Case Study: Integrating Consumer Data into SMART360

1. Data Extraction:

- Develop Python scripts to connect to ABC Utility Company's databases.
- Retrieve consumer data including Consumer ID, Name, Address, Contact Number, Email Address, Account Number, Meter Number, Tariff Plan, Consumption History, and Payment Status.
- Format the extracted data for further processing.

2. Data Mapping:

- Map the extracted consumer data to corresponding fields within the SMART360 platform.
- Consumer ID will directly map to Consumer ID in SMART360.
- Name will be split into First Name and Last Name.
- Address will be split into Address Line 1, Address Line 2, City, State, and Zip Code.
- Contact Number will map to Phone Number.
- Email Address will directly map to Email Address.

3. Transformation and Loading:

- Transform the extracted data according to the requirements of SMART360.
- Format the address data into separate fields.
- Ensure consistent formatting of names, contact numbers, and email addresses.
- Load the transformed data into the corresponding consumer tables in SMART360.

4. Validation and Testing:

- Conduct thorough validation and testing of the integrated consumer data.
- Verify data accuracy, completeness, and consistency.
- Address any discrepancies or issues identified during testing.
- Validate the mapping process by comparing a sample of integrated data with the original source data.

5. Deployment:

- Deploy the Python scripts to automate the data integration process.
- Set up scheduled tasks or triggers to execute the scripts at predefined intervals.
- Monitor the automated process for any errors or failures and ensure timely resolution.

Python Scripts for Automated Mapping

Data Extraction Script

def extract data():

Connect to ABC Utility Company's databases

Retrieve consumer data

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consumer_data = query_consumer_data()
return consumer data
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# Data Mapping Script
def map data(consumer data):
  mapped data = []
  for consumer in consumer data:
    mapped_consumer = {
       'Consumer ID': consumer['Consumer ID'],
       'First Name': consumer['Name'].split()[0],
       'Last Name': consumer['Name'].split()[1],
       'Address Line 1': consumer['Address'].split(',')[0],
       'Address Line 2': consumer['Address'].split(',')[1] if len(consumer['Address'].split(',')) > 1 else ",
       'City': consumer['Address'].split(',')[2],
       'State': consumer['Address'].split(',')[3],
       'Zip Code': consumer['Address'].split(',')[4],
       'Phone Number': consumer['Contact Number'],
       'Email Address': consumer['Email Address']
     }
    mapped data.append(mapped consumer)
  return mapped data
# Transformation and Loading Script
def transform and load(mapped data):
  # Transform and load data into SMART360
  for consumer in mapped data:
    load consumer data(consumer)
# Main Script
if __name__ == "__main__":
  consumer data = extract data()
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mapped data = map data(consumer data)

transform and load(mapped data)

Documentation of Mapping Process:

- 1. Data Extraction Documentation:
 - Detailed steps to connect to ABC Utility Company's databases.
 - Description of the query used to retrieve consumer data.
- 2. Data Mapping Documentation:
 - Explanation of how each consumer data field is mapped to SMART360 fields.
 - Handling of edge cases such as missing address components.
- 3. Transformation and Loading Documentation:
 - Description of any data transformations performed before loading into SMART360.
 - Explanation of the loading process and any considerations for data consistency.

Testing and Validation of Scripts

Unit Testing:

- Test each function independently to ensure it operates as expected.
- Mock database connections and data to simulate different scenarios.

Integration Testing:

- Test the end-to-end data integration process using sample data.
- Verify that data is accurately mapped and loaded into SMART360.

User Acceptance Testing (UAT):

- Involve stakeholders from ABC Utility Company to validate the integrated data against their expectations.
- Address any feedback or issues identified during UAT.

Regression Testing:

• Repeat testing after any modifications to ensure existing functionality remains intact.