Project Description:

- This project is about providing a detailed report for the marketing team and also for the investors.
- Instagram user dataset is provided, in which the details needed for the project are given.
- I am going to use some SQL commands on the given dataset to get the information I needed.

Things I'm going to find out in this project:

- 5 Most loyal users
- Inactive users
- Contest winners
- Top 5 commonly used hashtags
- Insights on when to schedule an Ad campaign
- User Engagement
- Bots & Fake Accounts

Approach & Insights:

A) Marketing:

1. Rewarding most loyal users:

- In order to find the most loyal user, I must find the oldest user.
- According to your task, I must find 5 oldest users of Instagram.

Code:

select username, created_at from users order by created_at LIMIT 5;

Result:

username	created_at
Darby_Herzog	2016-05-06 00:14:21
Emilio_Bernier52	2016-05-06 13:04:30
Elenor88	2016-05-08 01:30:41
Nicole71	2016-05-09 17:30:22
Jordyn.Jacobson2	2016-05-14 07:56:26

With the result the marketing team can reward the most loyal users.

2. To remind inactive users to start posting:

• In order to remind inactive users to start posting, I must find users who never posted a single photo on Instagram.

Code:

select id, username from users where id NOT IN (select user_id from photos);

Result:

User_id	username
5	Aniya_Hackett
7	Kasandra_Homenick
14	Jaclyn81
21	Rocio33
24	Maxwell.Halvorson
25	Tierra.Trantow
34	Pearl7
36	Ollie_Ledner37
41	Mckenna17
45	David.Osinski47
49	Morgan.Kassulke
53	Linnea59
54	Duane60
57	Julien_Schmidt
66	Mike.Auer39
68	Franco_Keebler64
71	Nia_Haag
74	Hulda.Macejkovic
75	Leslie67
76	Janelle.Nikolaus81
80	Darby_Herzog
81	Esther.Zulauf61
83	Bartholome.Bernhard
89	Jessyca_West
90	Esmeralda.Mraz57
91	Bethany20

- The users who haven't posted any photos were found out.
- This result can help the marketing team to remind inactive users to post photos.

3. Declaring contest winner:

• To declare the contest winner, I must find the user who has more likes in one photo.

Code:

select username, image_url, count(photo_id) as total_likes from users u
 join photos p on u.id = p.user_id
 join likes I on p.id = I.photo_id
 group by username, image_url
 order by total_likes desc limit 1;

Result:

username	image_url	total_likes
Zack_Kemmer93	https://jarret.name	48

• The user who got most likes on a single photo is found and the marketing team can now announce the winner of the contest.

4. Hashtag Researching:

• To identify and suggest the top 5 commonly used hashtags on the platform.

Code:

select tag_name as hashtags, count(tag_name) as times_used from tags t
 join photo_tags pt on t.id = pt.tag_id
 group by tag_name
 order by times_used desc limit 5;

Result:

hashtags	times_used
smile	59
beach	42
party	39
fun	38
lol	24

• By the above code I found the most used hashtags on the platform.

• The marketing team can show these results to the partner brand, so they can know the best way to reach most of the people on the platform.

5. Launch AD Campaign:

To find a day of the week do most user register on the platform to launch AD Campaign.

Code:

select dayname(created_at) as day, count(dayname(created_at)) as user_count from users group by day order by user_count desc;

Result:

day	user_count
Thursday	16
Sunday	16
Friday	15
Monday	14
Tuesday	14
Wednesday	13
Saturday	12

• **Thursday** & **Sunday** would be the best day to launch ads, Since most of the users register on these days.

B) Investor Metrics:

1. User Engagement:

 My task is to provide how many times does average user posts on Instagram, also I must provide the total number of photos on Instagram/total number of users.

Code:

select round((select count(*)from photos)/(select count(*) from users),1) as avg_post;

Result:

avg_post

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• The average post made by the user is 3.

Code:

select count(distinct username) as total_users, count(image_url) as total_photos from users u

left join photos p on u.id = p.user_id;

Result:

total_users	total_photos
100	257

- Total number of users and total photos on Instagram were found using this code.
- With the result user engagement could be assessed by the investors.

2. Bots & Fake Accounts:

 My task is to provide the info about the user who have liked all the photos on the site

Code:

Result:

id	username	user_total_likes
5	Aniya_Hackett	257
14	Jaclyn81	257
21	Rocio33	257

24	Maxwell.Halvorson	257
36	Ollie_Ledner37	257
41	Mckenna17	257
54	Duane60	257
57	Julien_Schmidt	257
66	Mike.Auer39	257
71	Nia_Haag	257
75	Leslie67	257
76	Janelle.Nikolaus81	257
91	Bethany20	257

- I found the bots in the site, so with this data the investors would know the total bots/fake accounts.
- With this data the investor gets a clear idea about the product, so that they can take a decision based on the results.

Tech Stack Used:

- I'm here using MYSQL Workbench 8.0 for this project.
- It is a useful database tool that comes as a desktop tool specifically designed for MySQL.
- It also has a community version which is free and open source.

Result:

I have gained more knowledge on SQL queries, I'm now very confident in this area. This project gave me a clarity on the sub queries, where and join queries. Thanks for the trainity team for giving this project.