

# 4.5 LESSON NOTES

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## SORTING DATA

### SORTING METHODS

- Used to **manipulate results of queries** (except for scorecards)
- All queries have a **primary sort**
- **Secondary sort** only applicable when query has enough elements
- Can sort in **descending** or **ascending** order
  - Metrics and Numeric Dimensions: high - low / low - high
  - Text Dimensions: Z - A / A - Z
  - Dimension values containing text that start with numeric characters are sorted first in ascending order (0-9).
- Sort **applied automatically** to every query