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# MAXIMIZING REVENUE WITH AN ADVERTISING SALES TRANSFORMATION

Unified linear and digital ad-sales experience for a leading media client

## **Business need**

- The company needed to rationalize and modernize multiple linear, digital, and overthe-top applications for integrated sales-order management and traffic systems for consolidated ad-sales operations.
- A combination of manual processes and siloed ad-sales workflows and a multiplatform technology landscape for sales and traffic systems made its architecture costly and complex to manage.
- Declining advertising budgets made it necessary to have a deeper understanding of the target audience to generate profitability in the face of a disruption and to set a course for long-term revenue growth.

## Solution

- Capgemini supported the client with its ad-sales transformation journey to realize its vision of unified linear and digital sales, and to build upon and maintain its core advertising business applications.
- Integrated linear and digital experience with sales-order management and traffic system rationalization through a consultative approach that assessed the current media landscape and provided a roadmap for success
- Built an analytics and reporting platform tailored with specific use cases for media and advertising that provided critical insights on inventory, demographics, and consumer behavior
- Delivered an ad-sales optimization solution focused on content, timing, and spend for targeted advertising to drive higher viewership and returns

#### Industry: Media

Location: North America

#### Technology and services:

- Sales-order management
- Data analytics and reporting
- Advertising personalization



## Results

- Capgemini helped the client reinforce its leadership position in the industry while bringing needed transparency to advertisers, agencies, and partners during media planning.
- Ad-sales transformation improved the company's sales and inventory-management processes for both traditional and digital advertising.
- Targeted audience analytics leveraging internal viewership data and ratings helped achieve \$1 billion in targeted ad sales.
- Achieved 99.9 percent revenue forecasting and data accuracy across networks
- Forecasting time related to financial planning reduced by 75 percent

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