

 Bronze Layer	 Silver Layer	 Gold Layer
Definition	Raw, unprocessed data as-is from sources	Clean & standardized data	Business-Ready data
Objective	Traceability & Debugging	(Intermediate Layer) Prepare Data for Analysis	Provide data to be consumed for reporting & Analytics
Object Type	Tables	Tables	Views
Load Method	Full Load (Truncate & Insert)	Full Load (Truncate & Insert)	None
Data Transformation	None (as-is)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Data Cleaning - Data Standardization - Data Normalization - Derived Columns - Data Enrichment 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Data Integration - Data Aggregation - Business Logic & Rules
Data Modeling	None (as-is)	None (as-is)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Start Schema - Aggregated Objects - Flat Tables
Target Audience	- Data Engineers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Data Analysts - Data Engineers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Data Analysts - Business Users