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1. Data Source

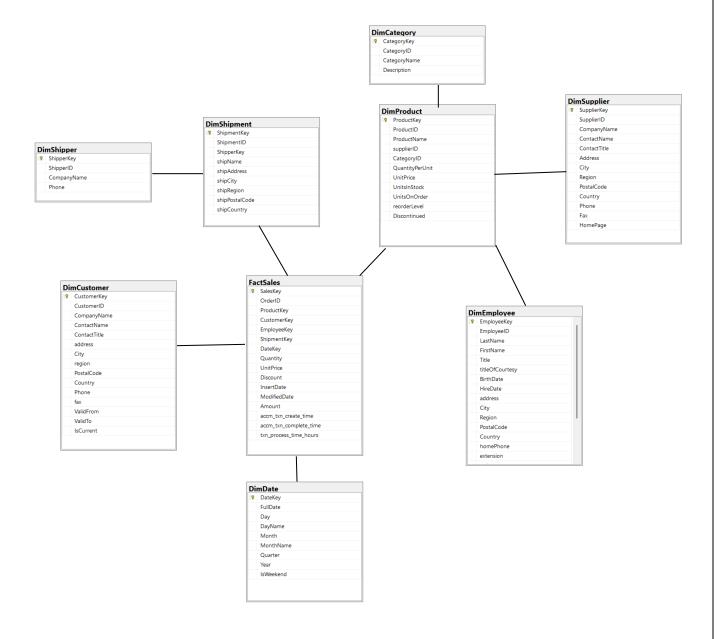
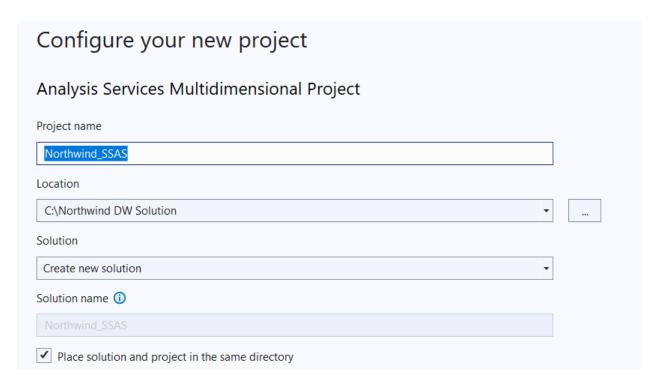


Table Name	Table Type	Primary Key	Business/ Natural Key(s)	Description	Key Attributes / Notes
DimCustomer	Dimensio n	CustomerKe y	CustomerI D	Stores details of customers.	Contact details, address, ValidFrom, ValidTo, IsCurrent (for slowly changing dimension support).
DimEmployee	Dimensio n	EmployeeKe y	Employee ID	Stores details of employees who manage orders.	Hierarchical (ReportsTo), includes birth/hire date, title, PhotoPath.
DimProduct	Dimensio n	ProductKey	ProductID	Stores product information.	Includes category, supplier, inventory stats, Discontinued flag.
DimDate	Dimensio n	DateKey	FullDate	Stores date/time breakdown.	Supports time intelligence: Day, Month, Quarter, IsWeekend, etc.
DimSupplier	Dimensio n	SupplierKey	SupplierI D	Stores info about suppliers.	Company contact info, homepage, address.
DimShipment	Dimensio n	ShipmentKe y	ShipmentI D	Stores order shipment- related details.	Related to DimShipper via ShipperKey. NOTE: Trailing comma in script will throw error.
DimShipper	Dimensio n	ShipperKey	ShipperID	Stores shipper company details.	Basic info like name and contact number.
DimCategory	Dimensio n	CategoryKey	CategoryI D	Stores product categories.	Includes name and description of category.

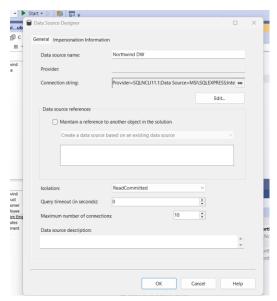
FactSales	Fact	SalesKey	OrderID	Captures	Foreign keys to all
				sales	dimensions.
				transactions.	Measures: Quantity,
					UnitPrice, Discount,
					Amount (calculated).
					Has process
					timestamps:
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					ours (calculated).

2. SSAS Cube implementation

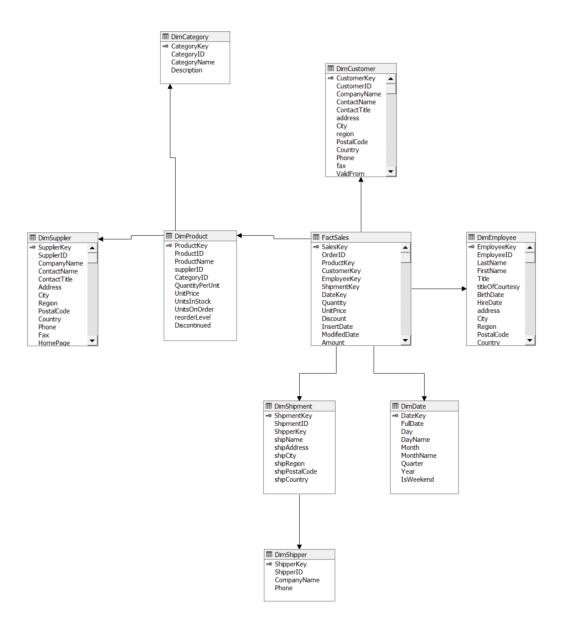
1. Created project using Analysis Service Multidimensional Project and named it as Northwind_SSAS.



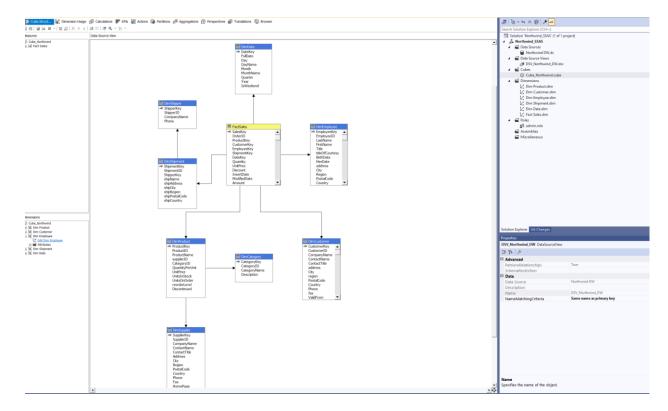
2. Added a Data Source named Northwind_DW and connected the created Northwind Data Warehouse.



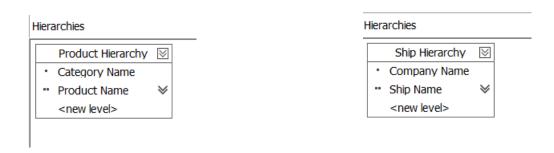
3. Created a Data Source View named DSV_Northwind_DW and added fact table and and all the related dimensions.



4. Added new Cube named Cube_Northwind_DW and added fact table as the measure table.



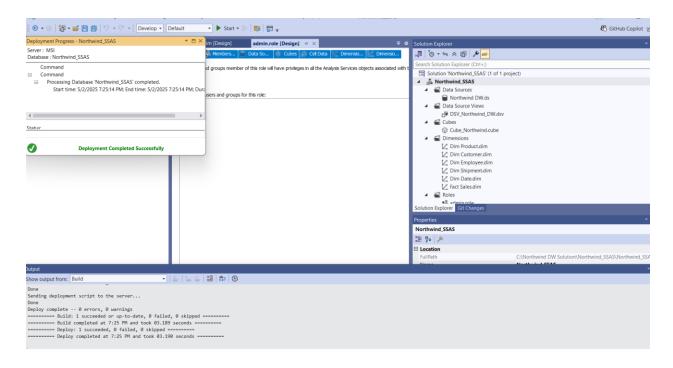
5. Created two hierarchies for Product->Category and Shipment->Shipper.



6. Added a Role granting all permissions as admin.



7. Deployed the Northwind_SSAS Analysis project

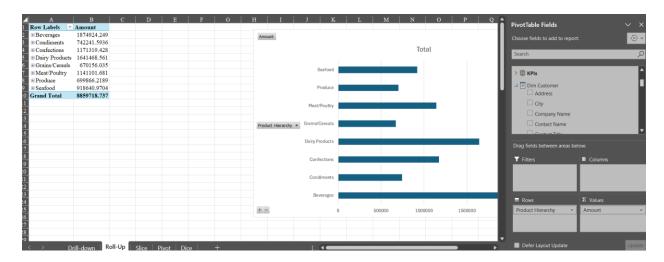


3. Demonstration of OLAP operations

- Opened Excel file and Data->Get Data-> From Database-> From Analysis Service and added Server name, selected I created (Cube_Northwind) and got the cube data to Excel sheet.
- Created PivotTableReports and pivot Charts for Roll-up, Drill-Down, Slice, Dice, Pivot.

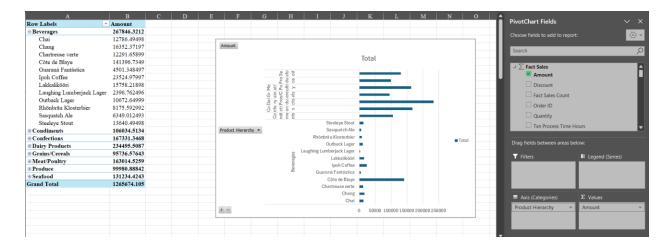
3.1.Roll-up

• Summarized sales from Product → Category level.



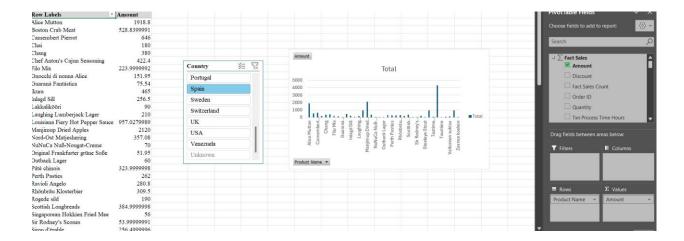
3.2.Drill-Down

• Navigate from categories->individual products with Amount.



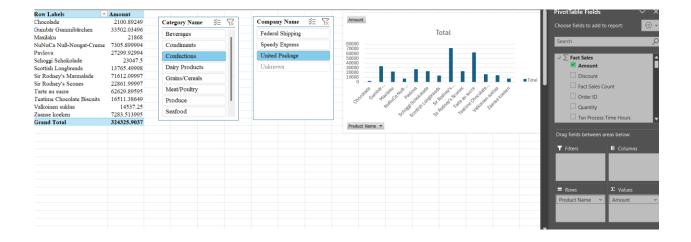
3.3.Slice

• Filter product sales by customer's Country.



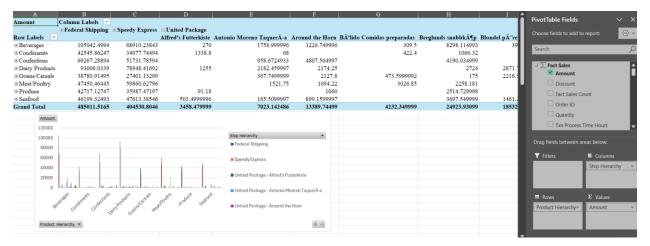
3.4. Dice

• Filter Product by Category & Customer's Company



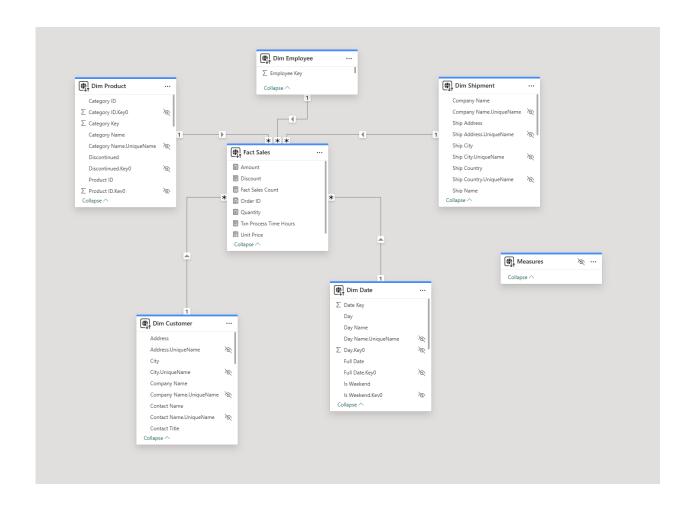
3.5.Pivot

• Compare sales by Category (rows) vs. Shipper (columns)



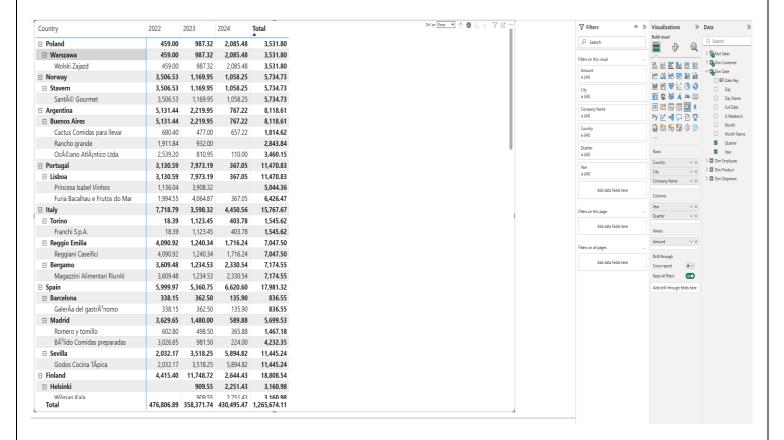
4. PowerBI Reports

- Connect to SSAS OLAP cube:
 - Opened Power BI Desktop and Home-> Get Data-> Analysis Services
 - Added my server and connected live for the server which includes the SSAS database.
 - Choosed Cube_Northwind cube I created in SSAS project and loaded the data to Power BI.



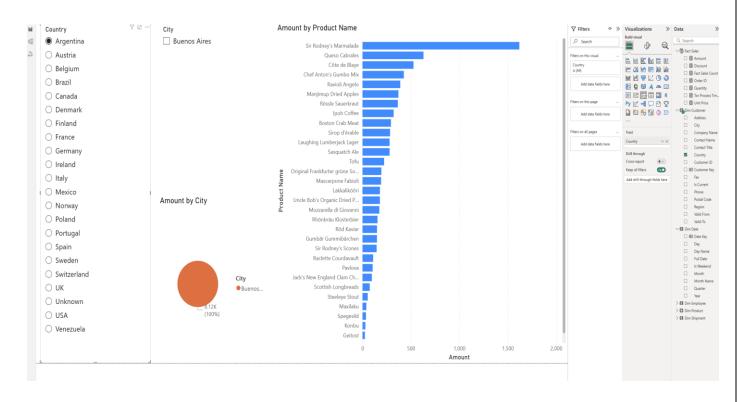
4.1. Report 1: Matrix Visual with Row/Column Groupings

- This report uses a Matrix visual to display detailed sales data with hierarchical grouping by Year and Quarter (columns), and Product Category and Product Name (rows). It helps users analyze performance trends across time and with subtotals and clean formatting for easy navigation.
 - In the Report view added Matrix visual from Visualization pane.



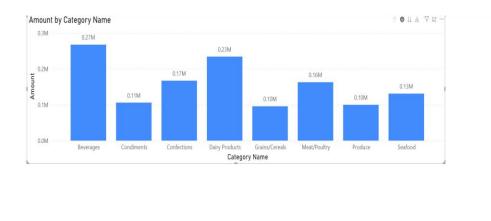
4.2. Report 2: Multiple Slicers with Cascading Filters

- This report uses multiple slices with cascading filters (Country->City), allowing users to dynamically filter the dataset. It includes multiple visuals like bar charts and pie charts to provide insight into sales distribution among Customer's geographical locations.
 - Drag two Slicers from visual and add DimCustomer[Country] as one field for the second slicer added DimCustomer[City] as the field.



4.3. Report 3 - Drill-Down Report (Hierarchy)

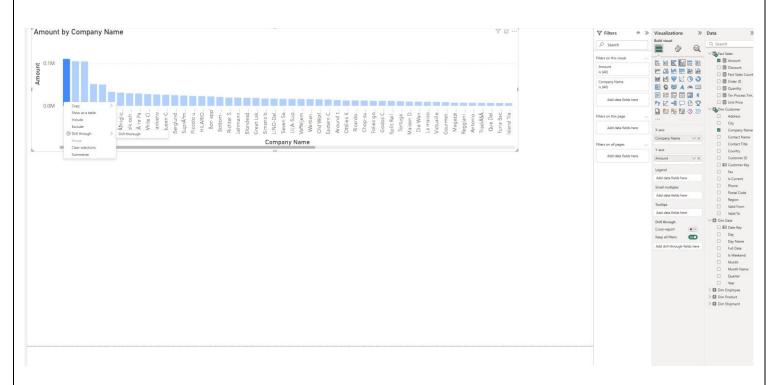
- This report provides sales performance using Product->Category hierarchy. With a bar chart, users can drill down from broad categories to individual products.
 - Added a bar chart and used Product hierarchy I created in SSAS project as the X axis and FactSales[Amount] as Values.
 - In the top left of the chart enabled Drill Down so we can click the category and go to the products which belong to that category.



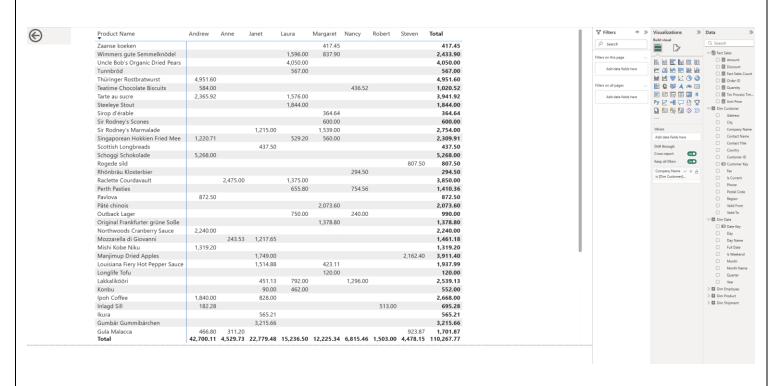


4.4. Report 4: Drill-Through Report

- This report allows users to right click on Company data and drill through to a separate page which includes Product sales among different Customers which belongs to that particular Company. It's like a detailed view of a data point.
 - In a blank canvas page drag DimCustomer[CompanyName] to the Drill through section field.
 - Added a Matrix from Visualizations pane and added DimPorduct[ProductName] as the row, DimCustomer[FirstName] as the column and FactSales[Amount] as the value field.
 - Created a new page(main report page) and added a bar chart and added DimCustomer[CompanyName] as the X axis and FactSales[Amount] as the Y axis.
 - When we right click on a bar and click on Drill-through we navigate to the page we created before with the details of the customer who belong to that Company.



Main report page



Drill-through page