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# **INTRODUCTION TO DATA SCIENCE**

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## Who are you?

- Name
- Employer
- Position/responsibilities
- Fun Fact
- Previous knowledge? Expectations?



**INTRODUCTION TO DATA SCIENCE**  
**TOPIC OUTLINE**

**INTRODUCTION TO DATA SCIENCE**

**1**

**DATA**

**2**

**DATA SCIENCE IN BUSINESS**

**3**

**STATISTICS**

**4**

**MACHINE LEARNING**

**5**

**SUMMARY SESSION**

**6**

**UNIT 1**

# **INTRODUCTION TO DATA SCIENCE**

## STUDY GOALS

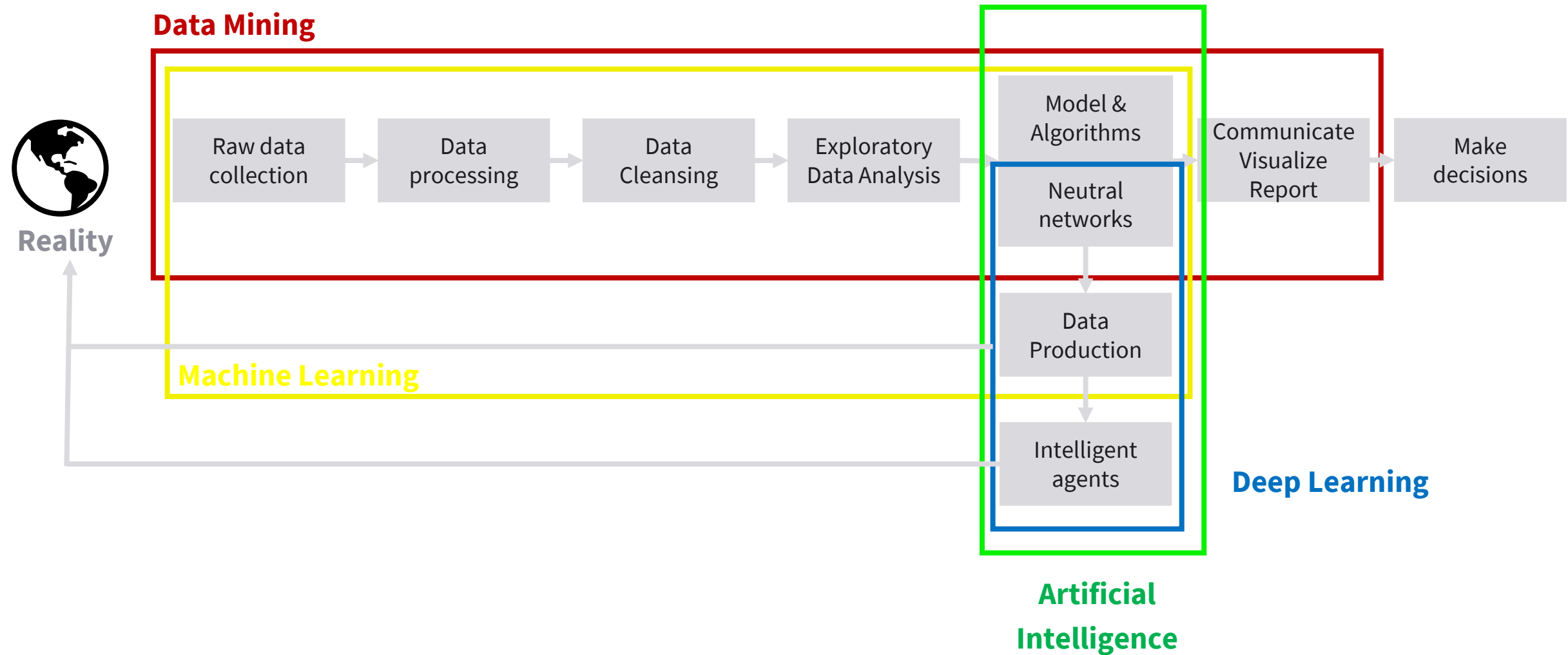


- Understand what is meant by data science and why we need data science.
- Understand the main terms and definitions relating to data science.
- Explain the role of a data scientist.
- Describe the typical activities carried out within the field of data science.



- What is data science?
- What are the benefits of data science?
- What fields are related to data science and how?

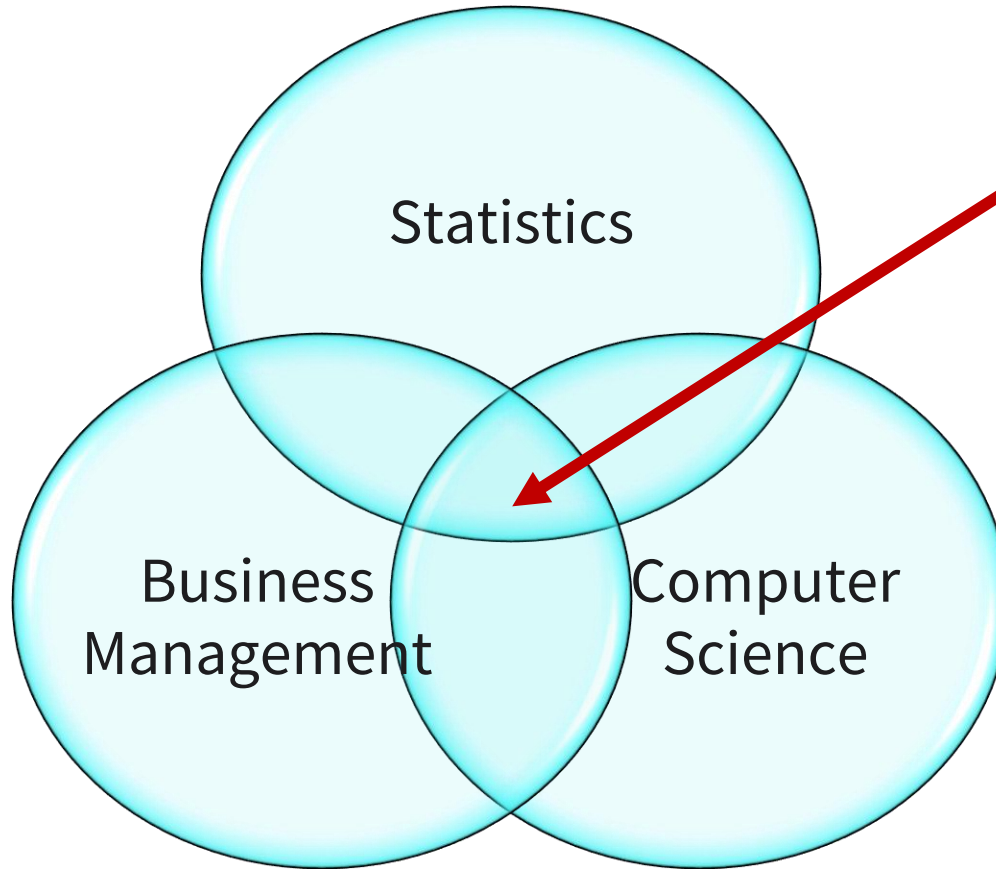
DATA SCIENCE



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## DATA SCIENCE'S RELATED FIELDS THE DATA SCIENCE VENN DIAGRAM



### DATA SCIENCE

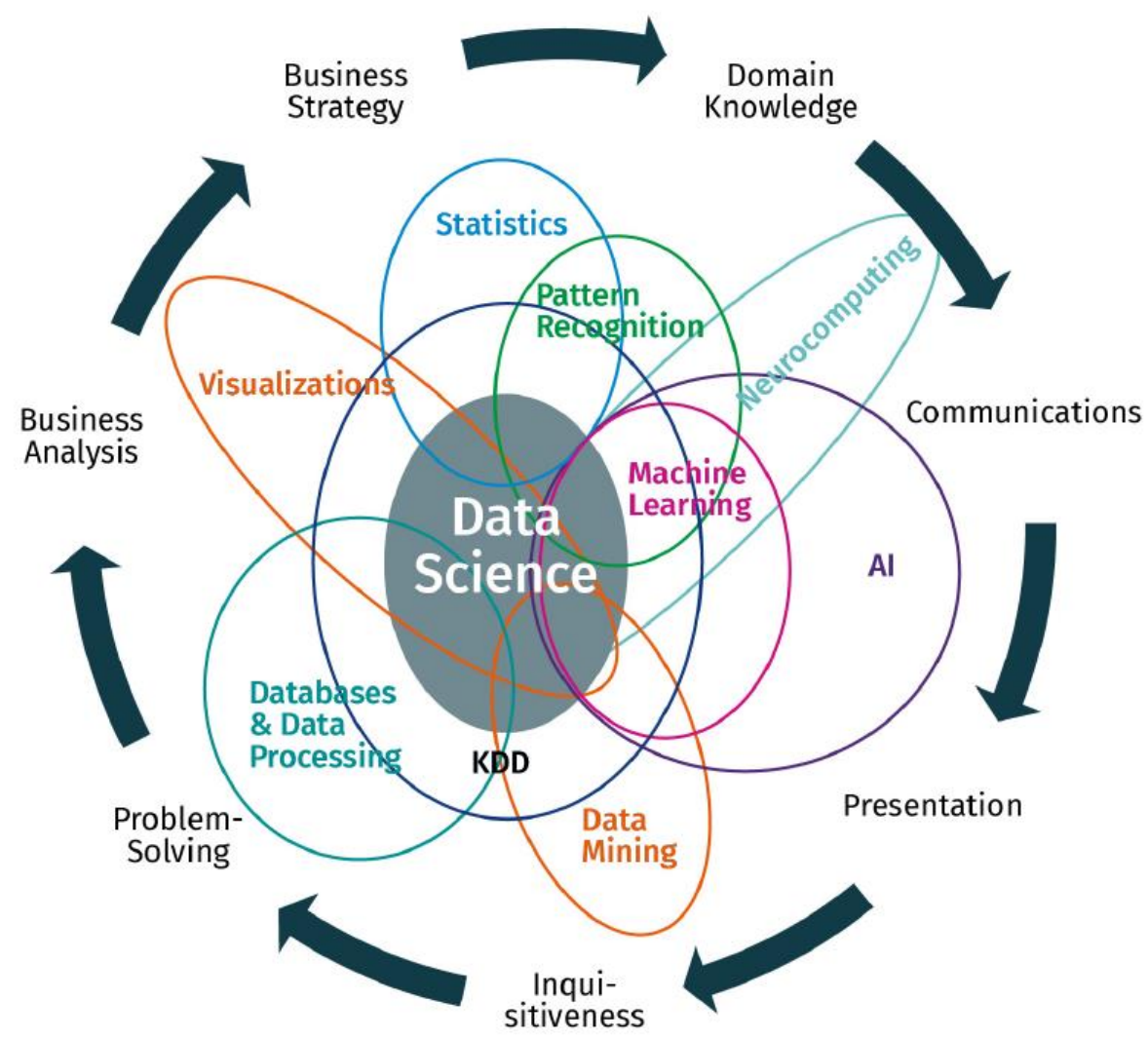
Extracts meaningful **insights** from **raw data**.

Unlocking the **real values** and **insights** of the data

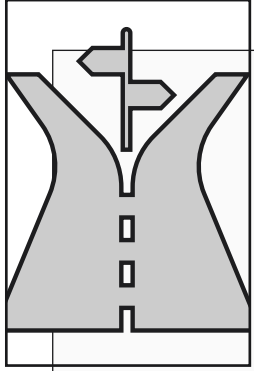
Focused on the **ways** that people can **understand** and **use** data.

Enable companies to make **smarter business decisions**.

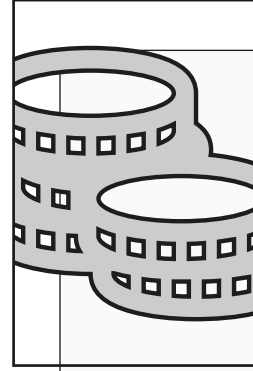
THE EXTENDED DATA SCIENCE VENN DIAGRAM



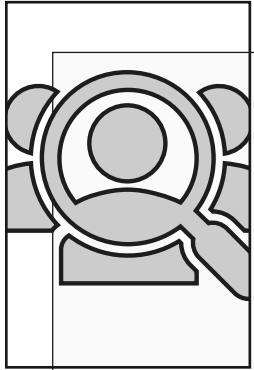
## BENEFITS OF DATA SCIENCE



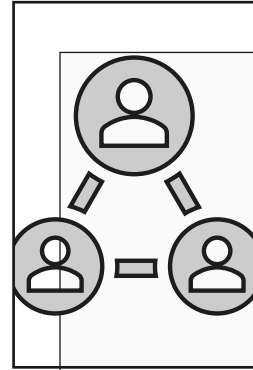
Improves the **decision-making** of the company.



Enhances **operational efficiency**, business routine, and workflows.

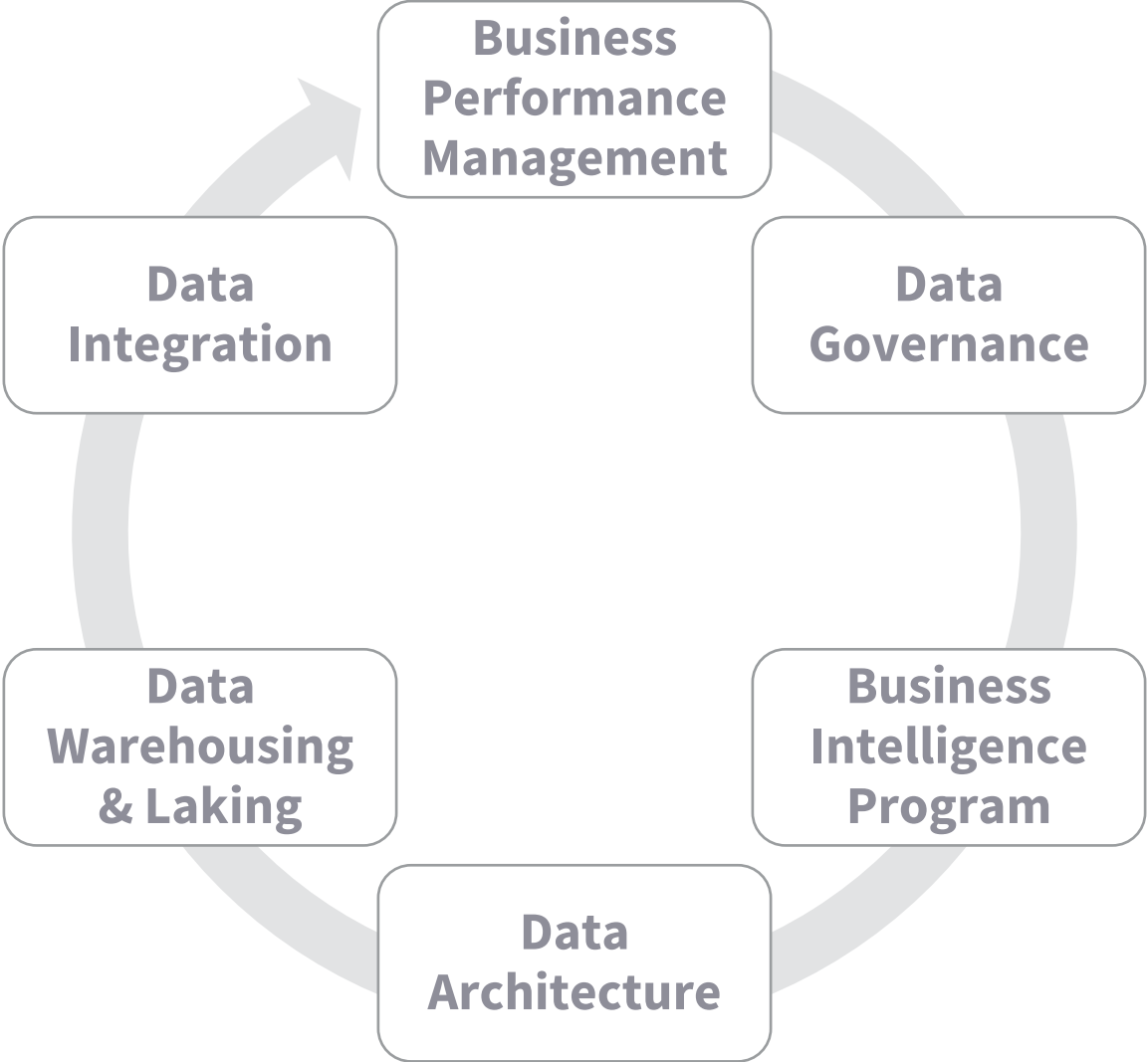


Recognizes and informs companies of their **target audiences**.



Assists the automated aspect of **HR recruitment** to perform more accurately.

**BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE**



Source of the image: Microsoft Archive.

## BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE

Benefits      Data driven business decisions

Increased efficiency

Boost ROI

Increased competitive advantage

Improved customer experience





## Data Handling

### Training Set

- The **dataset** used to learn the desired task.

### Testing Set

- Assesses the **performance** of machine learning model.

### Outlier

- A **data record**

### Data Cleansing

- The **process** of removing redundant data, etc.

## Data Features

### Feature

- **Measure** of the data; height, etc.

### Dimensionality Reduction

- The process of **reducing the dataset.**

### Feature Selection

- The process of **selecting relevant features.**

## Learning Paradigms

### Machine Learning

- **Algorithms** or **mathematical** models
- Uses information to achieve a **desired task or function**.

### Supervised Learning

- The subset of Machine Learning, based on **labeled data**.
- Distinguished in **regression** and **classification**.

### Unsupervised Learning

- The subset of Machine Learning, based on **unlabeled data**.
- **Clustering** and **dimensionality reduction**.

### Deep Learning

- The application of **networks** of computational units.
- Used to **learn** through tasks.

## Model Development

### Decision Model

- Assesses the data to **recommend a decision**.

### Regression

- Estimates the **dependence** between variables.

### Cluster Analysis

- A set of **data records** into **clusters**.

### Classification

- Categorizes entities into **predefined classes**.

## Model Performance

### Probability

- How **likely** it is that a certain **event occurs**.

### Standard Deviation

- How spread out the **data values** are.

### Type I Error

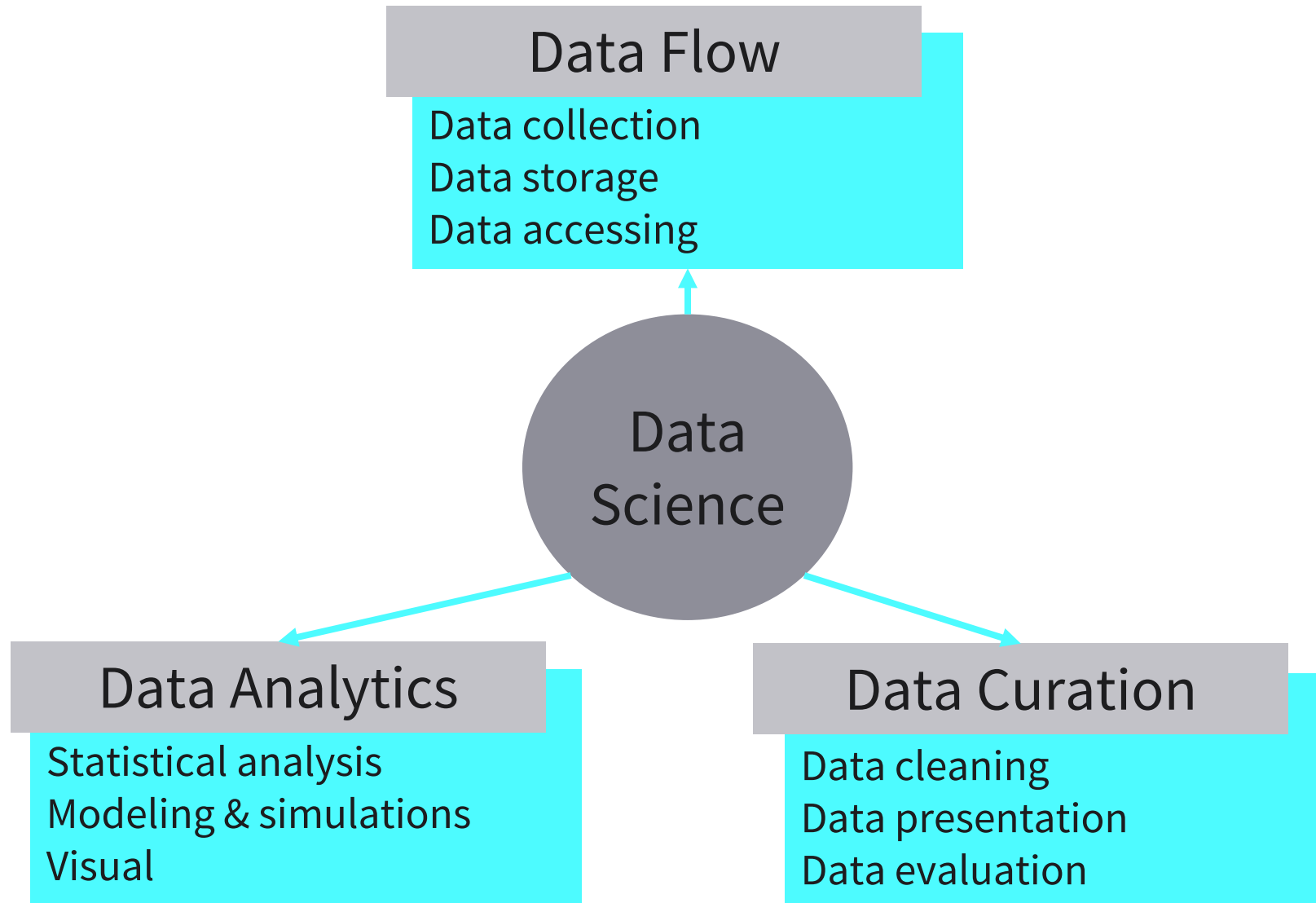
- False **positive** output.

### Type II Error

- False **negative** output.



## DATA SCIENCE'S ACTIVITIES



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1

- Understand the problem

2

- Collect enough data

3

- Process the raw data

4

- Explore the data

5

- Analyze the data

6

- Communicate the results

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# TOP 10 DATA SCIENCE PROJECTS FOR 2024



- Understand what is meant by data science and why we need data science.
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**SESSION 1**

# **TRANSFER TASK**

## TRANSFER TASKS

### CASE STUDY

#### Scenario

John is a data scientist working in a team of Business Intelligence. He is going to start a new data science project to improve the **marketing process** of the company.

#### Questions

1. Which tasks may John be responsible for?
2. Which benefits can the company achieve from John's data science activities?

TRANSFER TASK  
PRESENTATION OF THE RESULTS

Please present your  
results.

The results will be  
discussed in plenary.





1. Machine learning is a set of algorithms or mathematical models that use information extracted from data in order to achieve a desired task or function.
  - a) Correct
  - b) Incorrect





2. Cluster analysis is a type of supervised learning used to partition a set of data records into clusters.

- a) Correct
- b) Incorrect



3. Data scientists follow a group of actions that encompasses all possible elements of the process that need to be addressed. Put the various steps in the correct order.

- Understand the problem
- Explore the data
- Communicate the results
- Process the raw data
- Collect enough data
- Analyze the data

## LIST OF SOURCES

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