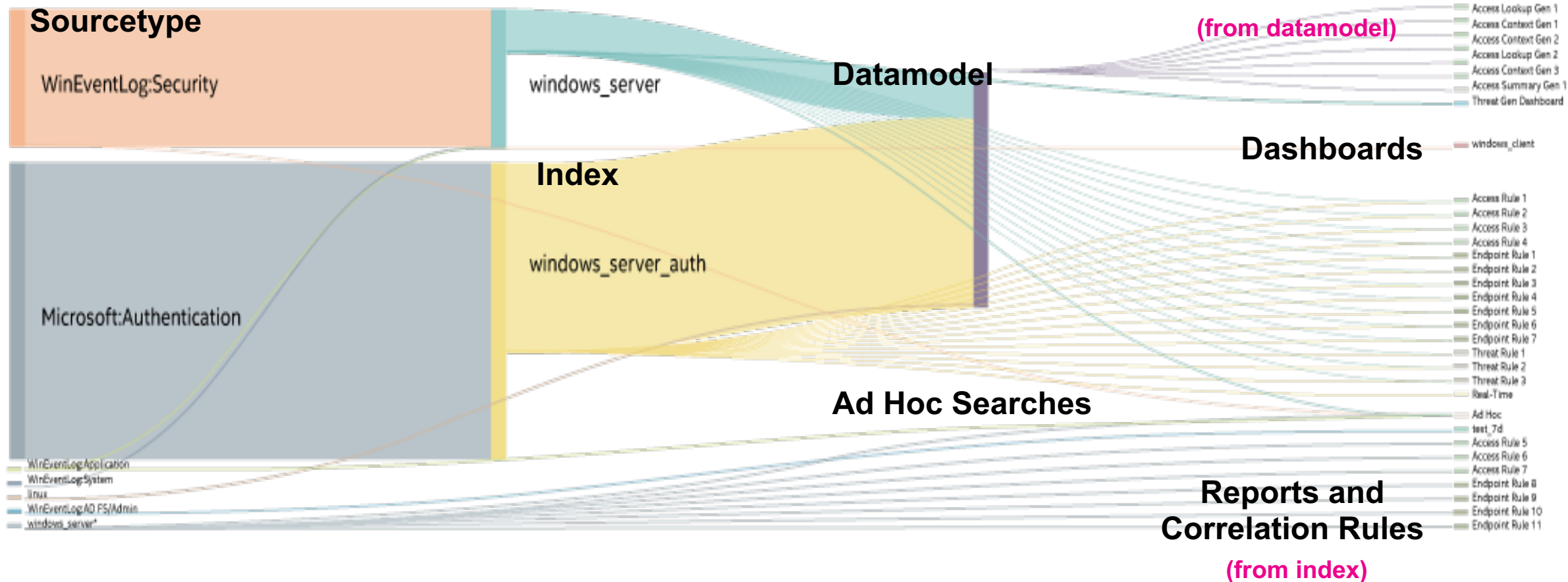
# Solving with Splunk

A combination of `_audit` data and REST calls



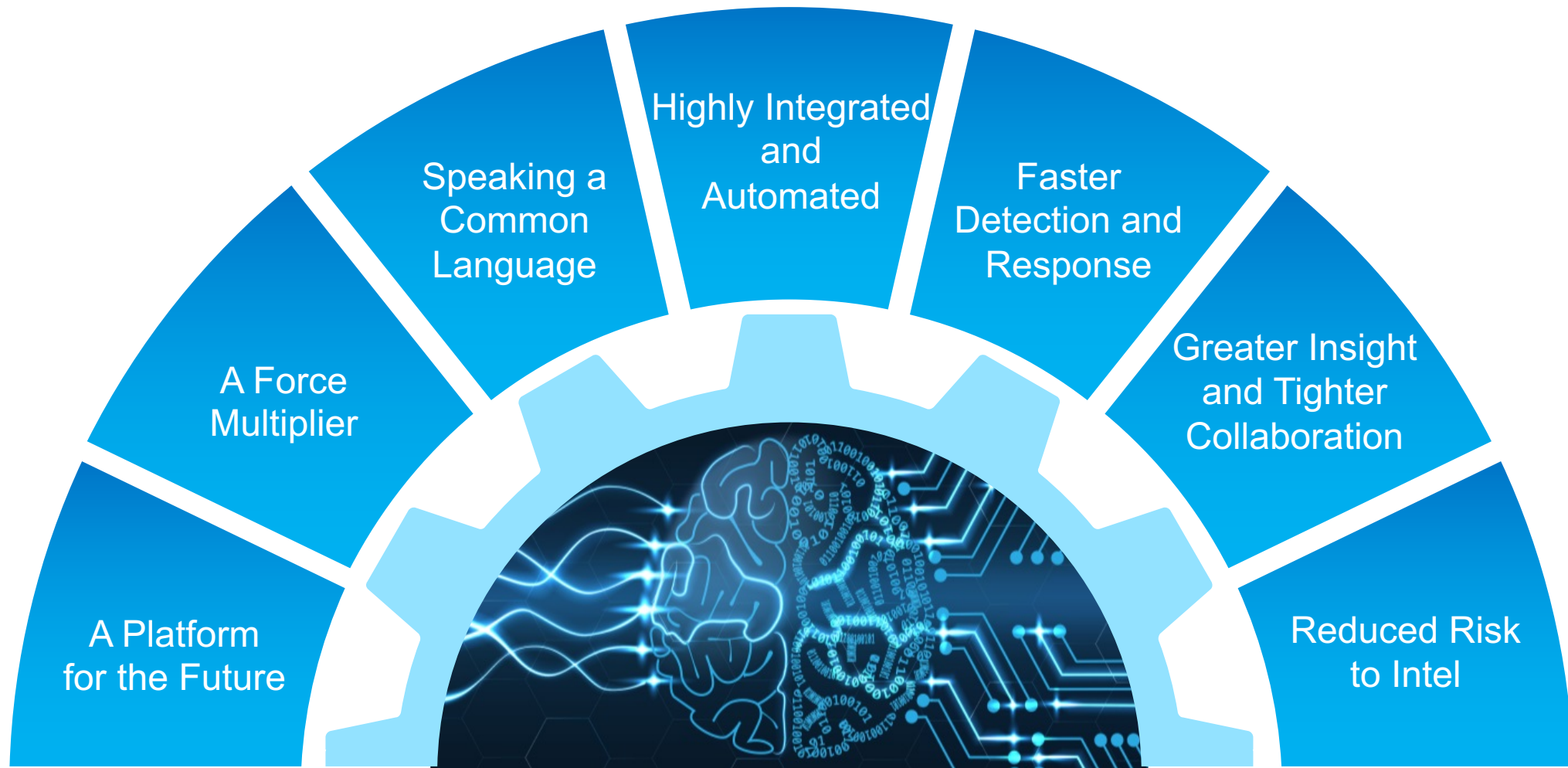
# The Result

## Splunk's Native Sankey Visualization

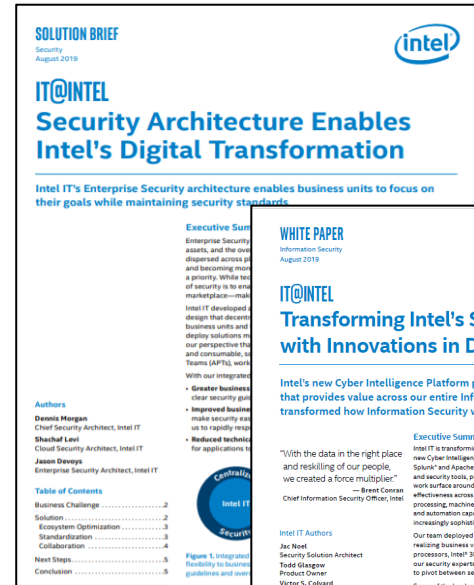
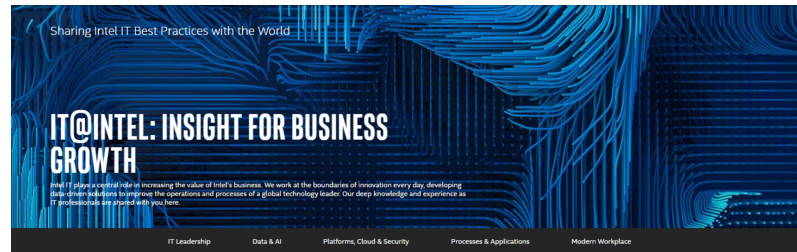


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Transforming How Information Security Works



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