

RETAIL SHOP SALES PROJECT

In this case study, we were tasked with conducting an end-to-end project (ETL) where we built an interactive dashboard showcasing key performance indicators (KPIs) to address a client or stakeholder business inquiries and provide data-driven insights.

For my project, I employed the ETL method by extracting the 'retail shop sales' dataset from Kaggle. I performed data transformations in MySQL to create specific datasets that address the client's business questions. Subsequently, I loaded these datasets into Power BI to develop a dashboard. This visual tool was designed to explain the KPIs and provide insights to the client, helping them make informed business decisions.

PROBLEM STATEMENT:

KPI's REQUIREMENTS BY CLIENT/STAKEHOLDER:

1. TOTAL SALES ANALYSIS
 - Calculate the total sales for each respective month and the difference in total sales (as percentage) between current and previous month
2. TOTAL ORDER ANALYSIS
 - Calculate the total order for each respective month and the difference in total orders (as percentage) between current and previous month
3. TOTAL QUANTITY SOLD ANALYSIS
 - Calculate the total quantity sold for each respective month and the difference in total quantity sold (as percentage) between current and previous month

CHARTS REQUIREMENTS:

1. CALENDAR HEAT MAP
 - A heat map that adjusts for the chosen month which is colour-coded that shows a darker shade for higher sales, lighter shade for lower sales
2. SALES ANALYSIS BY WEEKDAYS AND WEEKENDS
 - Separates sales data into weekdays and weekends to see patterns
3. SALES ANALYSIS BY AGE PER MONTH WITH AVERAGE LINE
 - Calculates the average sales by age for the chosen month which is also colour-coded, light orange for sales above average, light blue for sales below average
4. SALES BY GENDER
 - Visualises the sales for each gender for that chosen month and shows the difference in sales as percentage between current and previous month

5. SALES BY PRODUCT CATEGORY

- Visualises the sales for each product category for that chosen month and shows the difference in sales as percentage between current and previous month

6. DAILY SALES ANALYSIS WITH AVERAGE LINE

- Calculates the daily average sales for the chosen month which is also colour-coded, light orange for sales above average, light blue for sales below average
- Note: the dashboard should be filtered by month

SQL QUERIES:

UPDATING DATE (transaction_date) COLUMN TO PROPER DATE FORMAT AND RENAMING IT TO sale_date FOR EASY QUERYING

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UPDATE retail_shop_sales
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SET transaction_date = STR_TO_DATE(transaction_date, '%d/%m/%Y');
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ALTER TABLE retail_shop_sales
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```
MODIFY COLUMN transaction_date DATE;
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ALTER TABLE retail_shop_sales
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CHANGE COLUMN transaction_date sale_date DATE;
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ALTERING trans_id to sale_id FOR EASY QUERYING

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ALTER TABLE retail_shop_sales
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CHANGE COLUMN trans_id sale_id INT;
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CHECKING IF THE QUERIES ARE SUCCESSFUL

```
DESCRIBE retail_shop_sales;
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Result Grid						
Filter Rows:						
	Field	Type	Null	Key	Default	Extra
▶	sale_id	int	YES		NULL	
	sale_date	sale_date			NULL	
	customer_id	text	YES		NULL	
	gender	text	YES		NULL	
	age	int	YES		NULL	
	product_category	text	YES		NULL	
	quantity	int	YES		NULL	
	price_per_unit	int	YES		NULL	
	total_amount	int	YES		NULL	

SELECT * FROM retail_shop_sales;

	sale_id	sale_date	customer_id	gender	age	product_category	quantity	price_per_unit	total_amount
▶	180	2023-01-01	CUST180	Male	41	Clothing	3	300	900
	522	2023-01-01	CUST522	Male	46	Beauty	3	500	1500
	559	2023-01-01	CUST559	Female	40	Clothing	4	300	1200
	163	2023-01-02	CUST163	Female	64	Clothing	3	50	150
	303	2023-01-02	CUST303	Male	19	Electronics	3	30	90
	421	2023-01-02	CUST421	Female	37	Clothing	3	500	1500
	979	2023-01-02	CUST979	Female	19	Beauty	1	25	25
	610	2023-01-03	CUST610	Female	26	Beauty	2	300	600
	32	2023-01-04	CUST032	Male	30	Beauty	3	30	90
	231	2023-01-04	CUST231	Female	23	Clothing	3	50	150
	683	2023-01-04	CUST683	Male	38	Beauty	2	500	1000
	367	2023-01-05	CUST367	Female	57	Electronics	1	50	50
	391	2023-01-05	CUST391	Male	19	Beauty	2	25	50

-- TOTAL SALES FOR MONTH SELECTED

SELECT ROUND(SUM(total_amount)) AS total_sales

FROM retail_shop_sales

WHERE MONTH(sale_date) = 2; -- February

	total_sales
▶	44060

-- THE DIFFERENCE OF TOTAL SALES FROM CURRENT MONTH TO PREVIOUS MONTH SHOWN AS A PERCENTAGE WITH THE USE OF LAG()

-- note that january 2023 will return null as it has no previous month to be compared to

SELECT

MONTH(sale_date) AS month,

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ROUND(SUM(total_amount)) AS total_sales,

(SUM(total_amount) - LAG(SUM(total_amount),1)

OVER (ORDER BY MONTH(sale_date))) / LAG(SUM(total_amount),1)

OVER (ORDER BY MONTH(sale_date)) * 100 AS mon_to_mon_percent

FROM retail_shop_sales

WHERE MONTH(sale_date) IN (3,4) – March and April

GROUP BY MONTH(sale_date)

ORDER BY MONTH(sale_date);

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	month	total_sales	mon_to_mon_percent
▶	3	28990	NULL
	4	33870	16.8334

-- TOTAL ORDERS FOR MONTH SELECTED

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SELECT COUNT(sale_id) AS total_orders

FROM retail_shop_sales

WHERE MONTH(sale_date) = 1;

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Result Grid	
	total_orders
▶	78

-- THE DIFFERENCE OF TOTAL ORDERS FROM CURRENT MONTH TO PREVIOUS MONTH SHOWN AS A PERCENTAGE WITH THE USE OF LAG()

```

SELECT

MONTH(sale_date) AS month,

ROUND(COUNT(sale_id)) as total_orders,

(COUNT(sale_id) - lag(COUNT(sale_id),1)

OVER (ORDER BY MONTH(sale_date))) / LAG(COUNT(sale_id),1)

OVER (ORDER BY MONTH(sale_date)) * 100 as mon_to_mon_percent

FROM retail_shop_sales

WHERE MONTH(sale_date) IN (3,4)

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GROUP BY MONTH(sale_date)

ORDER BY MONTH(sale_date);

	month	total_orders	mon_to_mon_percent
▶	3	73	NULL
	4	86	17.8082

-- TOTAL QUANTITY FOR MONTH SELECTED

SELECT SUM(quantity) as total_quantity

FROM retail_shop_sales

WHERE MONTH(sale_date) = 1;

	total_quantity
▶	199

-- THE DIFFERENCE OF TOTAL QUANTITY FROM CURRENT MONTH TO PREVIOUS MONTH SHOWN AS A PERCENTAGE WITH THE USE OF LAG()

SELECT

MONTH(sale_date) AS month,

ROUND(SUM(quantity)) AS total_quantity_sold,

(SUM(quantity) - LAG(SUM(quantity), 1)

OVER (ORDER BY MONTH(sale_date))) / LAG(SUM(quantity), 1)

OVER (ORDER BY MONTH(sale_date)) * 100 AS mon_to_mon_percent

FROM retail_shop_sales

WHERE MONTH(sale_date) IN (3,4)

GROUP BY MONTH(sale_date)

ORDER BY MONTH(sale_date);

	month	total_quantity_sold	mon_to_mon_percent
▶	3	194	NULL
	4	214	10.3093

-- TOTAL SALES, TOTAL QUANTITY SOLD and TOTAL ORDERS FOR A SPECIFIC DAY

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SELECT

    SUM(total_amount) AS total_sales,

    SUM(quantity) AS total_quantity_sold,

    COUNT(sale_id) AS total_orders

FROM retail_shop_sales

WHERE sale_date = '2023-01-23';

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	total_sales	total_quantity_sold	total_orders
	3120	10	3

-- SALES TRENDLINE FOR MONTH SELECTED

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SELECT AVG(total_sales) AS average_sales

FROM

    ( SELECT SUM(total_amount) AS total_sales

    FROM retail_shop_sales

    WHERE MONTH(sale_date) = 1

    GROUP BY sale_date

    ) AS internal_query;

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	average_sales
	1232.6667

-- DAILY SALES FOR MONTH SELECTED

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SELECT

    DAY(sale_date) AS day_of_month,

    ROUND(SUM(total_amount),1) AS total_sales

FROM retail_shop_sales

WHERE MONTH(sale_date) = 1

GROUP BY DAY(sale_date)

ORDER BY DAY(sale_date);

```

Result Grid			Filter Rows:
	day_of_month	total_sales	
▶	1	5130	
	2	1765	
	3	600	
	4	1240	
	5	1100	
	6	620	
	7	150	
	8	625	
	9	200	
	10	230	
	11	280	
	13	1930	
	14	1550	

-- COMPARING DAILY SALES WITH AVERAGE SALES – IF GREATER THAN “ABOVE AVERAGE” and LESSER THAN “BELOW AVERAGE”

SELECT

day_of_month,

CASE

WHEN total_sales > average_sales THEN 'Above Average'

WHEN total_sales < average_sales THEN 'Below Average'

ELSE 'Average'

END AS sales_status,

total_sales

FROM (

SELECT

DAY(sale_date) AS day_of_month,

SUM(total_amount) AS total_sales,

AVG(SUM(total_amount)) OVER () AS average_sales

FROM

retail_shop_sales

WHERE

MONTH(sale_date) = 1

GROUP BY

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        DAY(sale_date)
    ) AS sales_data
ORDER BY
    day_of_month;

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	day_of_month	sales_status	total_sales
▶	1	Above Average	5130
	2	Above Average	1765
	3	Belo Above Average	
	4	Below Average	1240
	5	Below Average	1100
	6	Below Average	620
	7	Below Average	150
	8	Below Average	625
	9	Below Average	200
	10	Below Average	230
	11	Below Average	280
	13	Above Average	1930
	14	Above Average	1550

-- SALES BY WEEKDAY / WEEKEND FOR MONTH SELECTED

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SELECT
    CASE
        WHEN DAYOFWEEK(sale_date) IN (1, 7) THEN 'Weekends'
        ELSE 'Weekdays'
    END AS day_type,
    ROUND(SUM(total_amount),2) AS total_sales
FROM
    retail_shop_sales
WHERE
    MONTH(sale_date) = 1
GROUP BY
    CASE
        WHEN DAYOFWEEK(sale_date) IN (1, 7) THEN 'Weekends'
        ELSE 'Weekdays'
    END;

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	day_type	total_sales
▶	Weekends	10620
	Weekdays	26360

-- SALES BY PRODUCT CATEGORY FOR MONTH SELECTED

SELECT

product_category,

SUM(total_amount) as total_sales

FROM retail_shop_sales

WHERE

MONTH(sale_date) = 1

GROUP BY product_category

ORDER BY total_sales DESC;

	product_category	total_sales
▶	Beauty	13930
	Clothing	13125
	Electronics	9925

-- SALES BY AGE FOR MONTH SELECTED

SELECT

age,

SUM(total_amount) as total_sales

FROM retail_shop_sales

WHERE

MONTH(sale_date) = 1

GROUP BY age

ORDER BY total_sales DESC;

	age	total_sales
▶	46	3660
	38	3600
	42	3560
	22	2090
	34	2075
	60	1600
	19	1565
	54	1560
	37	1500
	56	1500
	40	1275
	23	1225

-- SALES BY GENDER FOR MONTH SELECTED

SELECT

gender,

SUM(total_amount) as total_sales



FROM retail_shop_sales

WHERE

MONTH(sale_date) = 1

GROUP BY gender

ORDER BY total_sales DESC;

Result Grid   Filter Rows		
	gender	total_sales
▶	Female	24725
	Male	12255

-- SALES BY SPECIFIC DAY OF MONTH

SELECT

ROUND(SUM(total_amount)) AS total_sales,

SUM(quantity) AS total_quantity,

COUNT(*) AS total_orders

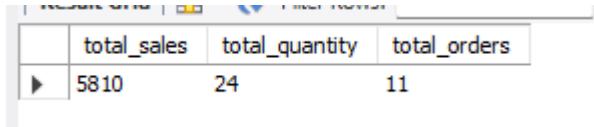
FROM

retail_shop_sales

WHERE

DAYOFWEEK(sale_date) = 1 -- Filter for Tuesday (1 is Sunday, 2 is Monday, ..., 7 is Saturday)

AND MONTH(sale_date) = 1;



The screenshot shows a SQL query result with three columns: total_sales, total_quantity, and total_orders. The values for these columns are 5810, 24, and 11 respectively. The result is displayed in a table format with a single row of data.

	total_sales	total_quantity	total_orders
▶	5810	24	11

-- TO GET SALES FROM MONDAY TO SUNDAY FOR MONTH SELECTED

SELECT

CASE

WHEN DAYOFWEEK(sale_date) = 2 THEN 'Monday'

WHEN DAYOFWEEK(sale_date) = 3 THEN 'Tuesday'

WHEN DAYOFWEEK(sale_date) = 4 THEN 'Wednesday'

WHEN DAYOFWEEK(sale_date) = 5 THEN 'Thursday'

WHEN DAYOFWEEK(sale_date) = 6 THEN 'Friday'

WHEN DAYOFWEEK(sale_date) = 7 THEN 'Saturday'

ELSE 'Sunday'

END AS Day_of_Week,

ROUND(SUM(total_amount)) AS total_sales

FROM

retail_shop_sales

WHERE

MONTH(sale_date) = 1

GROUP BY

CASE

WHEN DAYOFWEEK(sale_date) = 2 THEN 'Monday'

WHEN DAYOFWEEK(sale_date) = 3 THEN 'Tuesday'

WHEN DAYOFWEEK(sale_date) = 4 THEN 'Wednesday'

WHEN DAYOFWEEK(sale_date) = 5 THEN 'Thursday'

WHEN DAYOFWEEK(sale_date) = 6 THEN 'Friday'

WHEN DAYOFWEEK(sale_date) = 7 THEN 'Saturday'

ELSE 'Sunday'

END;

Result Grid			Filter Rows:
	Day_of_Week	total_sales	
▶	Sunday	5810	
	Monday	11355	
	Tuesday	6825	
	Wednesday	1570	
	Thursday	3700	
	Friday	2910	
	Saturday	4810	