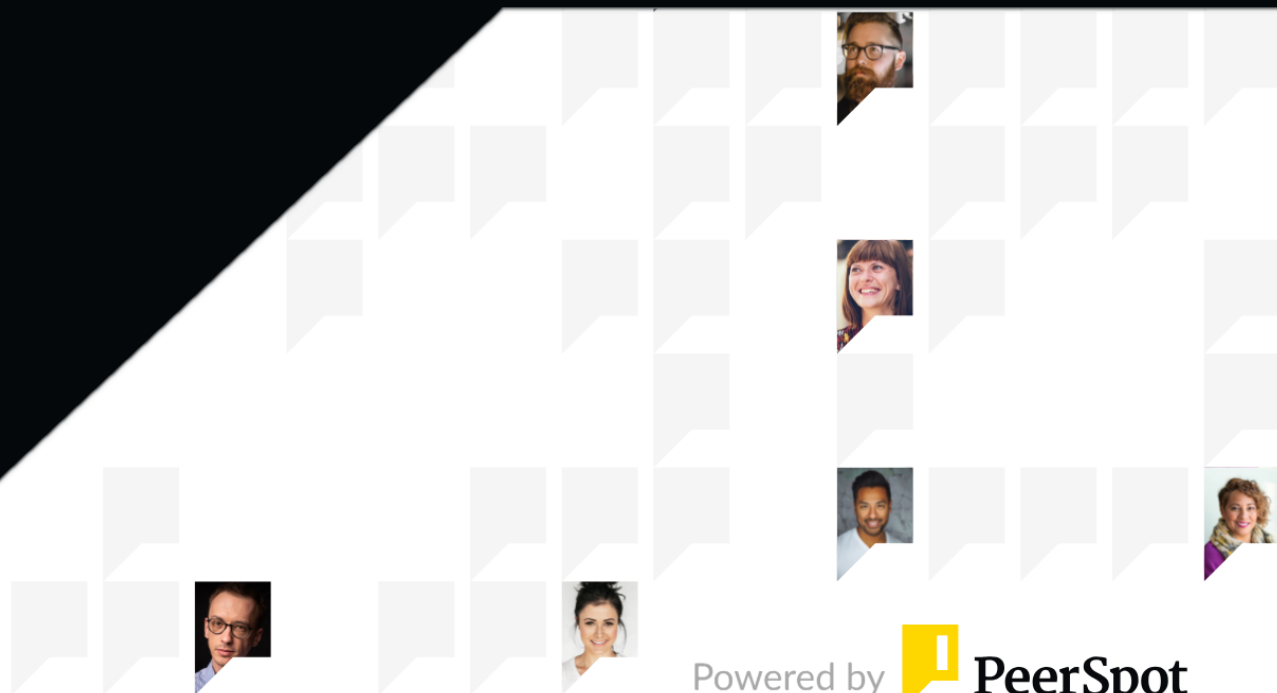




Matillion Data Productivity Cloud

Reviews, tips, and advice from real users



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Product Recap



Matillion Data Productivity Cloud

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Recap

Matillion Data Productivity Cloud offers a user-friendly platform for seamless integration and dynamic data handling, favored for simplifying ETL processes with minimal coding and ensuring robust performance in complex data tasks.

Matillion Data Productivity Cloud integrates effortlessly with platforms like AWS, Snowflake, and SQL databases, providing tools for efficient data migration, transformation, and cloud warehousing. It supports large datasets with swift management, making it valued for its graphical interface that eases ETL processes for non-technical users. Automation features ensure scalability and dynamic data handling across diverse sources, while security and cost-effectiveness enhance its appeal. Enhancements in database connectivity, interface design, and multi-environment support would refine user experience, with growing demands for real-time data capture, SAP connectivity, and frequent API updates.

What are the most important features?

- **User-friendly GUI:** Simplifies ETL processes with minimal coding.
- **Seamless Integration:** Compatible with AWS, Snowflake, and more.
- **Dynamic Data Handling:** Supports diverse data sources with scalability.
- **Change Data Capture:** Facilitates efficient data updates.
- **Error Reporting:** Ensures workflow accuracy and troubleshooting.

What benefits and ROI can users expect?

- **Cost Effectiveness:** Offers competitive pricing for extensive features.
- **Security Assurance:** Provides strong data protection measures.
- **Efficiency in Large Datasets:** Fast data processing and management.
- **Minimal Coding Requirement:** Enhances accessibility for non-technical users.

In industries like finance, healthcare, and retail, Matillion Data Productivity Cloud is implemented for transforming data operations. Companies leverage it for its speed in data processing and integration capability, facilitating rapid adaptation to data-driven insights crucial in these sectors.

Valuable Features

Excerpts from real customer reviews on PeerSpot:



“The predefined connectors eliminate the need to write code for connectivity; if you have a predefined connector, it is easy to use with plug and play functionality.”



Jitendra Jena

Director Atria - Ingenious Insights! at Atria - Ingenious Insights



“Matillion's technical support is excellent.”



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Technology Transformation Specialist at SDG Group



“The most valuable feature of Matillion ETL is the UI experience in which you can drag and drop most of the transformation.”



Tomáš Hronek

Data Engineer at Merck



“It is an incredibly user-friendly and intuitive tool, making the learning curve quite smooth”



Verified user

Data Architect at a financial services firm with 10,001+ employees



“The new version with the Productivity Cloud is very simple. It's easy to use, navigate, and understand.”



Jacques Du Preez

Chief Executive Officer at Intellinexus



“The solution's most valuable feature is the CDC (Change Data Capture) component.”



Verified user

Senior Solutions Architect at a tech consulting company with 201-500 employees



“The most valuable feature of Matillion ETL is its user-friendly graphical interface.”



David Carbery

Data Analytics Consultant at Snap Analytics

What users had to say about valuable features:

“The product has a good user interface. I don’t have to write too many codes. I can design or create general data transfer and technical jobs through simple texts. If I want to repeat a job, I can do it without creating multiple pipelines. I can create multiple jobs with a single pipeline. It is a fantastic feature of the product..”

Shehab Saad

Business Intelligence Manager & Data Analytics (Retail Business) at a retailer with 1,001-5,000 employees

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“Matillion Data Productivity Cloud is effective for ingest functions, particularly when moving information to Snowflake and performing many transformations. Its integration with existing environments, utilizing security measures like VPN and VPCs, makes it a secure choice. However, its features are not notably different from other products in the market..”

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Technology Transformation Specialist at SDG Group

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“The new version with the Productivity Cloud is very simple. It's easy to use, navigate, and understand.

It also offers automated scalability in terms of handling large data volumes. It scales up automatically in the background, so you don't have to worry about infrastructure to do that..”

Jacques Du Preez

Chief Executive Officer at Intellinexus

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“It is an incredibly user-friendly and intuitive tool, making the learning curve quite smooth. Its simplicity is such that one only needs a basic understanding of ETL processes to become proficient. With a plethora of connectors available, it seamlessly integrates with various data sources. Moreover, its native integration with AWS enhances its efficiency, utilizing lightweight instances and pushing processing tasks to registered instances, resulting in swift performance..”

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Data Architect at a financial services firm with 10,001+ employees

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“The tool's middle-dimensional structure significantly simplifies obtaining the right data at the appropriate level. This feature makes deploying our applications easier since we utilize a single source without publishing data from various sources. Consequently, presenting data becomes more straightforward, and customer interactions involve no copying or pasting, streamlining the exchange process.

With Matillion ETL, we read data from different warehouse source systems. We create a unified version of the data in the data warehouse using the ETL functionality. Mapping tables address the challenges of different source systems, ensuring the data is at the correct level of detail. It is very strong and comes with much functionality, including monitoring. .”

Verified user

Data analyst at a tech services company with 51-200 employees

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“The predefined connectors eliminate the need to write code for connectivity. If you have a predefined connector, it is easy to use with plug and play functionality.

“The processing time and ease of use are significant benefits.

“As everyone is moving into AI integration, it will definitely help.

“When creating workflows, they can propose solutions directly..”

Jitendra Jena

Director Axtria - Ingenious Insights! at Axtria - Ingenious Insights

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Other Solutions Considered

“We evaluated Informatica, SnapLogic, Talend, Sqoop, and pure Python scripts. Don’t go with any of these if your data can be categorized as any two of the following: volume, variety, and velocity..”

Verified user

Senior Engineer, Big Data/Data-Warehousing at a manufacturing company with 501-1,000 employees

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“Previously we worked with Microsoft SSIS. SSIS is an older technology, while Matillion Data Productivity Cloud is more advanced. Each solution has their own advantages and disadvantages..”

Jitendra Jena

Director Axtria - Ingenious Insights! at Axtria - Ingenious Insights

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“I am not able to recall the products that I have used in the past and be able to make a comparison between those tools against Matillion ETL. I have used Fivetran and DBT tools at some point in time, but I am not able to record when I use them. I know that despite using some other products in the past, my company ended up choosing and recommending Matillion ETL since its features did fit into the requirements of my organization..”

AmitShah6

Principal Consultant at Eviden France

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“In my opinion, none of the tools in this particular space right now are perfect, including Matillion. However, Matillion seems to be the best of the bunch. Its UI looks a bit dated at this point, but I find it reliable and relatively easy for users to get going with.

There's not a big learning curve in Matillion. You can log in, and within about half an hour or an hour, you can know how the general platform works and how to get going. The main benefit I've seen that I haven't seen in some of the other tools is the ability to easily change which environment you're working with, such as swapping between dev, test, prod, or GitPrime and executing a flow in that location quite easily..”

Chris Hastie

Data Lead at InterWorks

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“We did have a look briefly at Informatica, but it was just too industrial and over the top in terms of price.

Also, Matillion was the only tool that was fully integrated into Redshift. The other tools were basically bolt-ons onto the cloud, but they weren't using the full extent of the card processing capabilities. For this tool, Matillion is actually using the full processing capabilities of Redshift, which includes what they call Massively Parallel Processing on all of their nodes. It's actually a cloud-native product. It was built specifically for Redshift and that was the main difference. There are other tools we could have used, but they required separate EC2 instances to be commissioned and they just didn't seem to integrate as well into the cloud space..”

Verified user

Solutions Architect at a financial services firm with 501-1,000 employees

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“Our experience is mainly around using Snowflake Data Cloud with Matillion. And the two of them combined, offer superior performance and price point benefits.

Using them together is very efficient because Matillion's processing and Snowflake's own scalability and consumption based on pushing down code work well together. They are very efficient.

We've used Azure Data Factory (ADF) for integration. So that's an alternative, depending on customer choice for the integration. And then on AWS, a few of the other services, like Terraform, and S3 storage, and that's about it.

It's on a case-by-case basis. If they've chosen ADF as a technology, then we implement using that choice..”

Jacques Du Preez

Chief Executive Officer at Intellinexus

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ROI

Real user quotes about their ROI:

“Since the solution is on the cloud and self-managed, your operational costs and admin efforts will decrease. The solution has saved around 15% to 20% of our operational costs..”

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Senior Solutions Architect at a tech consulting company with 201-500 employees

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“In terms of ROI, one client found that using Snowflake tasks was more cost-effective than Matillion's credits cost. Consequently, we adjusted our processes to use Matillion Data Productivity Cloud only for extraction and ingestion, while Snowflake handled all transformations and jobs..”

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“It probably is a bit early to measure ROI because at the moment we are having to run all of our processes in parallel and a lot of our existing infrastructure has hidden costs. It definitely will be a lot cheaper going forward and we'll be able to show that. Once we're able to switch off all our legacy servers we'll see very clearly that there's an ROI.

With on-prem servers, there are always hidden costs, but moving to the cloud makes billing and any extra costs very transparent..”

Verified user

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Solutions Architect at a financial services firm with 501-1,000 employees

“I have seen ROI. For example, one of our customers in the UK has used Matillion quite extensively. They had a challenge where they were a group of different smaller companies, and they wanted all their engineers to work collaboratively on a single platform. That's where Snowflake and Matillion came in. They have one instance that's managing to serve all of these different sub-companies and sub-engineers, and they are easily recuperating the cost of that in order to provide data. But it is worth noting that they're not a profit-based company; they are a public health service, so it's more that they are saving money as opposed to making it..”

Chris Hastie

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Data Lead at InterWorks

Use Case

“I am not specifically into ETL or data pipelines only since I am basically a data architect who is more into designing cloud-based data solutions. My focus is more on understanding the user's use cases and then designing a solution..”

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“Matillion EDR is used for data loading. It extracts data from various sources, stages it in a data warehouse environment, and then performs orchestration and transformation jobs to automate processes across different layers of the data warehouse..”

Jacques Du Preez

Chief Executive Officer at Intellinexus

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“The tool's primary use case is implementing Snowflake, including building a data warehouse atop our source systems and facilitating data exchange with customers and suppliers utilizing Snowflake..”

Verified user

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Data analyst at a tech services company with 51-200 employees

“I primarily use Matillion Data Productivity Cloud for ingest functions. In one client's case, we switched from typical AWS tools and changed all of the blueprints and architecture to use Matillion Data Productivity Cloud for ingesting information from GCP and reading SQL data..”

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“We use it primarily for transferring data into our cloud data warehouse and conducting research. We rely on Matillion ETL for our data integration and transformation needs, finding its user-friendly interface and robust capabilities highly effective. Essentially, we've built a cloud-based data platform using Matillion ETL to seamlessly extract data from various sources, perform necessary transformations, and store it in our cloud environment.

In our finance-focused projects, we predominantly utilize Matillion for data warehousing tasks, particularly in the realms of finance and micro-lending. While our projects may not involve big data volumes, they often entail handling intricate datasets that require sophisticated processing..”

Verified user

Data Architect at a financial services firm with 10,001+ employees

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“For the ETL, we are using Matillion Data Productivity Cloud.

“We have skilled resources for Matillion Data Productivity Cloud, which is why we are using it. The infrastructure is provided by the customers, and we implement based on their requirements. When customers have a Matillion Data Productivity Cloud license and ask us to use it, we implement it accordingly.

“They are helpful for our data integration..”

Jitendra Jena

Director Axtria - Ingenious Insights! at Axtria - Ingenious Insights

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Setup

The setup process involves configuring and preparing the product or service for use, which may include tasks such as installation, account creation, initial configuration, and troubleshooting any issues that may arise. Below you can find real user quotes about the setup process.

“The implementation of Matillion ETL is straightforward. The length of time it takes for the deployment of the solution typically can be completed in a few hours..”

Verified user

Data Engineer

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“Matillion ETL is a self-managed solution. Matillion deploys the tool. It's a SaaS offering that requires no extra deployment effort from our side. The solution can be deployed in a couple of minutes. Matillion's support team spun up the environment for us..”

Verified user

Senior Solutions Architect at a tech consulting company with 201-500 employees

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“It takes less than five minutes to set up and delivers results. It is much quicker than traditional ETL technologies. It loads data into Snowflake from dozens of sources, including S3 and RDS, multiple databases, and APIs..”

Verified user

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Hewlett Packard Enterprise Solution Architect at a tech services company
with 11-50 employees

“The initial setup is straightforward. We completed the foundations process using Infrastructure as Code (IaC), which standardizes and simplifies the deployment process..”

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Technology Transformation Specialist at SDG Group

“Setting up Matillion ETL was straightforward. When connecting to Amazon AWS, all I had to do was pass the connection string, and it would connect easily. The same was true for on-premise servers. Therefore, from a connection standpoint, it was simple to set up.

The time it takes for the implementation depends on the size of the record data. If the data is large then the process will take longer. However, the time it takes is only a few minutes..”

Sunny Kumar

Specialist Programmer at Infosys

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“The initial setup is very straightforward. You can set your first job up in literally minutes. We had our first jobs up almost instantly.

For deployment, the latest version that's just come out integrates with Git, so you can do all of your conversions just using the native Redshift code commit, which is the Git repository. You can actually just do it and it's turnkey. It's very easy. You don't need any people, actually. For maintenance, ideally, we would need about a couple of people.

We have a small team doing all of the data requirements..”

Verified user

Solutions Architect at a financial services firm with 501-1,000 employees

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Customer Service and Support

“I did not contact the solution's technical support team because, most of the time, our company could resolve the issues related to the product with the information available online..”

AmitShah6

Principal Consultant at Eviden France

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“Technical support has been very helpful. They've got quite an efficient help desk and they've always come back to me with good technical answers within 24 hours, which is very acceptable..”

Verified user

Solutions Architect at a financial services firm with 501-1,000 employees

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“Matillion's support is great. They are fast to respond, always helpful, and they have great documentation. This includes articles, training videos, and regular software update building on customer feature requests. I would give the support a rating of 10/10..”

Verified user

BI Team Lead (Warehouse) at a tech services company with 1,001-5,000 employees

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“The technical support is excellent, and consistently helpful whenever we need assistance. We frequently engage with them, and the documentation is top-notch. Additionally, there's ample support available on YouTube covering various features. We heavily rely on their documentation site for guidance and reference. I would rate it eight out of ten..”

Verified user

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Data Architect at a financial services firm with 10,001+ employees

“I have had the opportunity to collaborate with the technical support team a few times and have found them to be extremely helpful. They are very responsive, knowledgeable, and adept at understanding the intricacies of our issue. In my experience, the cooperation has been perfect..”

Paul Hoc

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Senior Data Engineer Consultant at a tech company with 201-500 employees

“Over time, I have escalated quite a few things to the customer service and support team. They're good. They respond not just to our partners or us, but we've seen customers raise questions themselves, and they usually get a response from Matillion within a day.

Matillion is always happy to jump on a Zoom call or something to try and resolve the issue. Also, they have an active ideas platform. So, if you go to the Matillion forum, there's an ideal area. They are quite good at taking the most uploaded ideas and implementing them into the tool going forward. I think there's a nice combination of the support dealing with existing issues and the developers trying to improve based on the community's input..”

Chris Hastie

Data Lead at InterWorks

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Other Advice

“While Matillion Data Productivity Cloud can be valuable, it is challenging to recommend due to its pricing and limited clientele in regions like Spain. Overall, I would rate Matillion as a six out of ten..”

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Technology Transformation Specialist at SDG Group

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“I am using the latest version of the solution. The solution's connectors saved us the most time during data transformations.

Overall, I rate the solution a nine out of ten..”

Tomáš Hronek

Data Engineer at Merck

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“The solution's orchestration capabilities are pretty good. It does have an integration with DBT. I would recommend the solution to other users because it has a very clear roadmap with a good support system. The solution's maintenance is done through an in-house team of three to four engineers.

Overall, I rate the solution an eight out of ten..”

Verified user

Senior Solutions Architect at a tech consulting company with 201-500 employees

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“We can monitor and manage real-time data pipelines, analyze task logs, and automate data pipelines wherever possible. We also apply parameterization to improve efficiency using the product.

It adapts well to changing data volumes and types. I would recommend it, especially for cloud data integration.

I rate it a seven or eight. .”

Verified user

Senior Data Engineer at a tech services company with 11-50 employees

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“We are working with [JMeter](#) but not with other Apache products.

“We cannot use open-source solutions due to compliance issues.

“We work with [AWS](#), primarily using Redshift and Reltio.

“We use both [Azure](#) and [AWS](#) public cloud services.

“I would rate Matillion Data Productivity Cloud a seven out of ten.

“Overall, it has been a good experience.

“The overall review rating is 9 out of 10..”

Jitendra Jena

Director Atria - Ingenious Insights! at Atria - Ingenious Insights

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“Matillion ETL and DBT help our company by making it easy for us to build data pipelines, particularly when Snowflake was used as a data platform.

Matillion ETL helps my company automate the data pipeline and allows us to optimize data workflows.

In the context of the cloud-based data platforms, the good aspect of Matillion ETL stems from the fact that it actually runs code in the platform, which is basically like a push-down approach wherein, though our company builds the pipeline using the tool, the actual execution of those pipelines happens within Snowflake.

The product supports our company's growing data needs.

The product is integrated with Snowflake. Through a straightforward process, Matillion ETL can be degraded with Snowflake.

The integration capabilities of the tool improved our company's overall data analytics pipeline.

I am satisfied with the product interface.

The product has had an impact on my company's team productivity. It is an easy-to-use tool with a simple UI and serves as a no-code ETL solution.

I recommend the tool to those who specifically use Snowflake in their companies.

I rate the tool an eight out of ten..”

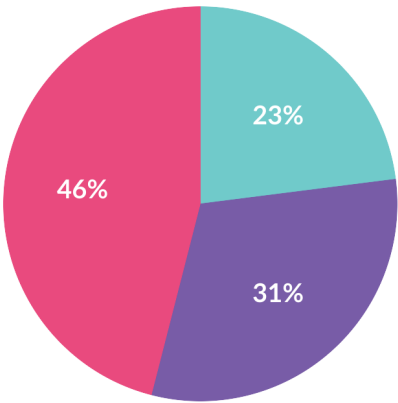
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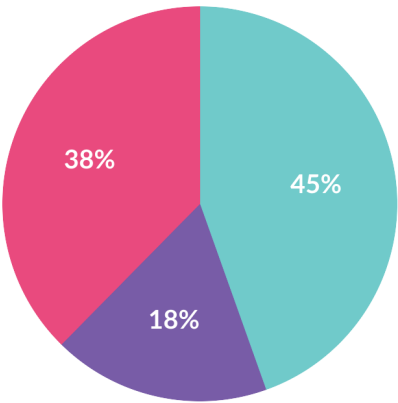
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