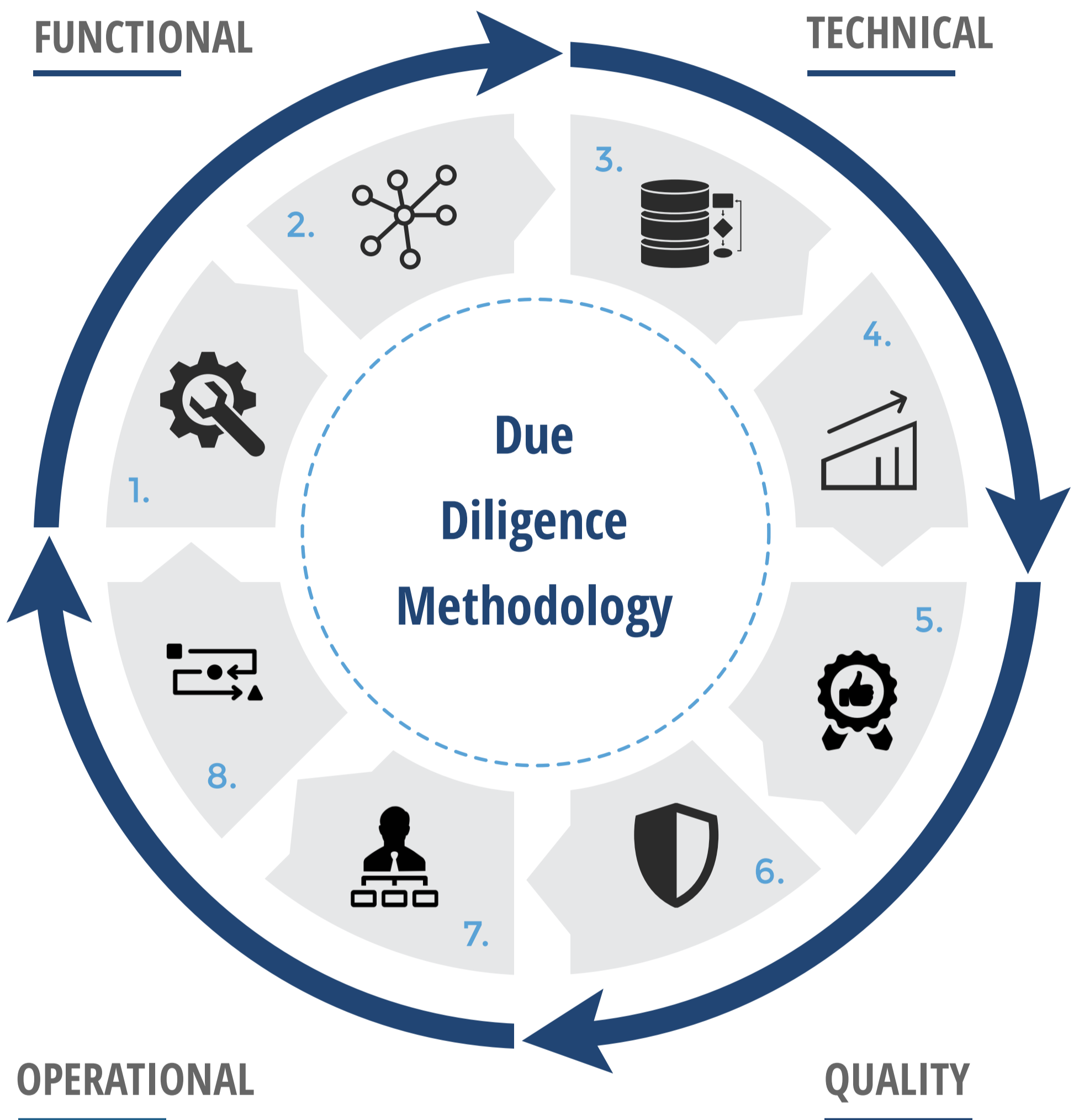# BUILD, BUY, OR PARTNER ANALYSIS

Wondering if you should build, buy, or partner?

In addition to evaluating functional capabilities, it is important to look under the hood and evaluate every aspect of a potential collaboration, including technical architectural, operational, quality, and regulatory processes, and business methodology to make sure your next venture is a good fit and can deliver on your vision.

FUNCTIONAL

TECHNICAL

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Due Diligence Methodology

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OPERATIONAL

QUALITY

1. Functional Capabilities
- Workflows & usability
- Features & toolsets

3. Architecture & Technology Stack
- Programming Languages
- Application, DB & storage Platforms

5. Processes & Controls
- Internal QA processes
- External auditing & Regulatory

7. Organizational Structure
- Team structure & decision hierarchy
- Resource appropriateness

FUNCTIONAL	TECHNICAL	QUALITY	OPERATIONAL

2. Interoperability
- Industry standards
- Advanced Integrations & APIs

4. Scalability & Performance
- Ability to support growth
- Data & transaction throughput

6. Privacy & Security
- Access controls & auditing
- Data encryption & hardening

8. Methodology
- Product development processes
- Responsiveness & adaptability