

Project Description – E-Commerce Sales Analysis (Power BI)

This project is a **comprehensive E-Commerce Sales Analysis Dashboard** built using **Power BI**, designed to help stakeholders monitor performance, identify trends, and make data-driven business decisions.

The dashboard provides a **360° view of sales, profit, customers, and product performance** across different dimensions such as **time, category, sub-category, customer, and geography**.

Key Features & Insights

- **Executive KPIs:** Total Sales, Total Profit, Profit Margin %, Customer Count, Revenue, Units Sold, and Avg Sales per Customer
- **Sales & Profit Trends:** Year-wise and month-wise performance analysis
- **Category & Sub-Category Analysis:** Identifies top-performing and underperforming product categories
- **Customer Contribution Analysis:** Highlights high-value customers driving profit
- **Geographical Insights:** State-wise sales, profit, and quantity distribution using map visuals
- **Interactive Filters:** Month and State slicers for dynamic exploration
- **Clean UI/UX:** Business-friendly layout with intuitive visuals and storytelling

Business Value

- Helps management track growth trends
- Identifies profitable products and customers
- Supports inventory and marketing decisions
- Enables regional performance comparison
- Reduces manual reporting through automation

Data Source

- The dataset was **originally sourced from Kaggle**, a reliable and widely used data platform for analytics and academic projects.
- For convenience and sharing purposes, the dataset was accessed via **Google Drive**.

- The dataset includes information related to:
 - Orders
 - Customers
 - Products
 - Categories & Sub-categories
 - Sales, Profit, Quantity
 - Order Date and Location (State)

Tools & Technologies Used

- **Microsoft Power BI Desktop**
- **DAX (Data Analysis Expressions)**
- **Power Query** for data cleaning and transformation
- **Data Modeling** (relationships between tables)
- **Interactive Visualizations**

Dashboard Overview

The dashboard consists of **two main report pages**:

Page 1 – Sales & Customer Overview

- Total Sales
- Total Profit
- Profit Margin %
- Customer Count
- Profit by Year
- Customer Count by Year
- Sales by Category
- Sales Trend by Category
- Sales by Month

- Total Profit by Customer Contribution

Page 2 – Product & Regional Analysis

- Revenue
- Total Units Sold
- Customer Count
- Average Sales per Customer
- Quantity and Category Count by Month
- Product Performance by Sub-Category

Limitations

- The report is not published to Power BI Service due to the absence of a paid account
- Shareable links are not generated
- Publishing using a different paid account may result in minor compatibility or refresh issues

Recommendations & Future Enhancements

The dashboard can be enhanced by adding:

- Sales forecasting
- Customer segmentation (RFM analysis)
- Discount vs Profit analysis
- Inventory & stock-level insights
- Drill-through pages for detailed product or customer views
- Automated refresh using Power BI Service

