

The aim of this exercise is to divide staff up into 3 bands as follows:

Year of date of birth	Description
Up to and including 1960	<b>Old</b>
Up to and including 1985	<b>Middle-aged</b>
Anything else	<b>Young</b>

You should then use this to get a pivot table showing the average quantity of goods in each transaction by age category, as well as the number of transactions:

Row Labels	Average of Quantity	Count of TransactionId
Middle-aged	1.372	8,411
Old	1.360	2,301
Young	1.361	3,192
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>1.368</b>	<b>13,904</b>

*There isn't much difference, making one wonder whether this is genuine data, or just randomly generated numbers. Surely Wise Owl wouldn't stoop so low?*

To start, if you haven't already done so run the script in the above folder to generate the **MAM** database (not for commercial use or copying).

Now import the **tblStaff**, **tblPos** and **tblTransaction** tables (giving them friendly names), and create a relationship between the **Staff** and **Pos** tables.

In the staff table, create two new calculated columns:

Column name	What it should contain
<b>BirthYear</b>	The year in which this person was born.
<b>AgeBand</b>	A verdict on the person's age, using the table above.

*Use either a nested **IF** function to get the age band, or else (better) the **SWITCH** function.*

Use this information to derive the pivot table at the start of this exercise.

Save your workbook as **Feeling old**, then close it down.