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**Business Report** 

Summarize one real-world business report that can be created from the attached Data Sets

and Associated Dictionaries.

There are a various number of reports that can be created using the attached data sets and

associated dictionaries. My report covers number of rental sales by each staff member. This

information is useful to any business that measures employee/staff performance which is

normally present on performance evaluation reports.

Describe the data used for the report.

The data used for this report consists of rental information and staff information. The

staff information is needed to identify each staff member and possibly contact them through

email if needed. The rental information associated with each staff member is used to measure

performance.

Identify two or more specific tables from the given dataset that will provide the data

necessary for the detailed and the summary sections of the report.

The rental table and the staff table will provide the data necessary for the detailed and

summary sections of the report. Combining and measuring information from these two tables

will allow us to measure the performance of each staff member.

Identify the specific fields that will be included in the detailed and the summary sections of

the report.

For the detailed section of the report:

- rental id integer
- rental date timestamp
- return date timestamp
- store id integer
- staff\_id integer
- first\_name varchar (45)
- last name varchar (45)
- email varchar (90)

For the summary section of the report:

- staff full name varchar (90)
- email varchar (90)
- sales\_per\_staff integer

Identify one field in the detailed section that will require a custom transformation and explain why it should be transformed.

The first\_name and last\_name fields will be transformed when extracted from the detailed table before being loaded into the summary table. These fields in the detailed table require a custom transformation to form a full name for each staff member. This improves the readability of staff member names when viewing the report and reduces the number of unnecessary columns within the report.

Explain the different business uses of the detailed and the summary sections of the report.

The detailed section of the report will be used to see every rental sale and the staff member associated with that sale and can be traced back to each store location the transaction

occurred. This can help track the performance of staff members and trace the performance down to each store if needed.

The summary section of the report will be used to see individual performance among staff members. This information can be used to make decisions involving staff members such as promotions or possible dismissal. This may also raise other questions and can also aid in improving the training of staff.

Explain how frequently your report should be refreshed to remain relevant to stakeholders.

The report should be refreshed every 6-12 months when an evaluation report is needed across the entire business which would cover performance of the business which normally consists of staff/employee performance. This will earn or keep the trust and confidence of stakeholders on how performance is being managed and improved.

## Explain how the stored procedure can be run on a schedule to ensure data freshness.

The stored procedure can be automated using the pgAgent software that can be used with PostgreSQL. A job can be created using pgAgent that will run the stored procedure on a defined schedule. This will ensure that the tables stay updated on schedule, so performance data of staff members is accurate.

## SQL Code

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-- Business Question: Total sales per staff member
-- CREATE detailed table
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS detailed;
CREATE TABLE detailed (
      rental id integer
      rental date timestamp,
      return_date timestamp,
      store_id integer,
      staff_id integer,
      first_name varchar(45),
      last_name varchar(45),
       email varchar(90)
)
-- To view empty detailed table
-- SELECT * FROM detailed;
-- CREATE summary table
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS summary;
CREATE TABLE summary (
      staff full name varchar(90),
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email varchar(90),
       sales per staff integer
)
-- To view empty summary table
-- SELECT * FROM summary;
-- Extract raw data from database into detailed table
INSERT INTO detailed(rental id, rental date, return date, store id, staff id, first name,
last name, email)
SELECT s.store id, r.rental id, r.rental date, r.return date, r.staff id, s.first name, s.last name,
s.email FROM rental AS r
JOIN staff AS s ON r.staff id = s.staff id;
-- To view contents of detailed table
-- SELECT * FROM detailed;
-- CREATE FUNCTION refreshing the summary table with data transformations
-- Transform first name and last name with concatenation into staff full name
-- Transform staff id using aggregation to COUNT the staff IDs associated with each rental
transaction
CREATE FUNCTION summary transform()
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RETURNS TRIGGER
LANGUAGE plpgsql
AS $$
BEGIN
DELETE FROM summary;
INSERT INTO summary(
      SELECT concat ws('', first name, last name) AS staff full name, email,
     COUNT(staff_id) AS sales_per_staff FROM detailed
      GROUP BY staff id, staff full name, email
);
RETURN NEW;
END;$$
-- CREATE TRIGGER
CREATE TRIGGER summary_transform_trigger
AFTER INSERT
ON detailed
FOR EACH STATEMENT
EXECUTE PROCEDURE summary_transform();
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CREATE STORED PROCEDURE
To be automated to run every 6-12 months for performance evaulation purposes
Use pgAgent as an external scheduler for running the procedure
CREATE PROCEDURE refresh_data()
LANGUAGE plpgsql
AS \$\$
BEGIN
DELETE FROM detailed;
INSERT INTO detailed(store_id, rental_id, rental_date, return_date, staff_id, first_name,
last_name, email)
SELECT s.store_id, r.rental_id, r.rental_date, r.return_date, r.staff_id, s.first_name, s.last_name
s.email FROM rental AS r
JOIN staff AS s ON r.staff_id = s.staff_id;
END;\$\$
To call the stored procedure
CALL refresh_data();

-- For verification run this code and compare with the results in the summary table to verify accuracy of each staff member's total sales

SELECT staff\_id, COUNT(staff\_id) FROM rental GROUP BY staff\_id;

- -- To view results
- -- SELECT \* FROM detailed;
- -- SELECT \* FROM summary;

## Works Cited

No sources, web sources or third-party code were cited, referenced, or used.