Books Analysis Dashboard Documentation

1. Problem Statement

Book-related businesses (publishers, retailers, or libraries) often face challenges in understanding:

- Which categories of books generate the highest revenue.
- How book availability and pricing vary across genres.
- How customer ratings are distributed across titles.

Without proper analysis, decision-making about inventory, pricing, and marketing strategies can be inefficient.

This dashboard was developed to address these issues by providing a comprehensive view of book sales, availability, pricing, and ratings, enabling stakeholders to make data-driven decisions.

2. Objectives

- To track and monitor the total revenue generated from books.
- To analyze availability of books across different categories.
- To evaluate average and total ratings of books by category and title.
- To identify high-performing and low-performing categories based on price, availability, and ratings.
- To provide a user-friendly visualization that supports quick insights.

3. Data Overview

• Total Price (Revenue): \$35.07K

• Price Range (Min–Max): \$10 – \$59.99

Total Availability: 8,585 books
 Total Ratings Count: 2,923

Average Rating: 2.92

4. Key Metrics & Visuals

1. Total Price by Category

Sequential Art: \$2.6KYoung Adult: \$1.9KWomen's Fiction: \$0.6K

Travel: \$0.4K
Thriller: \$0.3K
Spirituality: \$0.2K
Sports and Games: \$0.2K

Self Help: \$0.2K

Suspense / Short Stories: \$0.1K-\$0.0K

2. Total Availability by Category

Sequential Art: 686
Young Adult: 464

Thriller: 119

Women's Fiction: 91

Travel: 89Spirituality: 69Self Help: 59

Sports and Games: 10

3. Ratings by Book Title

- Highly rated titles include:
 - *You (You #1)* 5 stars
 - Y: The Last Man, Vol. 1 4 stars
 - Wuthering Heights 3 stars
 - Zero to One 3 stars
- Some books received lower ratings, e.g., Zero History.

4. Filter Options

- Availability (All / By Category)
- Rating Category

5. Insights

- Sequential Art contributes the most in both availability (686 books) and price (\$2.6K revenue).
- Young Adult books are the second most significant category, with strong availability and price performance.
- Self Help, Spirituality, and Sports categories have low revenue and availability, suggesting niche markets or underperformance.
- The average rating is only 2.92, which indicates customer satisfaction may be low overall.
- Some titles stand out with high ratings, making them potential **best-sellers** or **flagship products**.

6. Benefits of the Dashboard

- Data-driven inventory management: Helps identify categories with high demand and low supply.
- Revenue optimization: Understands pricing distribution across genres.
- Customer insights: Assesses which books resonate well with readers through ratings.
- Strategic decisions: Supports targeted promotions, acquisitions, or publishing focus.

7. Recommendations

- Increase availability in high-performing categories like Sequential Art and Young Adult.
- Reassess pricing or marketing strategies for low-performing categories (Self Help, Sports).
- Conduct deeper sentiment analysis on ratings to understand why the average rating is low.
- Highlight and promote highly rated titles to attract more customers.