

DA180 | Explore SAP Datasphere and SAP Analytics Cloud end to end

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01 What is this exercise about?

The Business Scenario

Retail transactions sample data from a number of outlet stores for beverages located in the United States. The transaction details include the store, the sold product, the sales manager, and measures on revenue, cost, discount, and profit.

The sales department is looking for a few analytics they need:

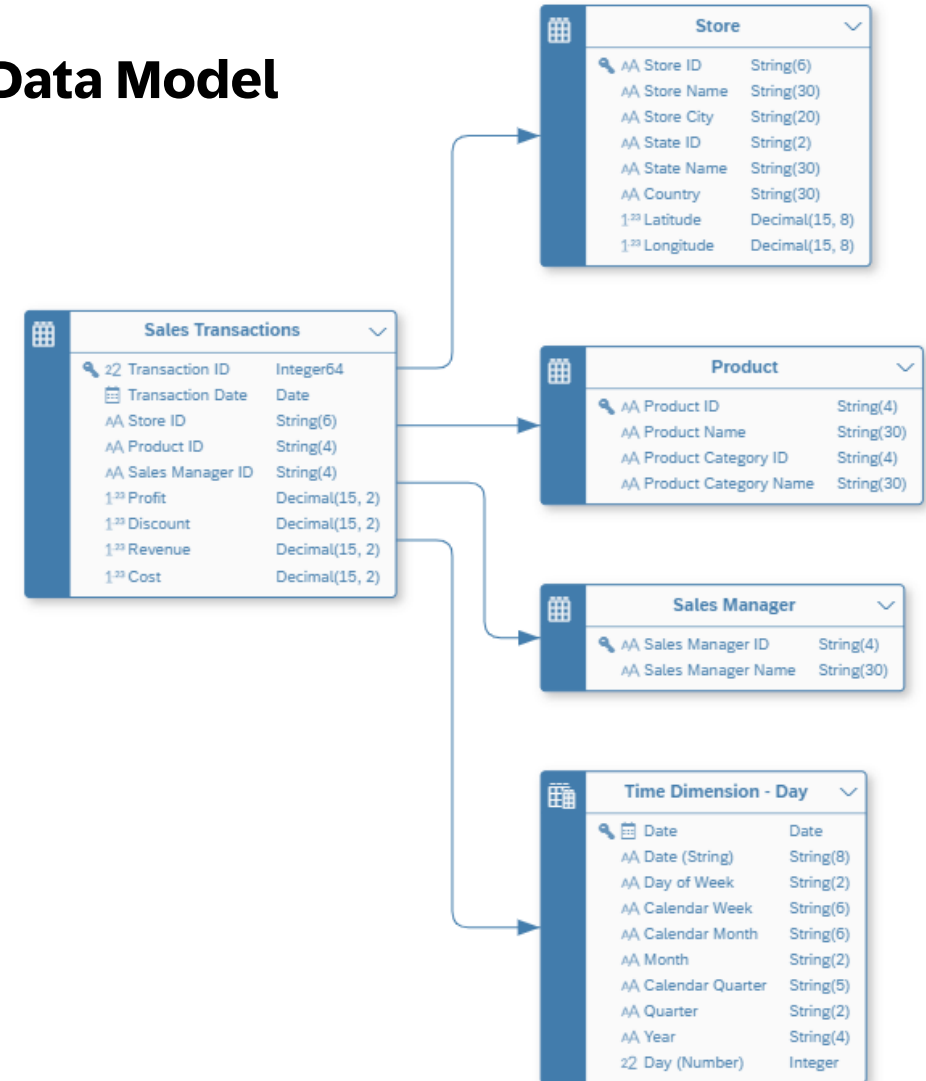
- Year-over-Year Sales Comparison (#8)
- Sales Per Region (#9)
- Top Sales Manager (optional #20)

The exercises will walk you through the steps using SAP Datasphere and SAP Analytics Cloud to answer those open questions.

The following tables are being used and the data is provided on GitHub:

Table Name	Description	Model Type
Sales Transactions	Daily retail transactions per store	Relational Dataset
Store	Details per Store Outlet	Dimension
Sales Manager	Details on all Sales Manager	Dimension
Product	Details on the products being sold	Dimension

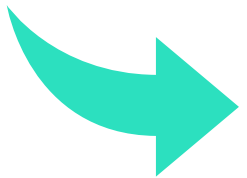
The Data Model



02 What are the requirements and where to find the materials?

Requirements

- ❑ Google Chrome or Microsoft Edge Browser
- ❑ Access to the GitHub Repository for the script & files:
<https://github.com/SAP-samples/teched2024-DA180>
- ❑ Access to any SAP Datasphere and SAP Analytics Cloud system. In case you do not have access you can use a [basic trial](#) system
- ❑ You will also need a set of files for these exercises.
Download the ZIP-file from the GitHub site:
[→ DA180 Resources.zip](#)



Name	Date modified	Type
Dimension Product.csv	12/08/2021 19:28	Excel.CSV
Dimension Sales Manager.csv	12/08/2021 19:28	Excel.CSV
Dimension Store.csv	21/10/2021 23:28	Excel.CSV
Sales Transactions.csv	19/08/2024 10:51	Excel.CSV
Sales_ER_Model.json	22/09/2022 10:41	JSON Source File

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Description

This repository contains the material for the SAP TechEd 2024 session called
👉 *DA180 - Explore SAP Datasphere and SAP Analytics Cloud End-to-End*.

Overview

This jump start session will give you the opportunity to build a scenario with exercises for SAP Datasphere and SAP Analytics Cloud. Find out how SAP Datasphere helps the line-of-business user get the job done. Discover flexible connection features, and learn how you can access data from different sources. Create an extendable business semantic model in an agile way, and connect analytics and visualization components in the context of a data warehouse.

Disclaimer

- Your screen shots may look different than those in the exercises, as with new releases there might be new features or enhancements being delivered.
- Some user interface elements may differ from the screenshot used in the exercise.

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- Google Chrome Browser or Microsoft Edge based on the Chromium engine
- Access to this GitHub repository
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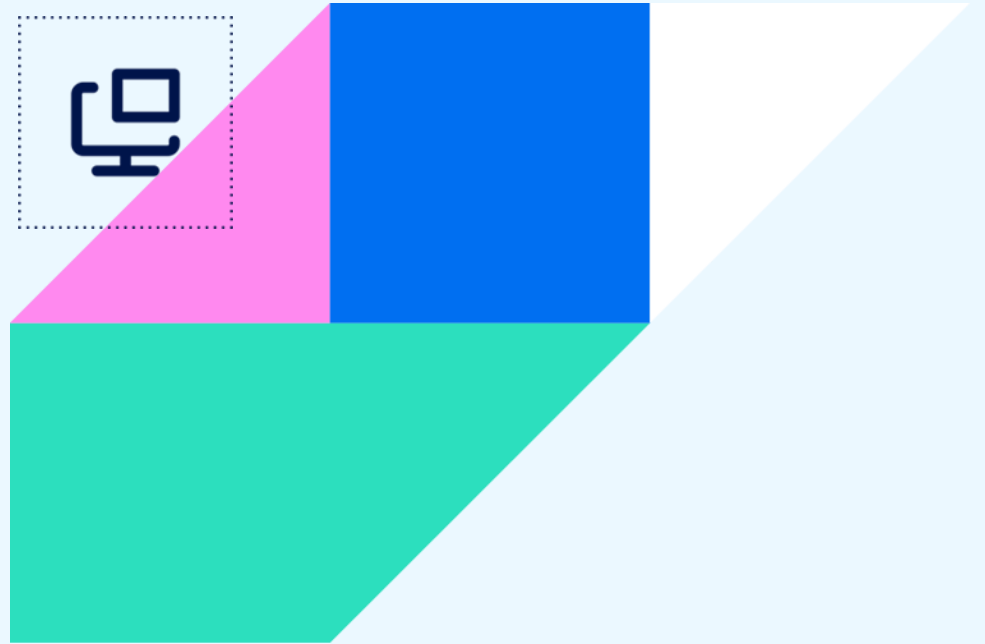
⚠️ Once downloaded to your local machine, please unzip the file into a separate folder.
⚠️ You will need it for the exercises. So, please remember the file location of the unzipped files!

Exercises

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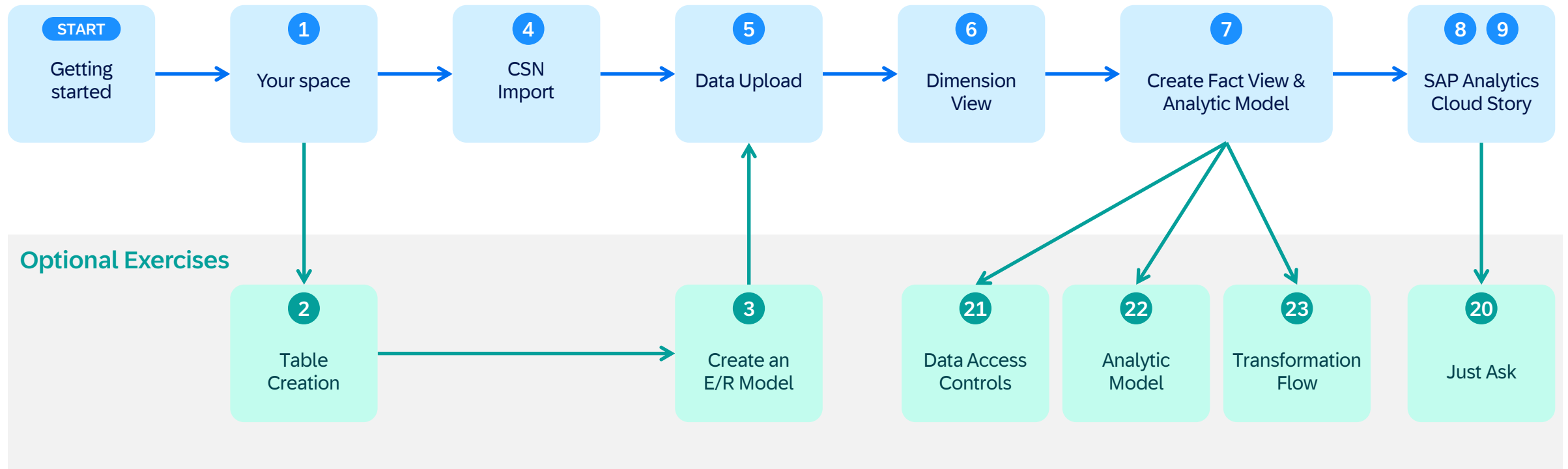
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03 Exercises and optional exercises

We structured the overall exercise the following way:

- Use the blue path to finish early and enjoy exploring the system on your own
- You can learn more and use the **Optional Exercises** for deep dives on different topics



03 Part 1 – Getting Started

In this area you get an **overview about the business scenario & the data model** used throughout the exercises.

We also give you guidance **how to get your basic trial access** in case you do not have access to a SAP Datasphere system already.

When using a basic trial system for this hands-on training, a predefined Space is already there for you named: **GE123456**

The number will be different for everyone!

You already have predefined connections and shared artifacts in your Space.

⚠ In case you use your own system, we recommend you use a new and empty Space. Optional exercise #23 is only working using a basic trial, as we share the replicated data with your space.

You also get an overview about **your first log on** and **how you navigate in the system** in case you have never used SAP Datasphere before.

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03 Part 2 – SAP Datasphere Data Builder

This section covers the **core part of the modeling exercises** where you prepare tables, views and an analytic model to build the foundation for the stories in SAP Analytics Cloud.

In the first exercise **Get to know your own Space** (#1) you learn more about Spaces and the Time Dimension required for your modeling in later parts of the exercise.

You can manually create the tables (#2 - optional) and the entity relationship model (#3 - optional), or directly generate the tables and E/R model by using the **import of the tables** (#4) provided with the CSN file called *Sales_ER_Model.json*.

After the table creation you populate the tables with data by **uploading data files** (#5) using the CSV files from the ZIP-file. Based on these tables you then **create a dimension** (#6), **a fact view** (#7) as well as an **analytic model** (#7).

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03 Part 3 – SAP Analytics Cloud

In this part you will **create simple stories in SAP Analytics Cloud** to learn how to visualize your data based on a live connection to SAP Datasphere.

- The first story shows a year over year comparison (#8).
- The second story shows the revenue by geography (#9).

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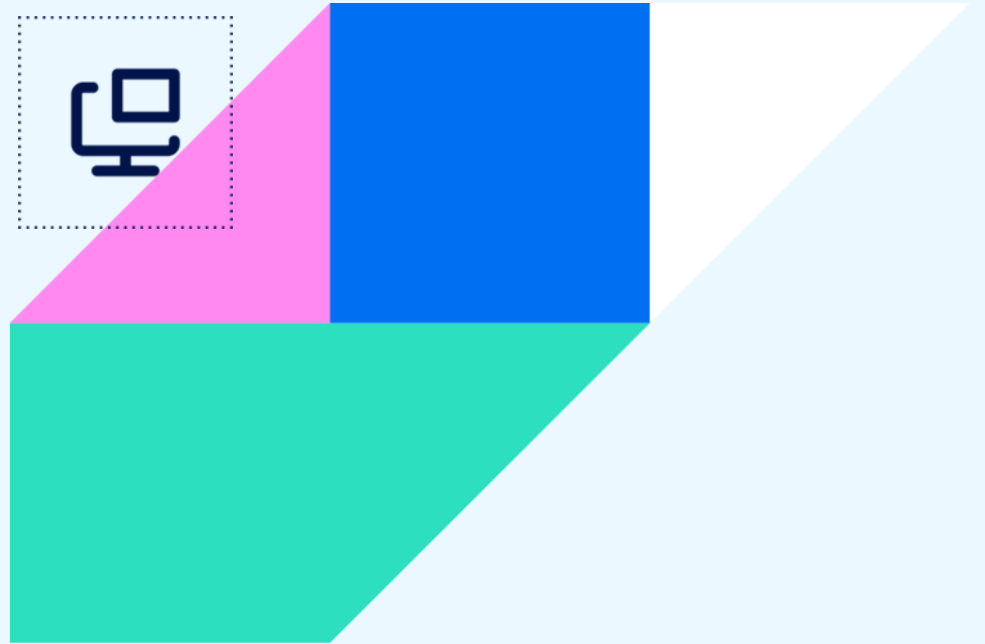
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03 Part 4 – Optional exercises

#20 Just Ask in SAP Analytics Cloud

Learn how to use Just Ask in SAP Analytics Cloud to identify top-performing sales managers.

#21 Data Access Controls

Learn how to create row-level permissions based on an external hierarchy using data access controls.

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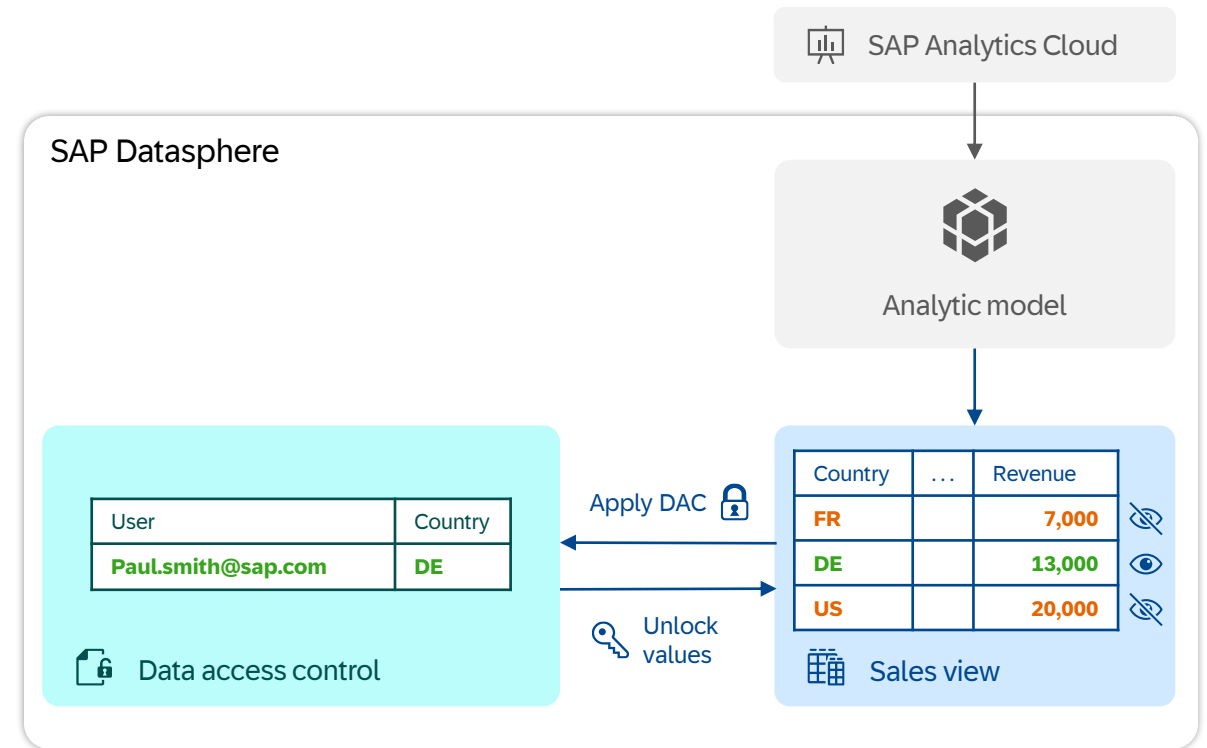
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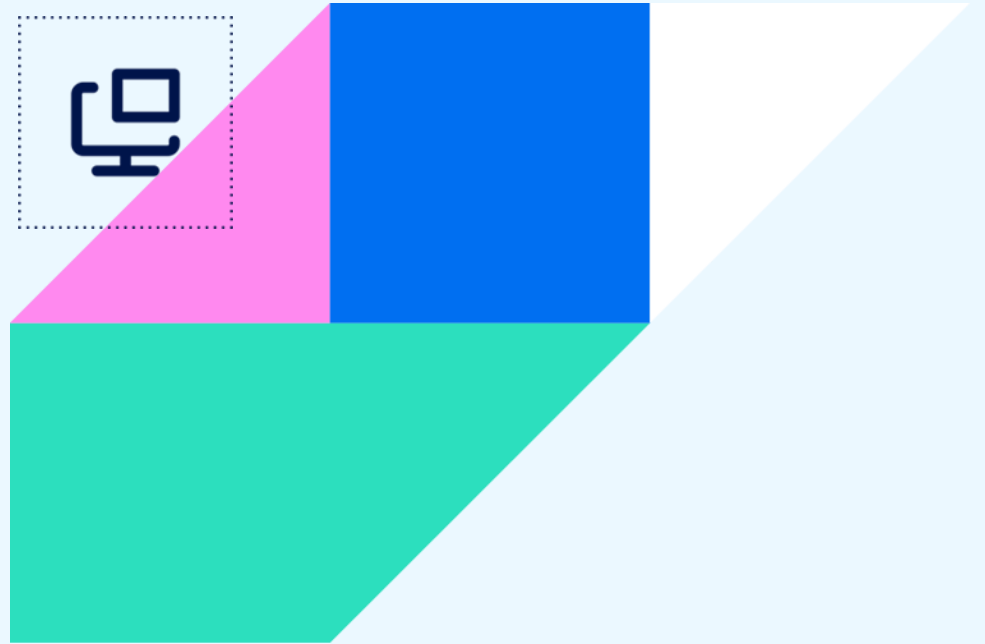
Use data access controls to apply row-level security to your view

- When a data access control is applied to a data layer view or a business layer object, any user viewing its data will see only the rows for which they are authorized, based on the specified criteria
- The following types of criteria are supported:
 - **Single values:** each user can only see the records that match any of the single values they are authorized in the permissions entity
 - **Operator and values:** each user can only see the records that fulfill the operator-value pairs they are authorized for in the permissions entity
 - **Hierarchy:** each user can only see the records that match the hierarchy values they are authorized for in the permissions entity, along with any of their descendants
- Data access controls are defined once and can be applied to multiple artifacts in data layer, and cannot be overruled
- Use the “View as User” tool to review the effects of the data access controls you apply by checking the records that another user will be allowed to see



```
SELECT * FROM SALES_VIEW WHERE 'Country' == 'DE'
```

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03 Part 4 – Optional exercises

#22 Extending the Analytic Model

Learn how to use the data preview of the Analytic Model and how to create different types of new measures to enhance the existing model.

#23 Transformation Flows

Learn how to create a transformation flow which captures delta records and loads it into a new table. You will create new models and replace that model inside your SAP Analytics Cloud story.

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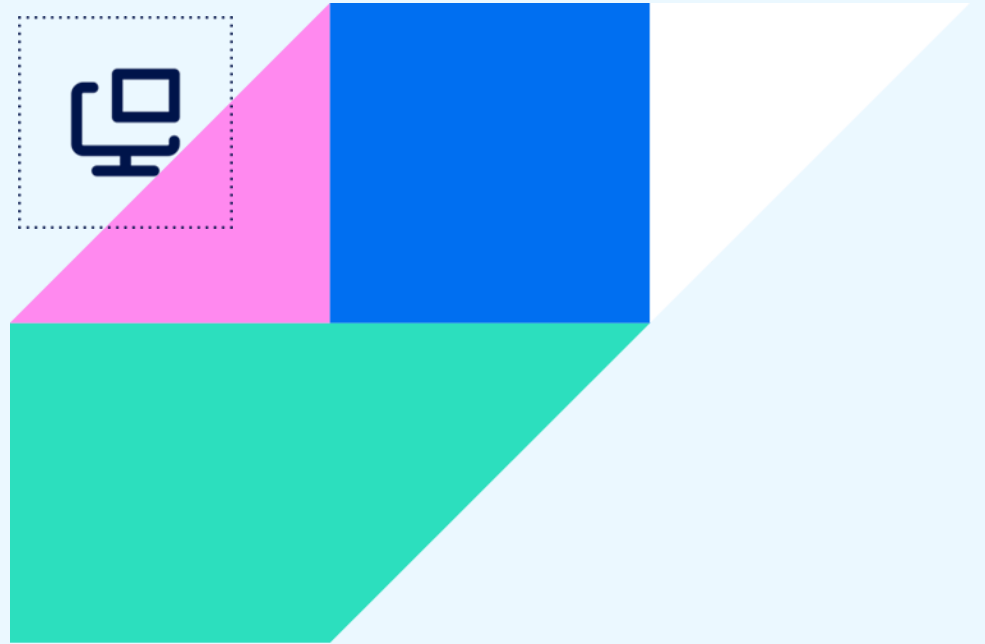
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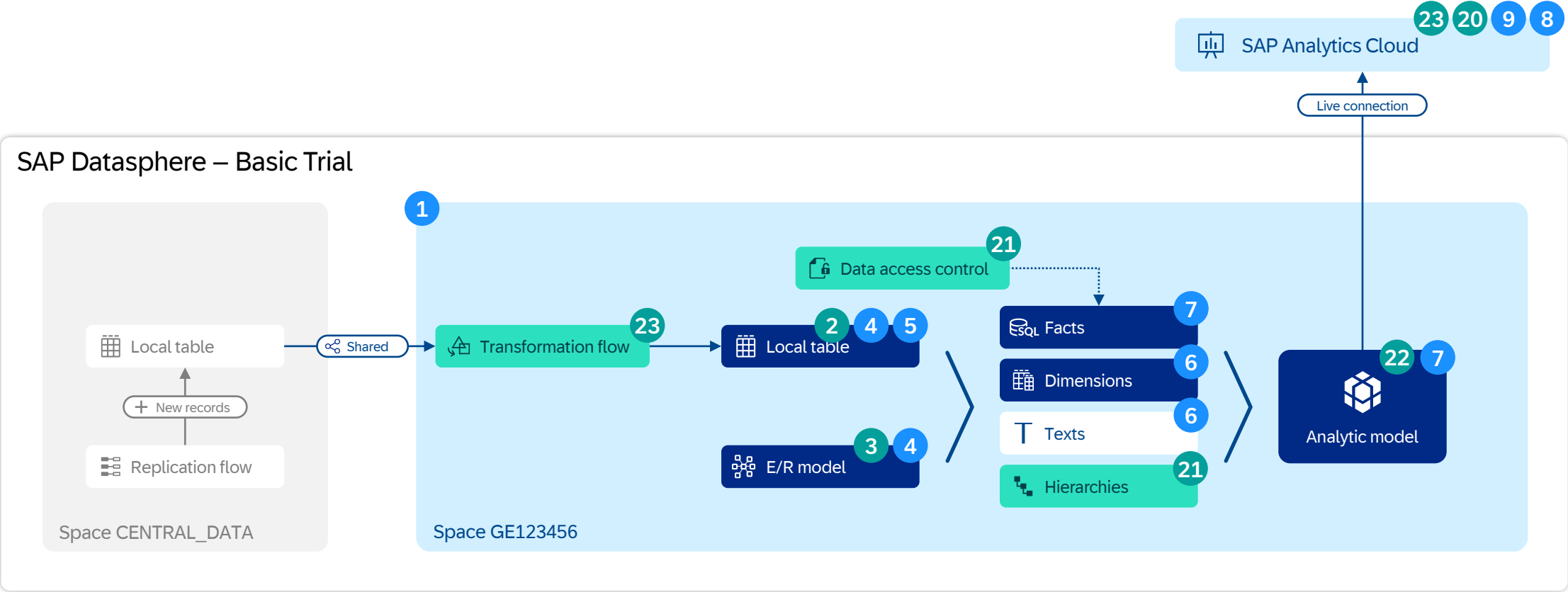
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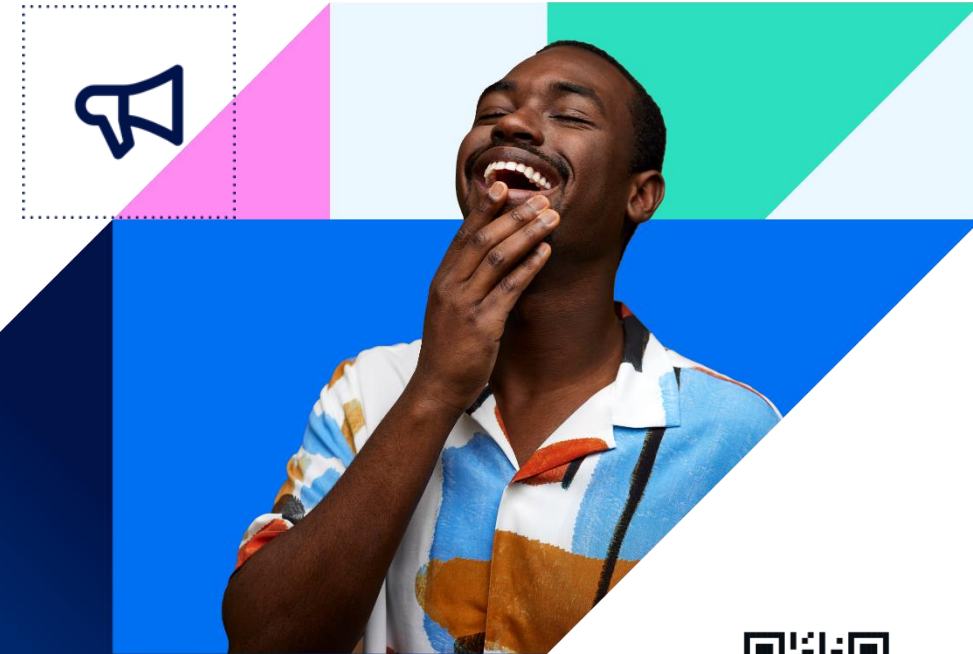
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