



Cloud Native Approach to 5G

Enabling Network and Infrastructure automation

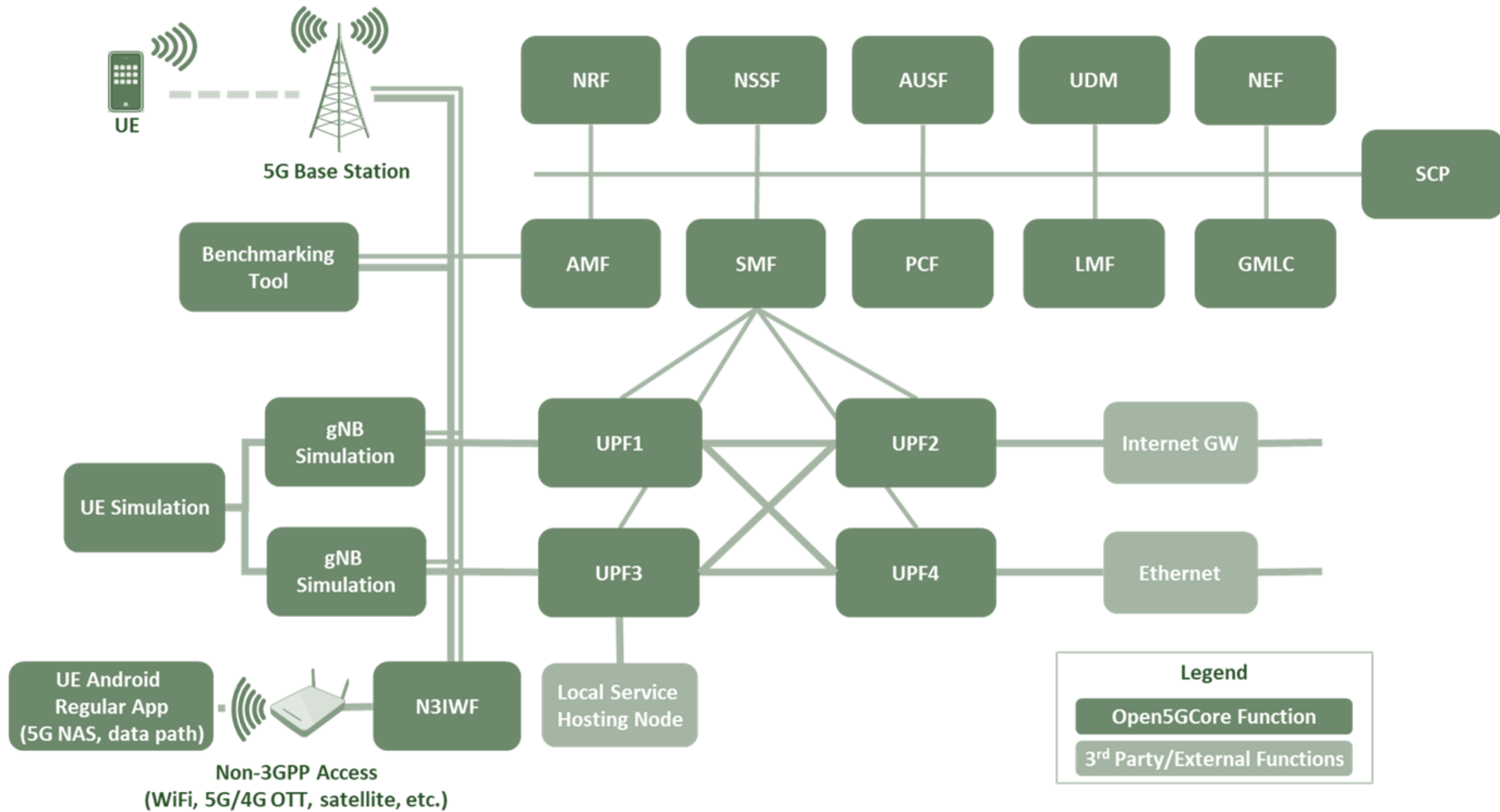
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What is Cloud Native ?

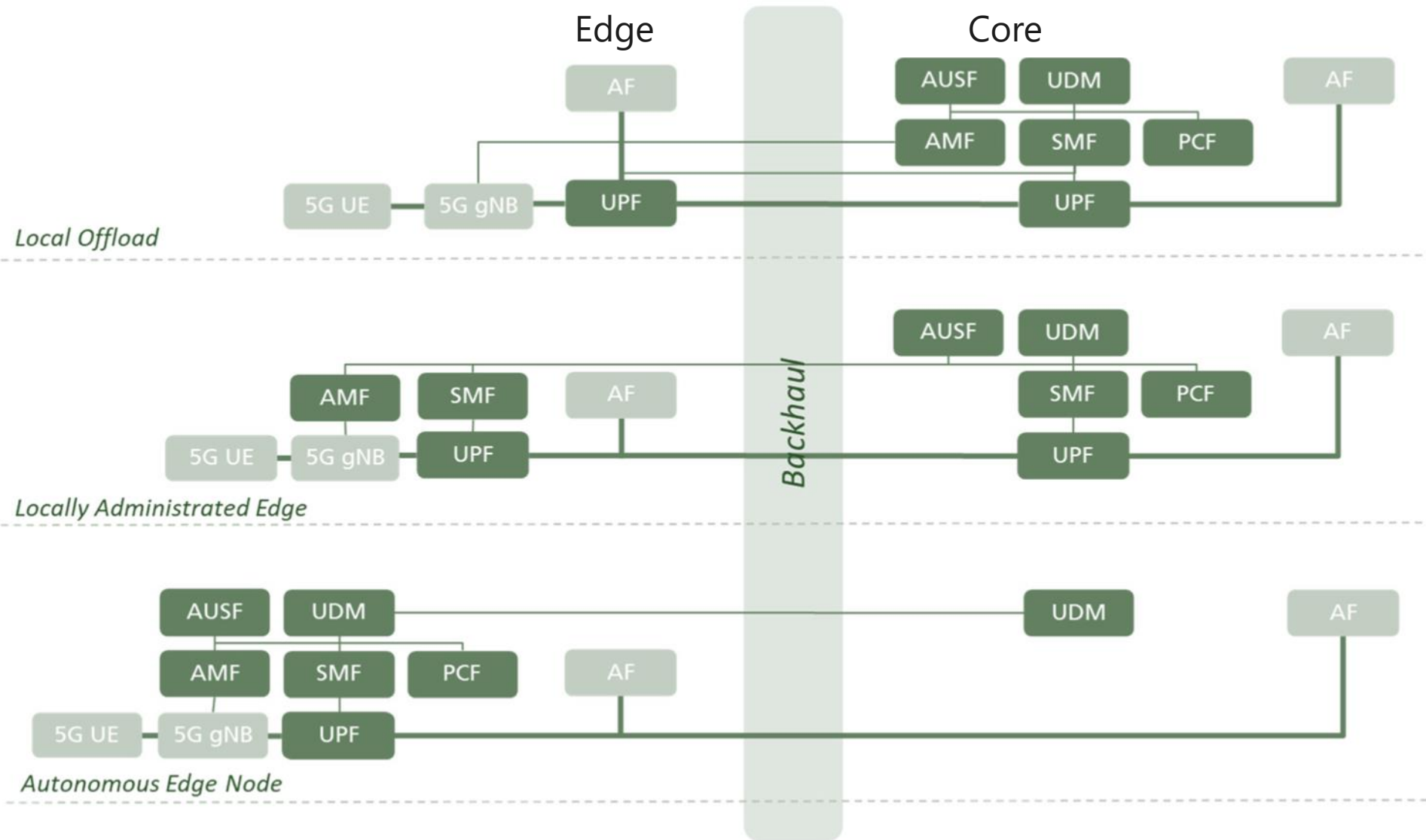
Cloud Native Applications

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- Independence:** Their architecture makes it possible to build cloud native applications independently of each other.
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- Resiliency:** A well-designed cloud native application is able to survive and stay online even in the event of an infrastructure outage.
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- Standards-based:** For interoperability and workload portability, cloud native services are often based on open source and standards based technology.
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- Business agility:** Cloud native applications enable flexible deployment options across the network, and are also smaller than traditional apps, which makes them easier to develop, deploy, and iterate.
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- Automation:** Cloud native applications use DevOps automations features and enable continuous delivery and deployment of software changes that get released on a regular basis. Additionally, developers can use methodologies like blue-green and canary deployments to make improvements to the apps without any disruption to the user experience.
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- No downtime:** Thanks to container orchestrators such as Kubernetes, you can deploy a software update with essentially zero downtime.

Typical 5G Core Components and Connections

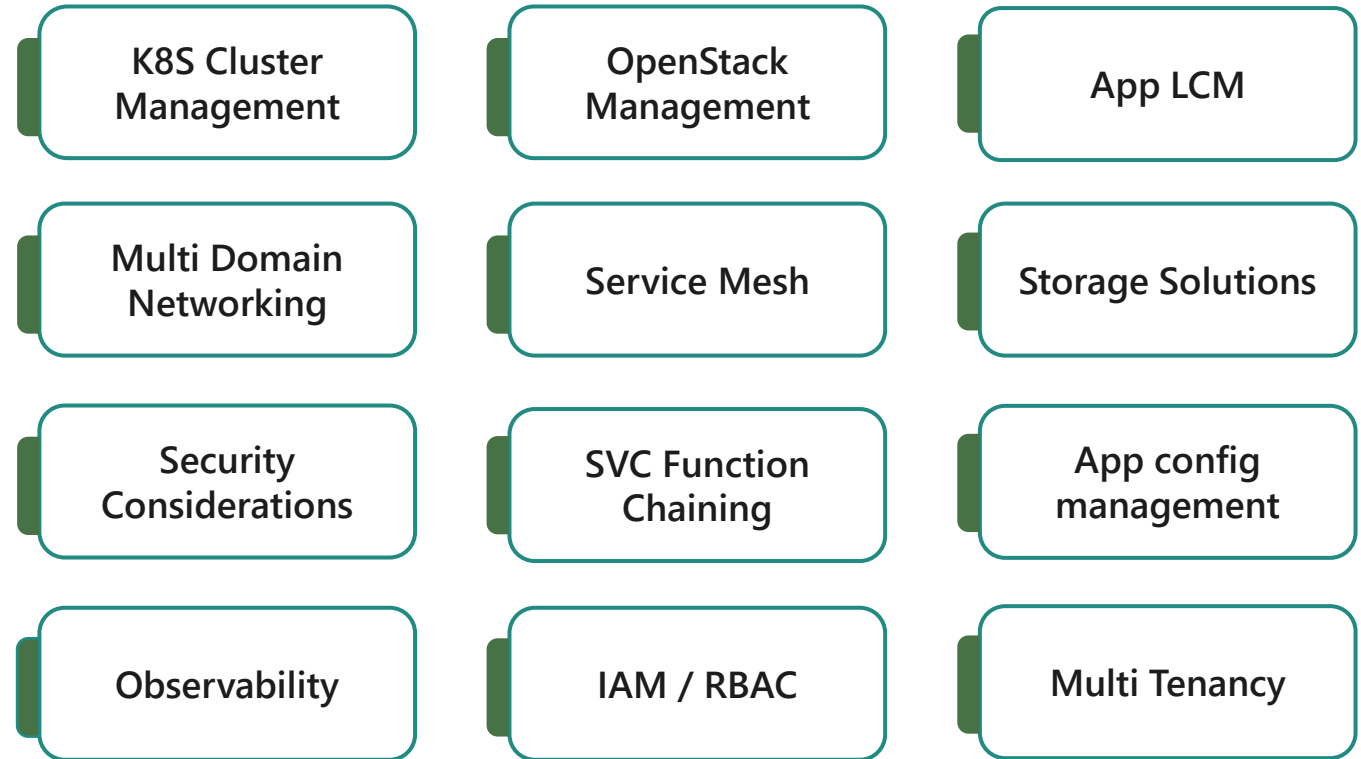


5G Core – Different Deployment Strategies



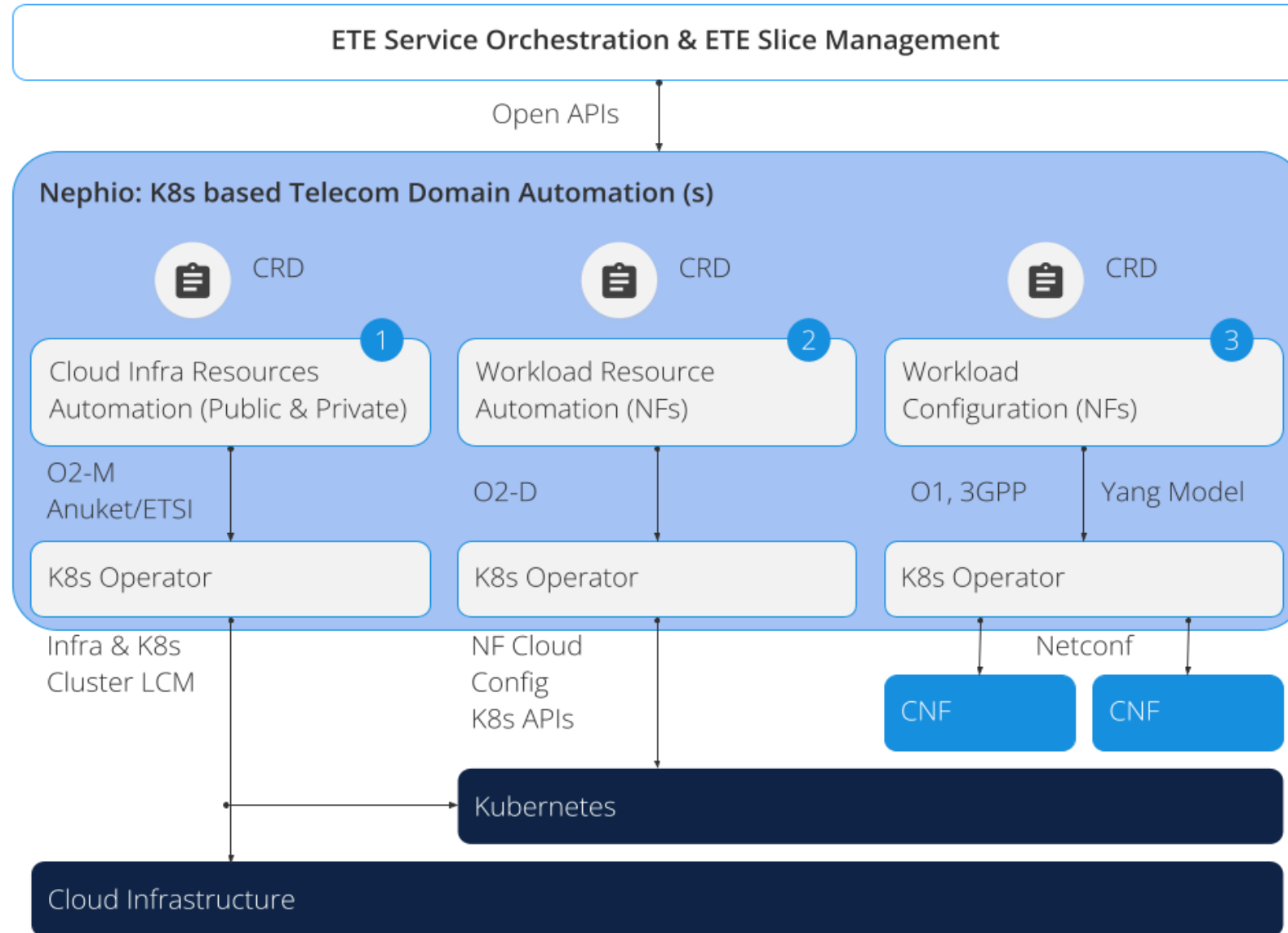
Challenges

- Easier said than done
- Questions feasibility at Edge
- Cost of operations with Public Cloud Infrastructure usage
- Telco Infrastructure might require additional hyper-scaler equivalent operation capability



Skillset required managing each Edge Site

Nephio – Approach



Hybrid Edge Cloud Platform

Cloud Compass



Cirrus Cloud Platform

- Infrastructure Management
- Multi Cloud Orchestration
- Uniform IAM & RBAC
- Audit & Security

- Observability & Telemetry
- Closed loop automation
- Day 2 Operations
- Rating & Metering

Applications
5G core, O-RAN,
vFW, CDN, IOT

NETWORK



NETCONF

INFRASTRUCTURE



GKE



AKS



Amazon EKS



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vmware

Data Lakes



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