

# TECH WEEK



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# **Machine Learning avec Spark : La voie de la production**

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# Plan



Business case



Machine learning



Testing

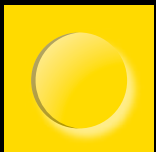


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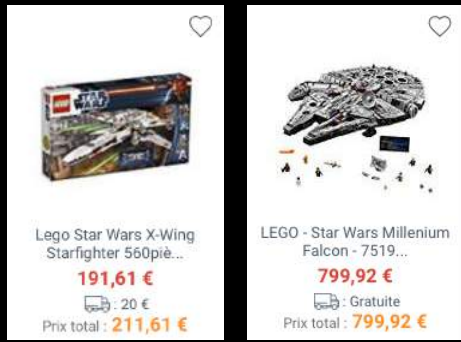


Lessons learned

# Business Case



Business case



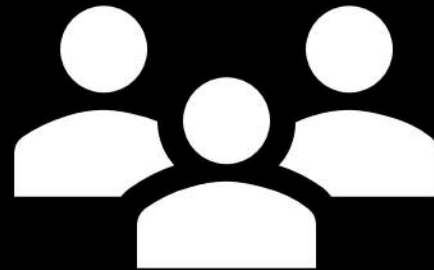
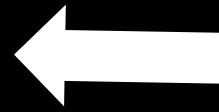
**Merchants  
(Online stores)**



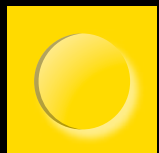
**kelkoo group**



**+  
Publishers  
(Ads Network)**



**Users**



**Business case**

# Targets

## KelkooGroup

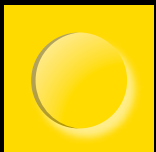
- Automatization
- Increase margin

## Merchant

- Attract more buyers
- Sell more with less budget

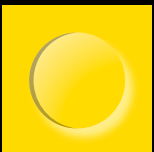
## End Users

- See interesting products
- Find the best offers



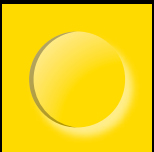
# Decisions to make

- Where to show the offer  
(which site, which publisher)
- How much to pay for it



# Problem

How many clicks the offer will get ?





# Solution





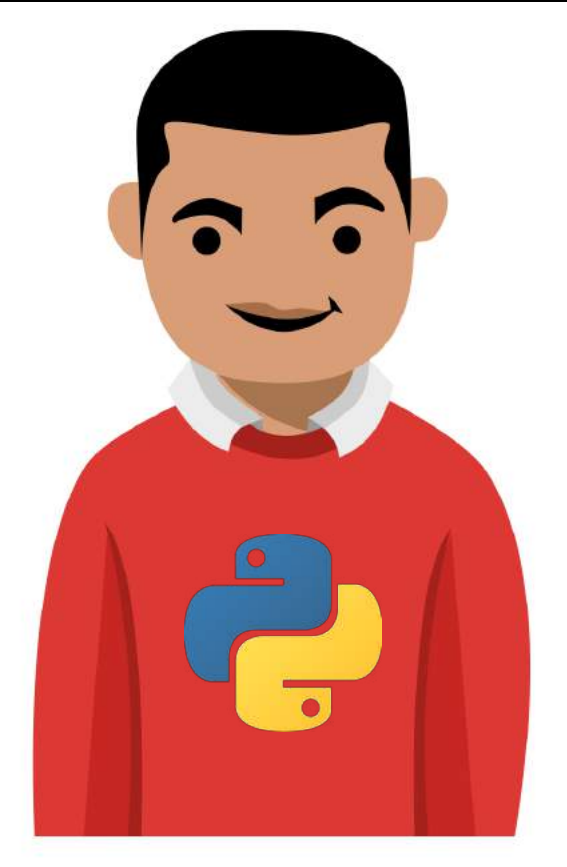
# Machine Learning



# How?



Machine Learning



**Data Scientist**

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**Data**

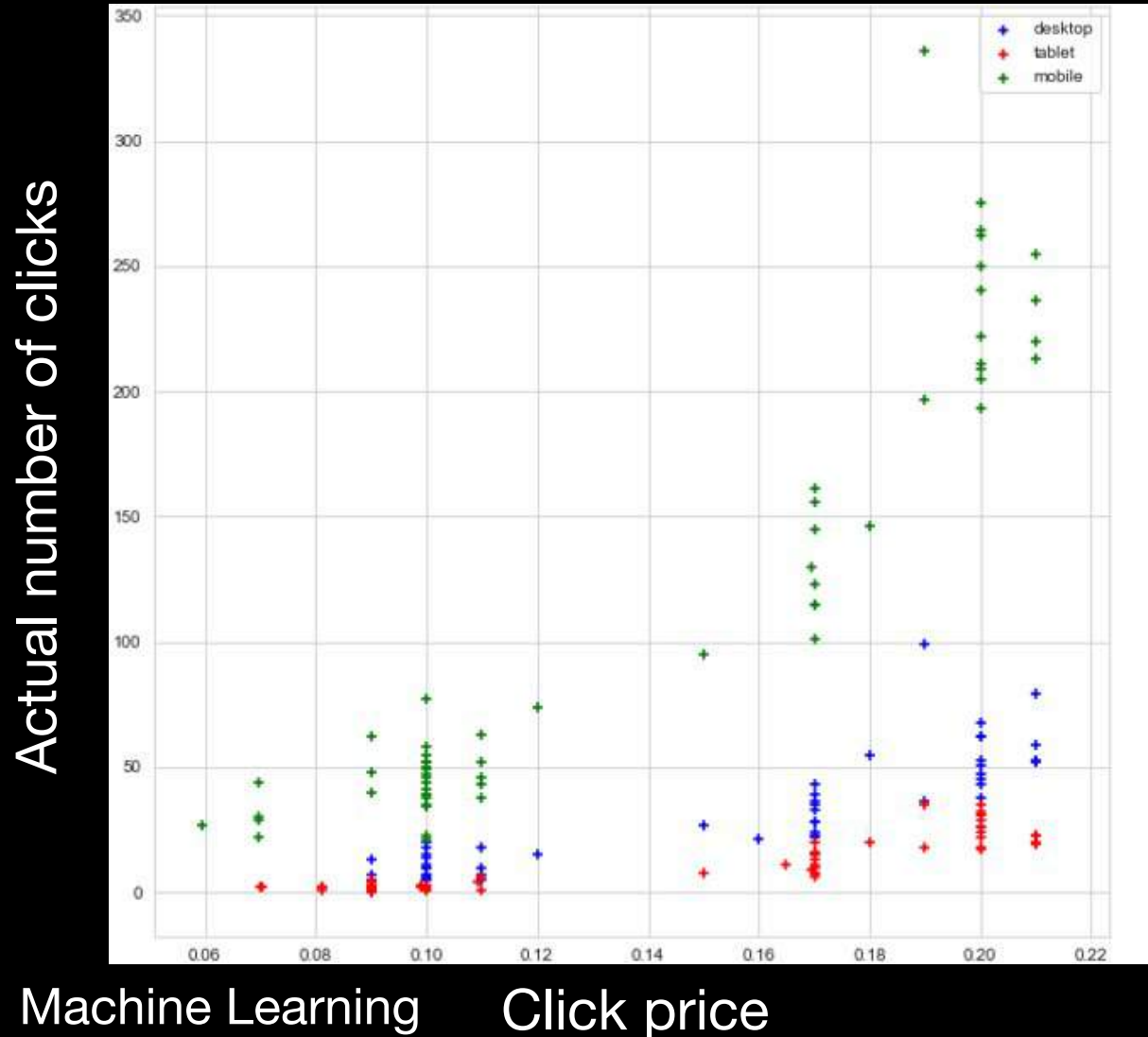
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**ML MODEL  
(prototype)**



Machine Learning

# Lots of data



Color = type of device

More features are used

time

category

merchant

... secret ones ...



# Learn first ...

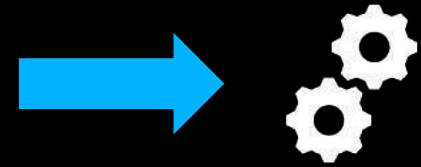
Example : past data

date	categoryId	merchantId	category	device	price
08/04/2019	10163969	1	Accessoires Moto	desktop	0.08
08/04/2019	10163969	1	Accessoires Moto	mobile	0.0704
08/04/2019	10163969	1	Accessoires Moto	tablet	0.18
08/04/2019	10543669	2	Lingerie Femme	desktop	0.23
08/04/2019	10543669	2	Lingerie Femme	mobile	0.0989
08/04/2019	12676471	3	Lunettes de vue	mobile	0.1204

with past result

clicks
2
21
22
10
2
1

= Model



# ... then predict !

Current data

date	categoryId	merchantId	category	device	price
11/04/2019	10163969	1	Accessoires Moto	desktop	0.09
11/04/2019	10163969	1	Accessoires Moto	mobile	0.08
11/04/2019	10163969	1	Accessoires Moto	tablet	0.19
11/04/2019	10543669	2	Lingerie Femme	desktop	0.24
11/04/2019	10543669	2	Lingerie Femme	mobile	0.10
11/04/2019	12676471	3	Lunettes de vue	mobile	0.13

with Model



= Predict result

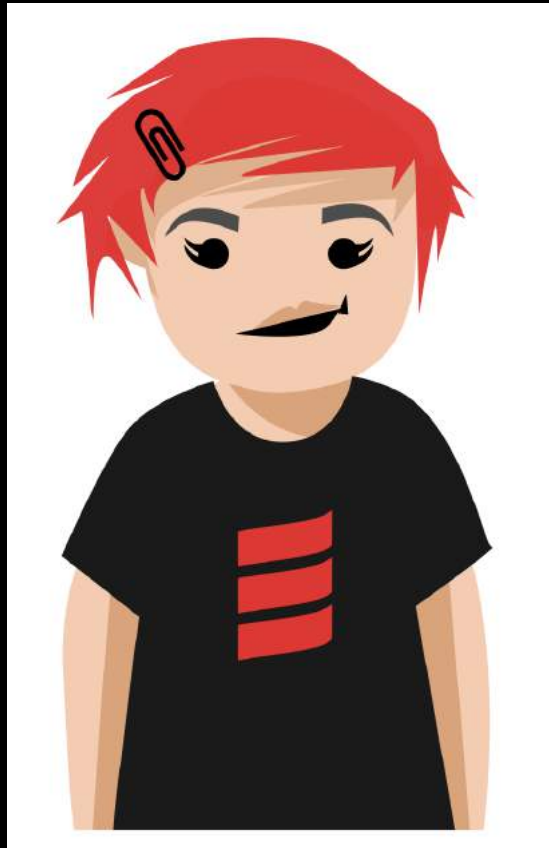
Predicted clicks
3
20
23
11
1
2



**How do we implement it?**







Scala Developer

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**ML MODEL**  
**(production ready)**

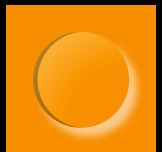


# Spark?



# Unified analytics engine for large-scale data processing

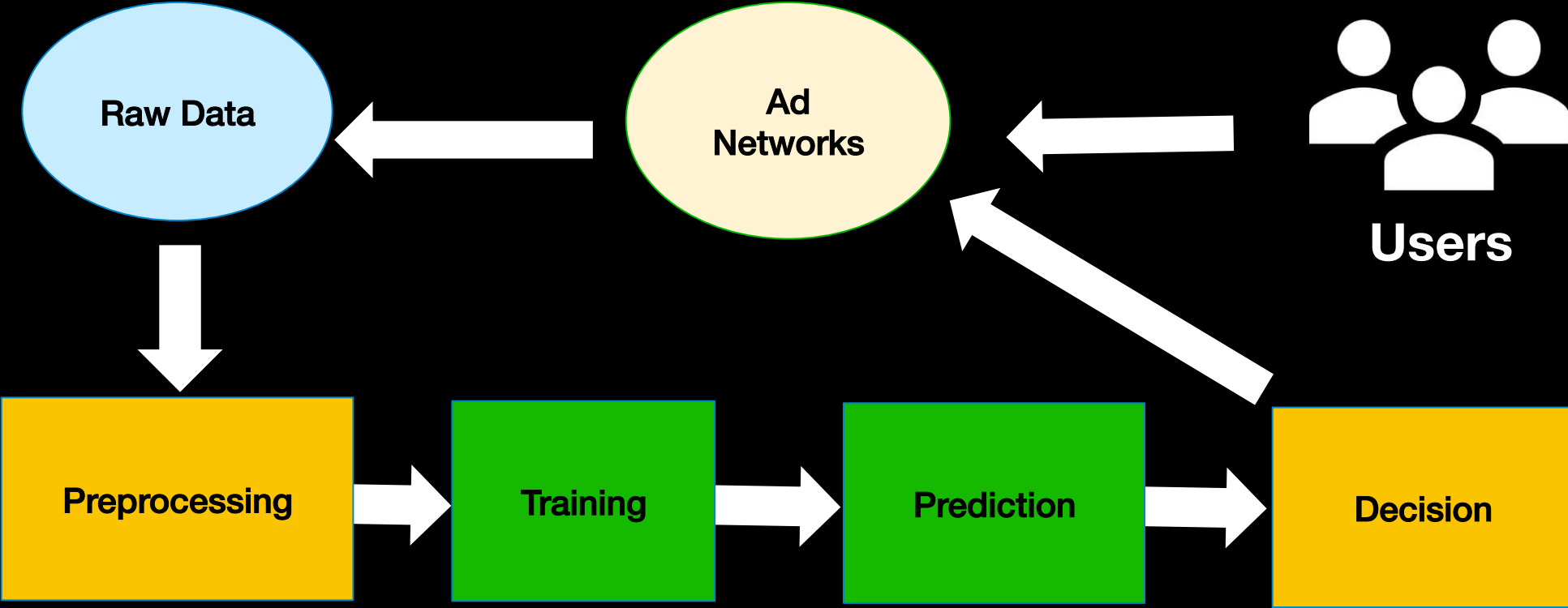
- interactive exploration
- batch processing
- SQL
- machine learning at scale
- ...



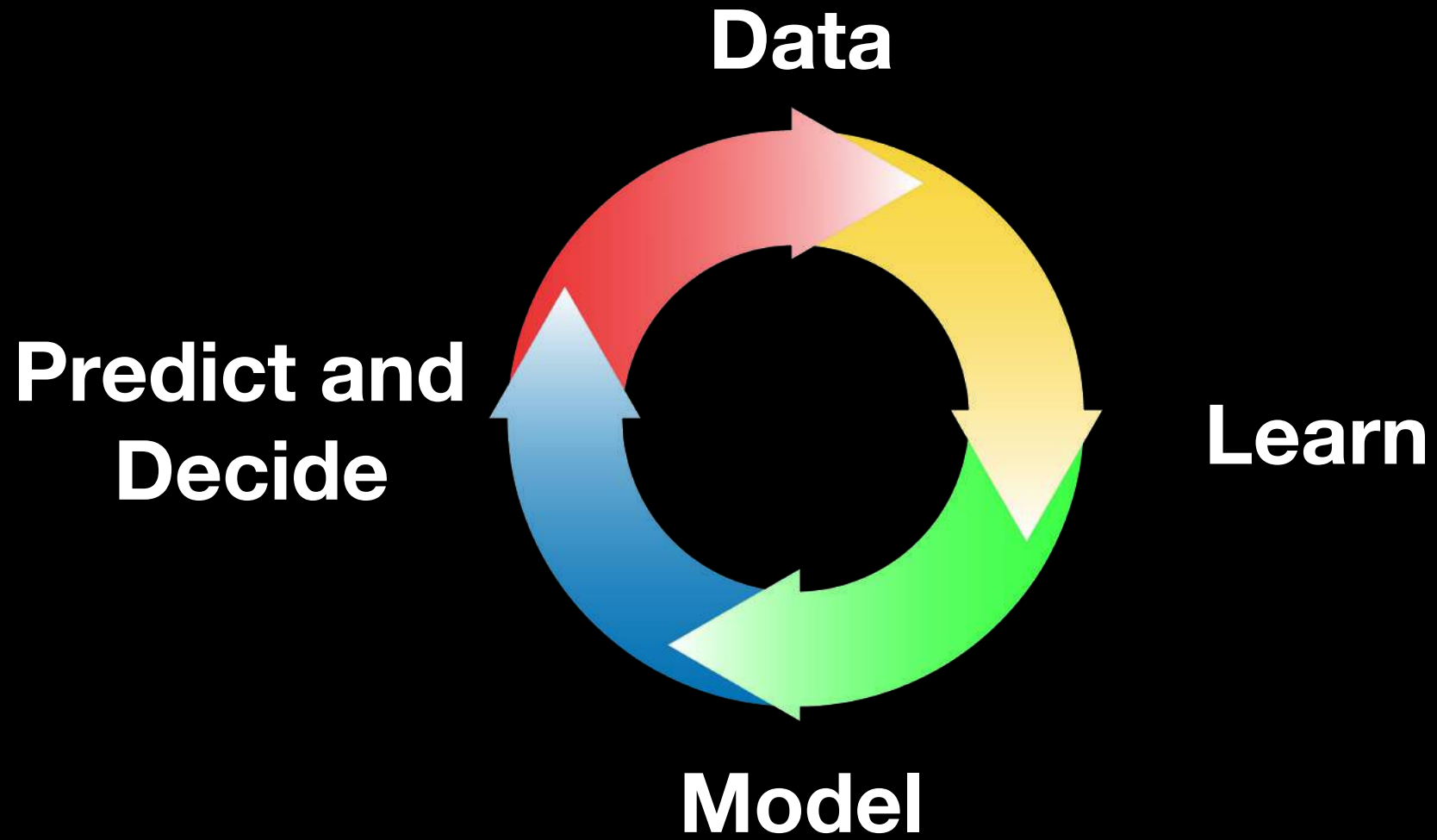
**How do we use it?**



# Architecture



Machine Learning



**The model changes over time ...**



**... how can we deploy it?**





# Model deployment approaches



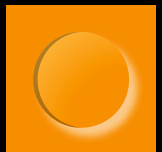
## Train first and then deploy the model

- Real time predictions
- Models training is expensive
- Training data is stable



## Deploy the code, train at needs

- Batch predictions
- Quick model training
- Training data evolve fast



**How can we test it?**



Testing

# ML testing problems

- Behavior depends on data
- Difficult to define exact test result
- Code is hard to structure
- Unit tests are challenging



# Solutions

- Compare metrics, not values
- Use functional testing
- Live monitoring
- Tracking over time



# How to define the metrics?



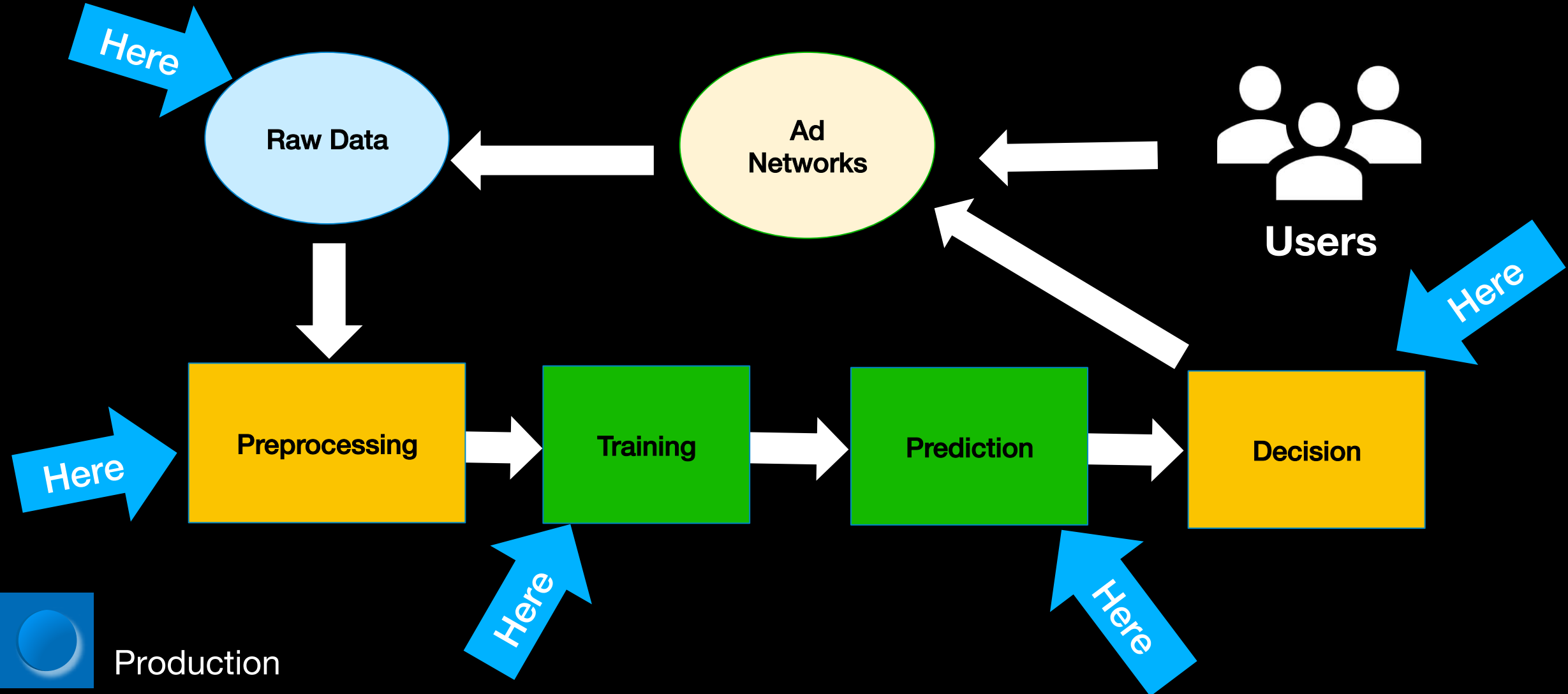
# Define relevant metrics

**Goal : evaluate quality**

- **Prototyping: Statistical metrics**
  - Mean Average Error, Root Mean Square Error
- **Testing: Business metrics**
  - Total margin
- **Monitor: Real time metrics**
  - Predicted Clicks vs. Real Clicks



# Tests and Measures : where ?



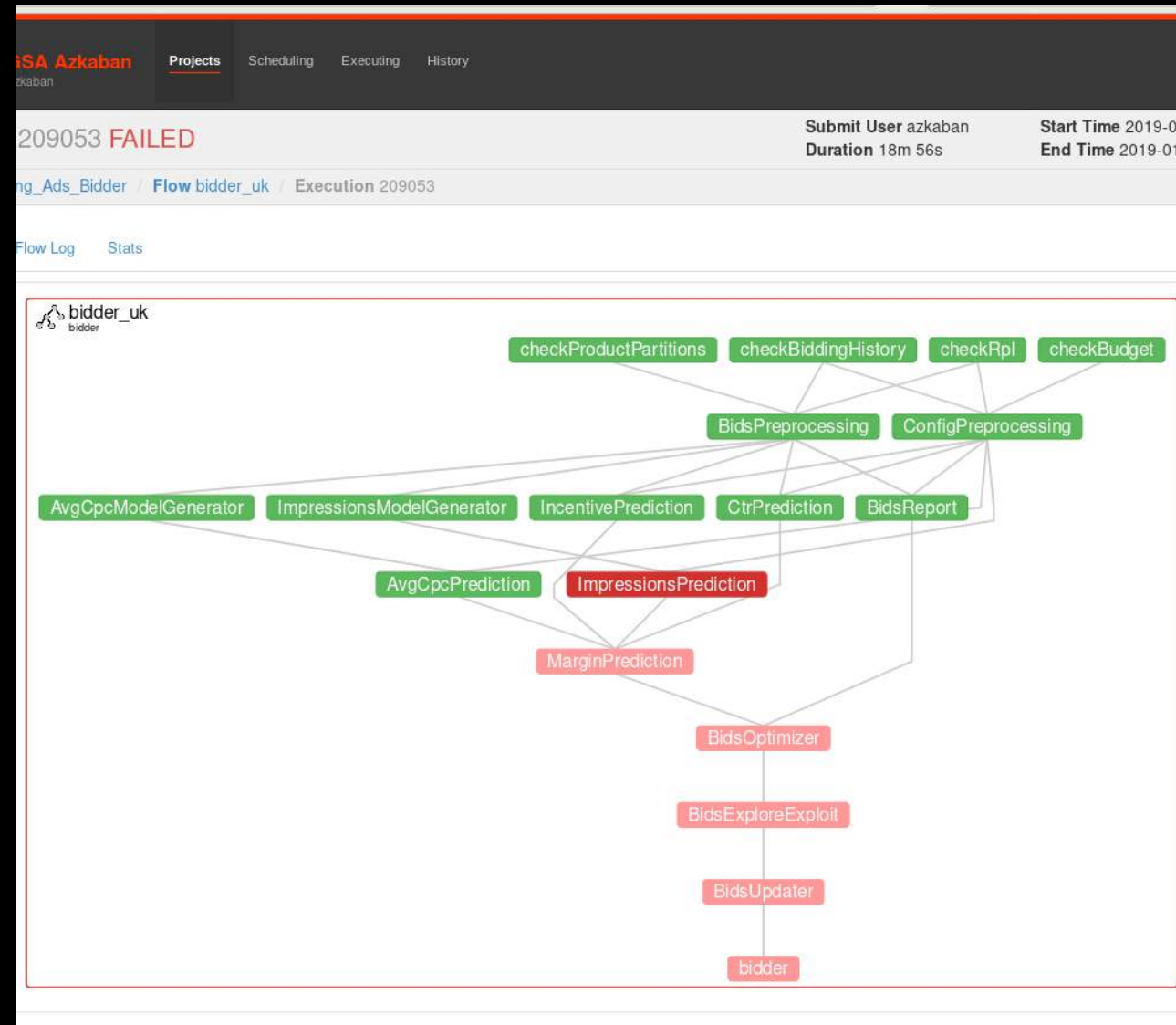
**How can we schedule the jobs?**





# Azkaban

- Workflow job scheduler
- Hadoop and Spark jobs
- Graph of job dependencies
- Alerting on failures with Nagios



Production

# How to track the model behavior?

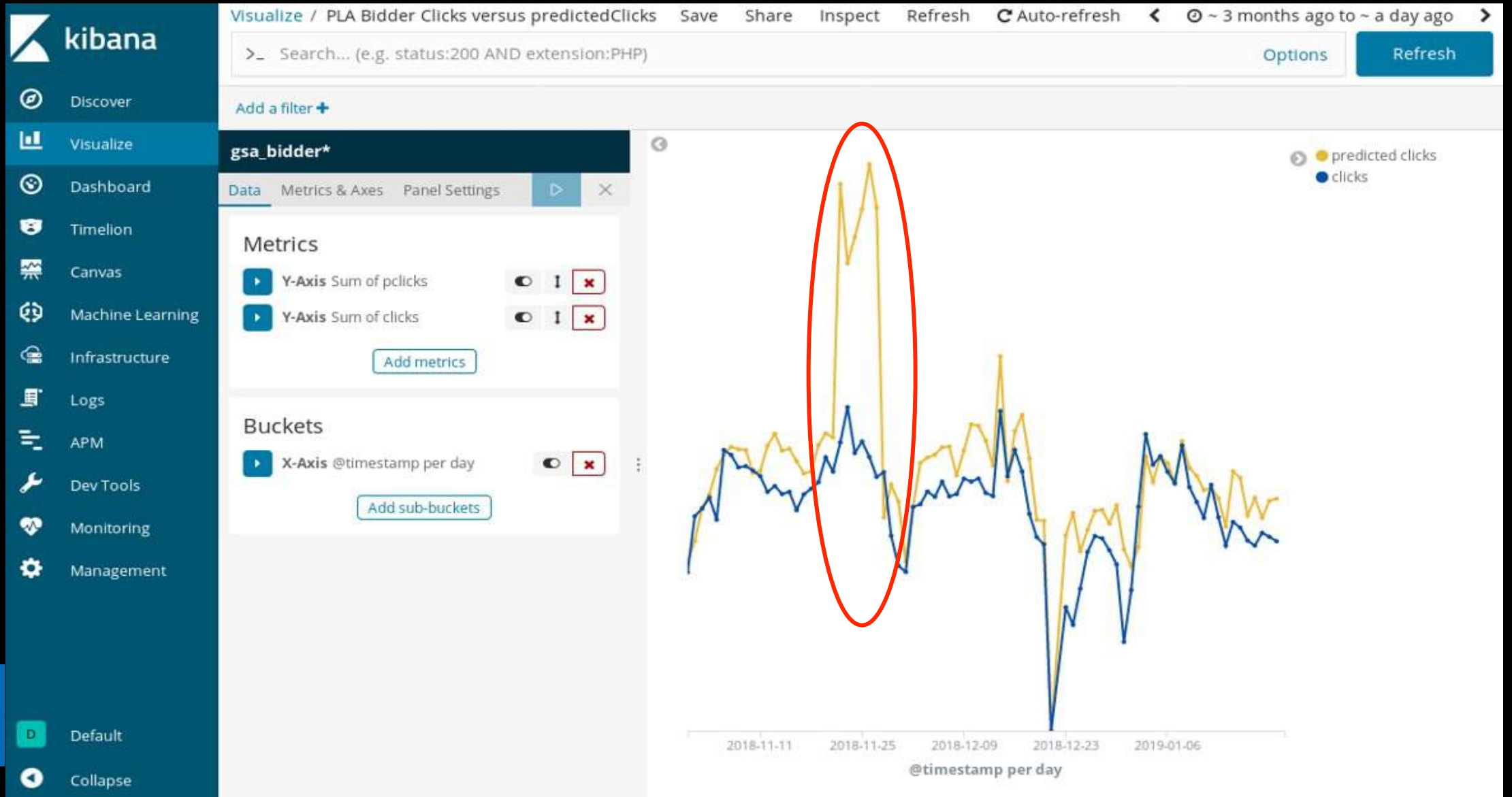


# Tracking

- Business metrics graphs
- Predictions vs. actual results
- Study trends long term
- Adapt model when market changes
  - Easy to fix: abrupt drop in quality metric
  - Harder: slow erosion of quality



# Tracking with ELK



**So, what did we learn ?**



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**BRACE YOURSELF**

**MACHINE LEARNING IS HERE**



**MEASURE,**

**2**

**MEASURE EVERYWHERE**



**I TOLD YOU TO TEST THE MODEL**



**BUT YOU DIDN'T LISTEN**

3





**GET FEEDBACK  
FROM PRODUCTION**



**TO IMPROVE  
NEXT VERSIONS**

**4**





Questions ?