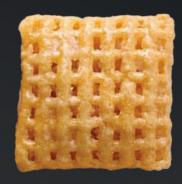
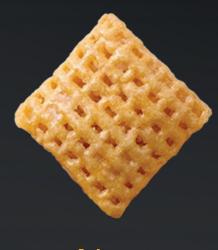




Society Likes New Things



Old **Boring!**



New **Exciting!**



Let's Step Back.



Trends for the Future in Focus





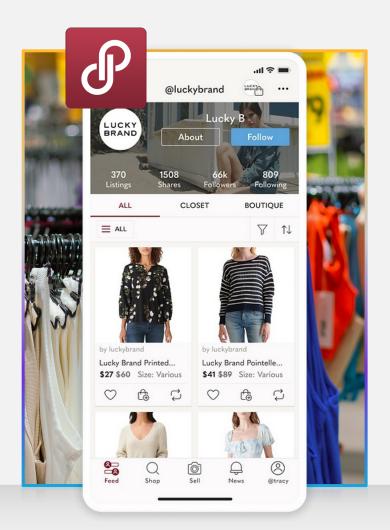
Inventory Cleanup



We've Turned a Critical Eye Toward Waste









Ad Tech is Confronting its Own Waste Problem





Acknowledgement of the problem

Accountability called for

Apathy sets in



IT'S TIME TO REPRIORITIZE

VOLUME

VALUE



VALUE

VOLUME

- Protects brand reputation + investments
- Transparency improves media analysis
- Industry moves toward higher standards
- Offers privacy protection
- Ensures efficiencies are realized
 - > both costs + emissions



A CENTRAL FINDING BETWEEN A 2016 STUDY AND THE 2023 STUDY REMAINED THE SAME:

Advertisers Must Take Active Stewardship of Their Paid Media



THE ADVERTISER'S RESPONSE

How to Tidy Up Your Media Buys



Manage brand suitability, intentional media buying

Removing low quality inventory (MFAs)

Prioritize PMP + PG buys



Apply bid shading



Transact on quality metrics (attention)



Evaluate log level data



Seeking Attention



SINCE THIS PRESENTATION BEGAN, HAVE YOU:

A: Checked Email

B: Looked at Your Phone

C: Responded to a Ping

D: All of the Above



Focused Attention is Declining.





Passive Attention is Thriving.

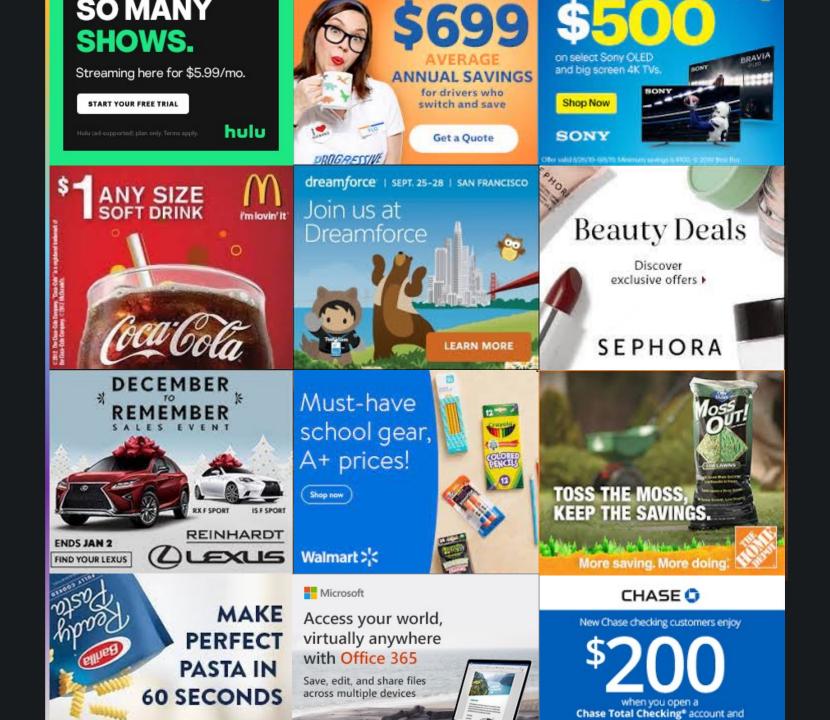
We scroll 300 ft per day

Or, 21 miles per year



CONDITIONED FOR DISTRACTION

Ad clutter adds to our attention deficit



We're Having Trouble Capturing Sustained Attention

MLB PITCH TIMER

26 Minute Game Time Reduction



SNACKABLE VIDEO



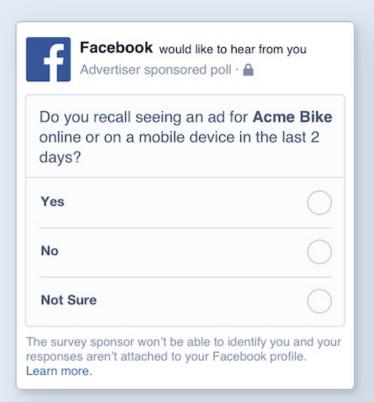
DO NOT DISTURB





WHY MAKE SUCH AN EFFORT TO CAPTURE ATTENTION?

Attention Matters for Memorability.





Distraction Devalues An Impression



Viewability is potential, Attention is proven.

Four-Fifths

of viewable impressions aren't seen



Media Attention Without Creative Attention is Lost Attention

MEDIA ATTENTION

Plan + transact toward an attentive audience

CREATIVE ATTENTION

Compel that audience to act

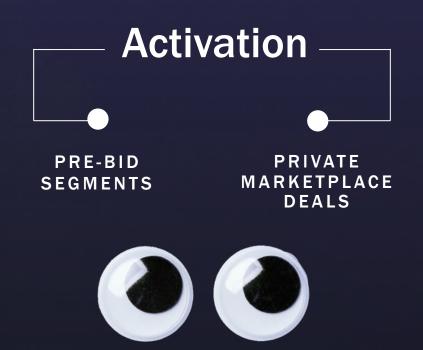
PERFORMANCE OUTCOMES

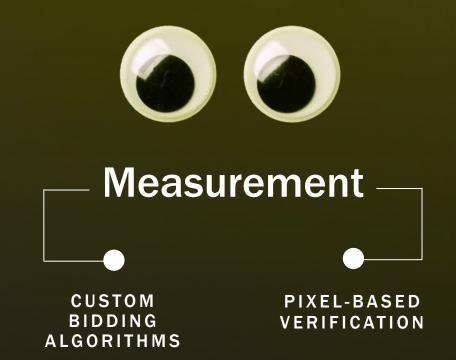
Brand Lift + Recall Sales, Conversions

5% attentionlift drove a40% increasein brand awareness



Putting Attention to Work in Your Paid Media







TAKEAWAYS

Getting the Most Out of Attention



Understand how attention is scored while standardization is lacking



Request attention score benchmarks to establish performance expectations



Pair attention buying with measurement to maximize investments





We Exist in a Contention Climate

67%

Agree we're more divided than ever

65%

Say the lack of civility and mutual respect is the worst they've ever seen



Spiraling Toward Tumultuousness







ROMNEY VS OBAMA

Heavy TV Spend

Emergence of Social Media

Appeals to Anger, Negativity

CLINTON VS TRUMP

TV Still Dominates

Cambridge Analytica

"Fake News" First Heard

TRUMP VS BIDEN

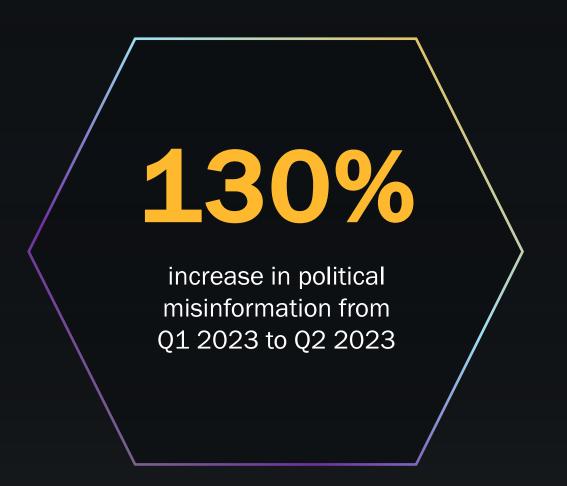
Digital Led Election

Record-Breaking Spend

Culture Wars



Information is Consumed in Unmoderated Environments









Younger Generations Seek News From Other Sources

53%

of Americans have an unfavorable opinion of the U.S. news media

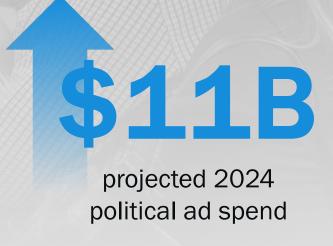
NEW WAYS TO GET THE NEWS







Political Spend Makes TV a Tight Squeeze







How Advertisers Can Get Away From the Crowds

GO WHERE THEY CAN'T

Consider paid media spaces that don't allow political ads (Netflix, Disney+, TikTok)

GO WHERE THEY DON'T

Invest in channels that are de-prioritized by political advertisers (audio, DOOH)

PLAN TO COMPROMISE

Adjust budget expectations and inmarket timing to align with political activity



Advertisers Can Provide Relief From Political Peril

The 2023 Edelman Trust **Barometer found US businesses** were more trusted than government or media



PROTECT OUR WILDLIFE, BEFORE IT'S TOO LATE.









Prepare for Any Scenario in the Political Media Landscape



Adjust your media strategy to work with election activity



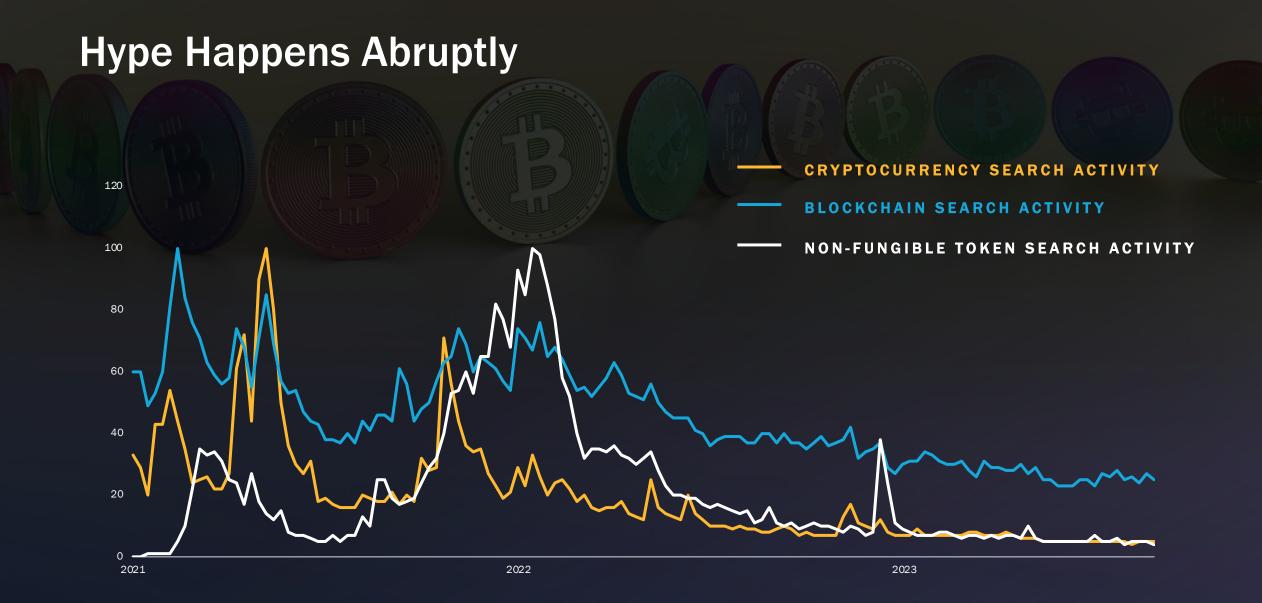
Plan ahead to secure competitive inventory



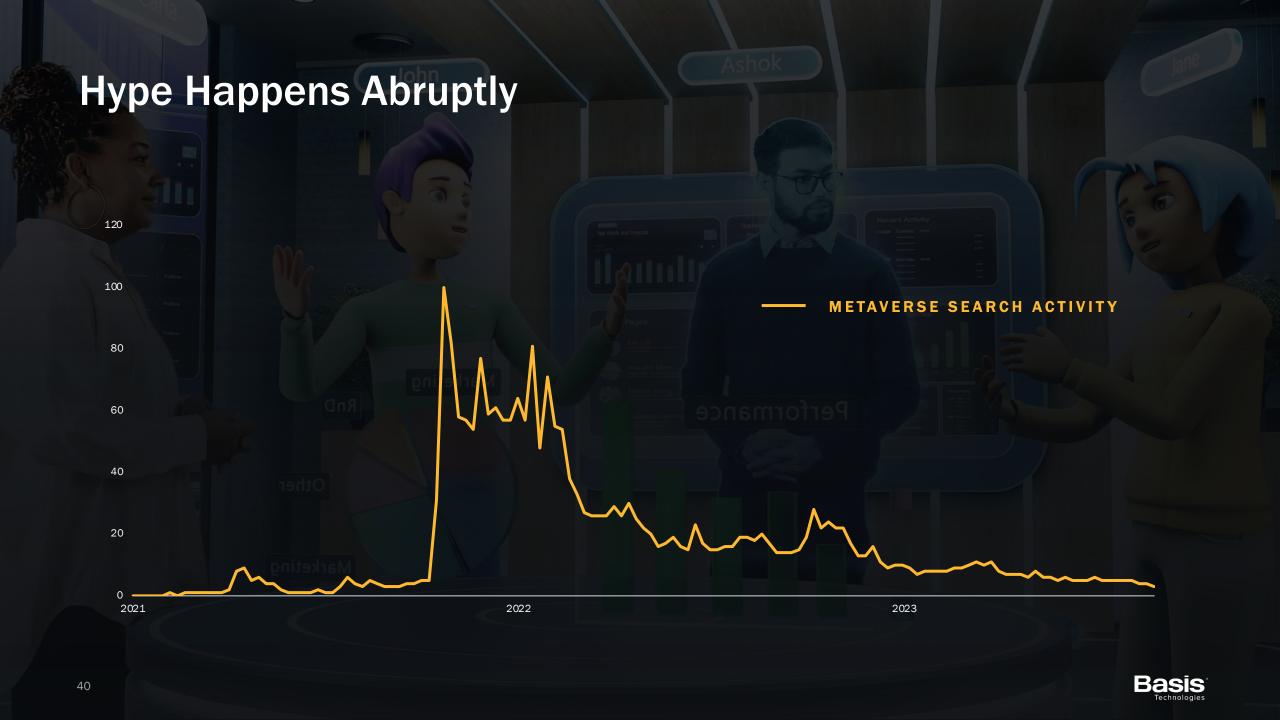
Solidify your brand's stance on political participation



Riding Hype Cycles







Hype Happens Abruptly







Facebook changes name to Meta as it refocuses on virtual reality

Forbes

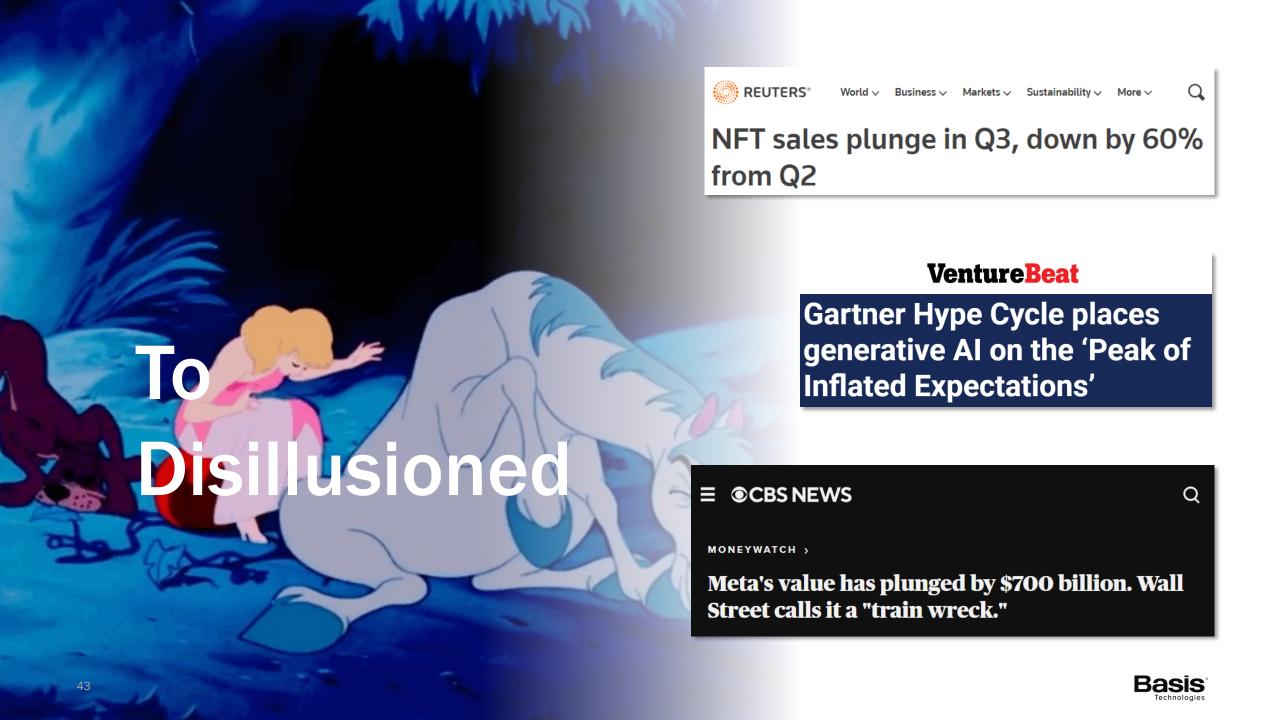
New Era Of Generative AI Finally Delivers On Promise



Crypto

NFT market OpenSea hits \$1.5 billion valuation





WHY DO WE BUY INTO HYPE?

We Don't Want to Be Left Behind



Should You Believe the Hype?



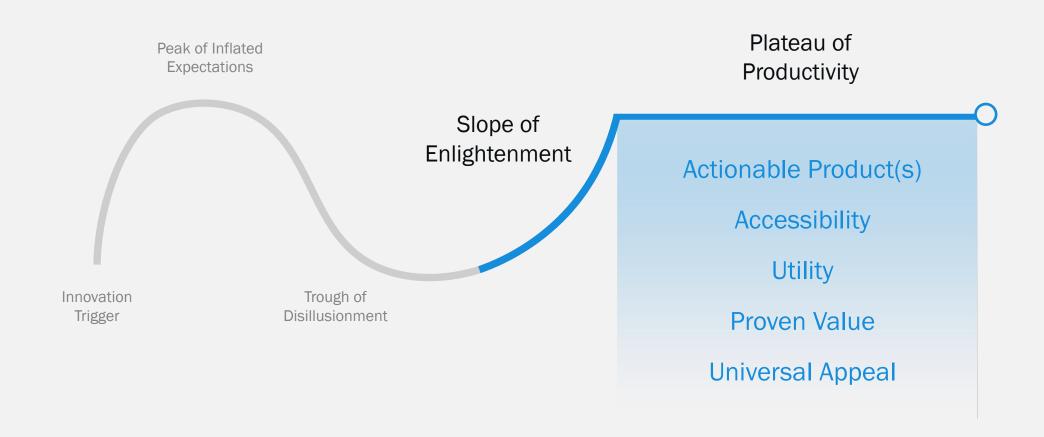


Hype Disrupts, Then Dies Down



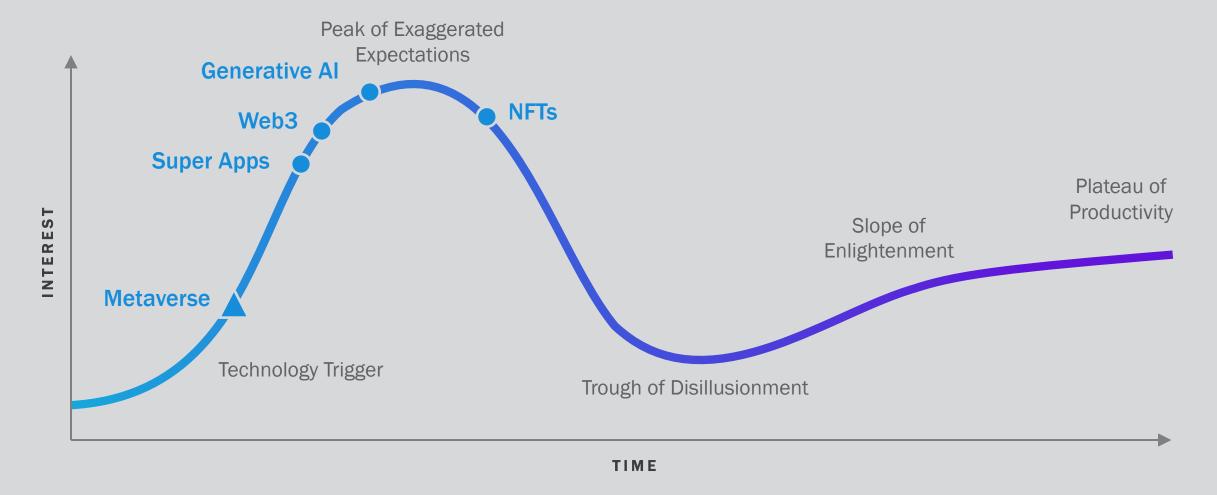


Innovation is Built in Iterations



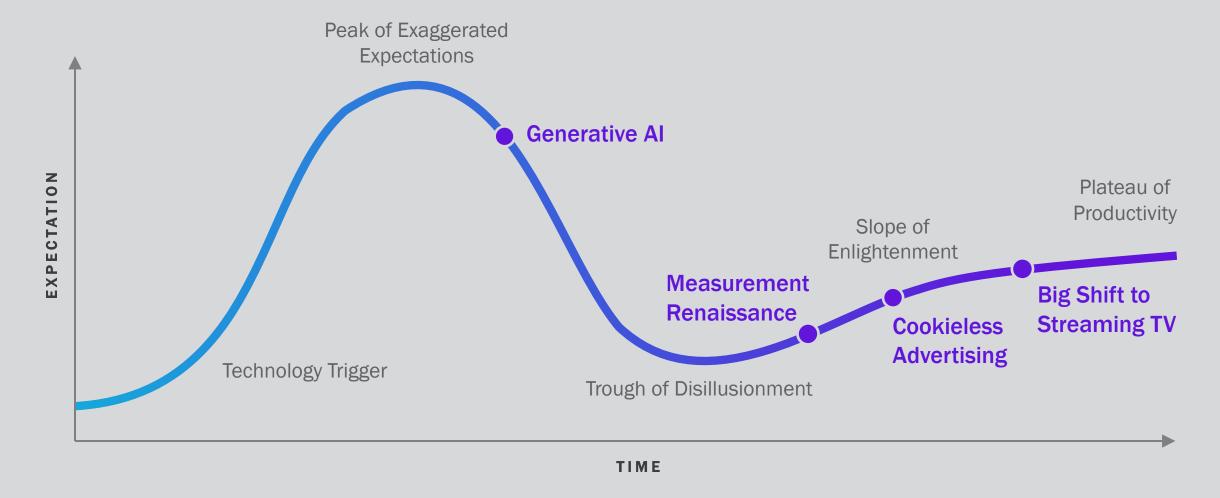


Recent Hype Cycle





The Hype Cycle for Digital Media





Value Determines Staying Power



SOCIAL

Self-transcendence



2007



Self-actualization Affiliation/belonging **PERSONAL** Rewards me Fun/entertainment Provides access **EMOTIONAL** Design/aesthetics Connects Saves time **FUNCTIONAL** Quality

2023

What Advertisers Should Ask

- Is there a product available for use?
- What is the required investment for that product or set of products?
- What utility does this provide for my brand/client needs?
- How does this emerging opportunity support our business objectives?
- What triggered the hype cycle? What preceded it?
- ls this a smart advertising strategy for us to explore?

Are there other, more mature tech advancements that are worth investing in instead?



Getting the Future in Focus



CLOSING THOUGHTS

Future in Focus Takeaways

Provide Meaningful Perspective on What's New Vague familiarity isn't deep understanding

Don't be intimidated by what the rest of the industry is doing

Evaluate where an opportunity sits in the broader advertising ecosystem

Assess value for your brand goals

Assess potential desired outcomes

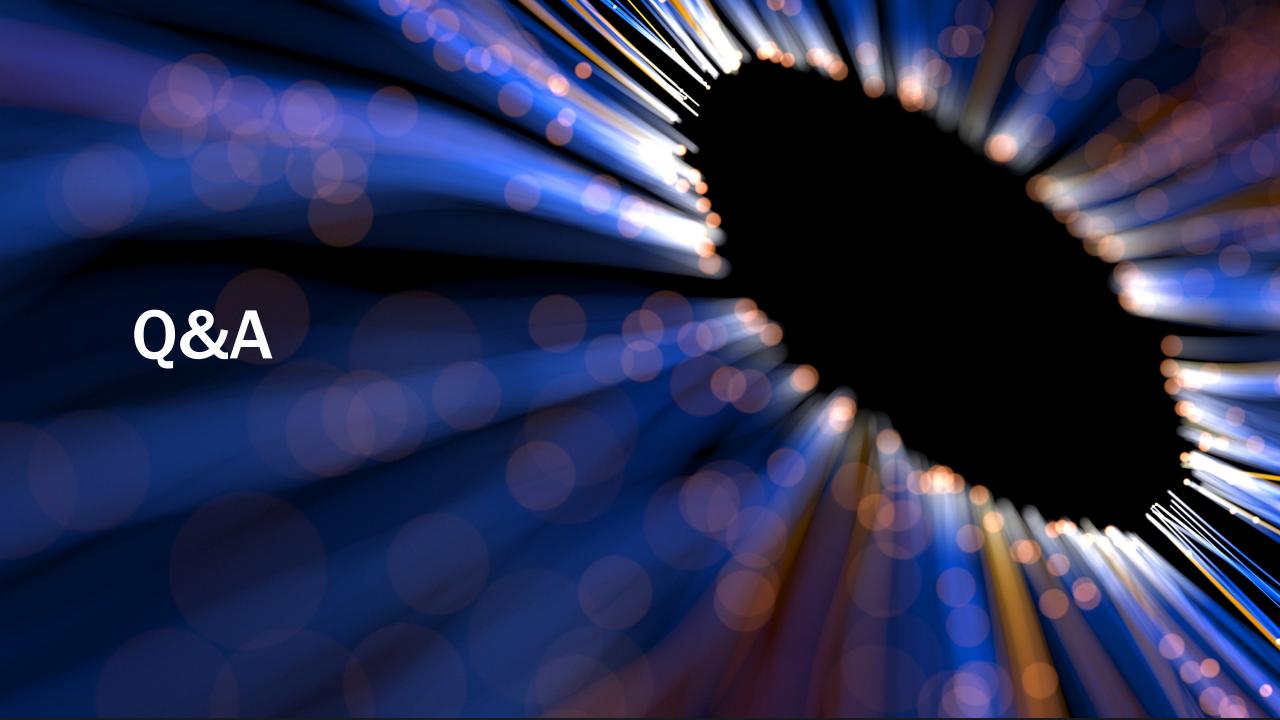
Make investments wisely based on what's most applicable and accessible for your resources and goals

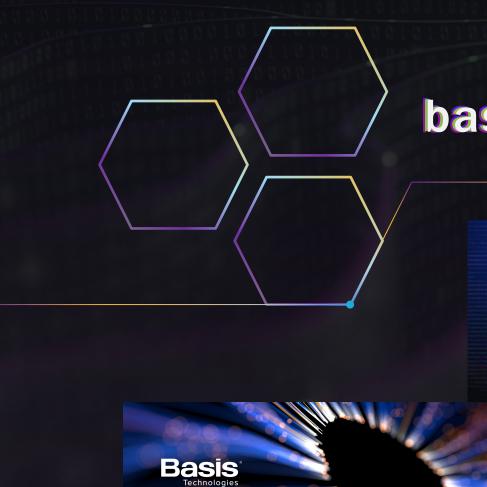
Be ok with "passing" on an opportunity until it's more valuable

Distinguish between what's necessary now vs potential for the future

Executing a solution isn't always the next step







Future in Focus

A Look Ahead at Digital Advertising in 2024

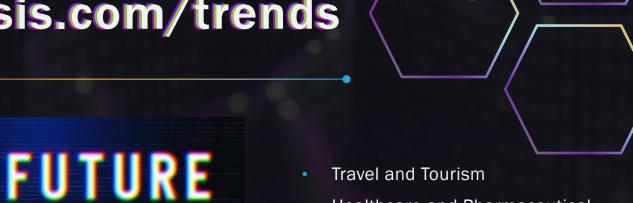
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