

INTERNSHIP REPORT ON FULL STACK AIML, DATA Science, Gen Al, MLOPs and Python Programming

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Declaration

I, **Ravindra Singh**, declare that the internship project report titled "E-Commerce Data Analysis and Sales Prediction using Machine Learning" is an original piece of work completed by me during my internship at **YBI Foundation**.

The data analysis, visualizations, and machine learning models presented in this project have been implemented by me using Python and related tools. To the best of my knowledge, this project does not contain any material that has been published or submitted for any degree, diploma, or certificate elsewhere.

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Introduction to Machine Learning

Machine Learning (ML) is a branch of Artificial Intelligence (AI) that enables computer systems to learn patterns from data and make decisions or predictions without being explicitly programmed. Instead of following fixed rules, machine learning models improve automatically through experience and exposure to more data.

In the modern digital world, a massive amount of data is generated every second. Machine Learning provides powerful techniques to analyse this data, uncover hidden patterns, and generate useful insights. It plays a key role in various fields such as e-commerce, healthcare, banking, manufacturing, and social media.

There are mainly three types of machine learning:

- 1. **Supervised Learning** The model learns from labeled data to make predictions (e.g., sales forecasting, spam detection).
- 2. **Unsupervised Learning** The model finds hidden structures or groups in unlabeled data (e.g., customer segmentation).
- 3. **Reinforcement Learning** The model learns by interacting with an environment and receiving rewards or penalties (e.g., robotics, gaming).

In this project, we apply **Supervised Learning** techniques to analyze e-commerce sales data and build predictive models. By using regression algorithms, we aim to predict sales amounts and identify key factors affecting customer purchases.

Conclusion

This project "E-Commerce Data Analysis and Sales Prediction using Machine Learning" helped in understanding customer purchase behavior, sales trends, and payment preferences. Through Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA), we identified the most profitable categories, top-performing regions, and customer payment patterns.

Further, Machine Learning models such as Linear Regression, Decision Tree, and Random Forest were applied to predict sales (total_price). The models were evaluated using performance metrics like MAE, RMSE, and R² score. Among them, Random Forest performed better in terms of accuracy and prediction capability.

Overall, this project enhanced my skills in Python programming, data handling, visualization, and machine learning. It provided practical exposure to how businesses can use data-driven insights to improve sales strategies and customer satisfaction.

Future Scope

- Advanced Models: More advanced machine learning techniques like XGBoost, LightGBM, or Deep Learning models can be applied for better predictions.
- **Recommendation System:** A recommendation engine can be built to suggest products to customers based on past purchases.
- **Real-Time Analysis:** Live dashboards using tools like Power BI or Tableau can be created for real-time e-commerce monitoring.
- **Customer Segmentation:** Unsupervised learning methods (e.g., clustering) can be applied to group customers by behavior and design personalized marketing strategies.
- **Scalability:** The project can be expanded to larger datasets and integrated with cloud platforms for big data handling.

1. Problem Statement

E-commerce businesses generate a large amount of sales and customer data every day. It is important to analyze this data to understand customer behavior, popular products, regional demand, and payment preferences. The main problem is how to use this data effectively to predict sales and support better decision-making.

2. Dataset Description

Dataset source -

https://github.com/YBIFoundation/Pandas/raw/refs/heads/main/EcommerceEDA.csv

The dataset contains order-level details from an e-commerce platform. It includes customer information, product categories, sales transactions, and payment methods.

Dataset variables

- order_id Unique order identification
- customer_id Unique customer identification
- order_date Date of order placed
- category Product category
- product Product name
- price Price per unit
- quantity Number of items purchased
- total_price Total sales amount (price × quantity)
- state State of the customer
- region Regional location (North, South, East, West)
- payment_method Mode of payment (e.g., COD, UPI, Credit Card)

3. Objective

- To clean and prepare the dataset for analysis.
- To explore the data and identify important patterns.
- To analyze sales by product, category, state, region, and payment method.
- To build a machine learning model that predicts sales (total_price).
- To provide insights for business growth and customer satisfaction.

4. Methodology

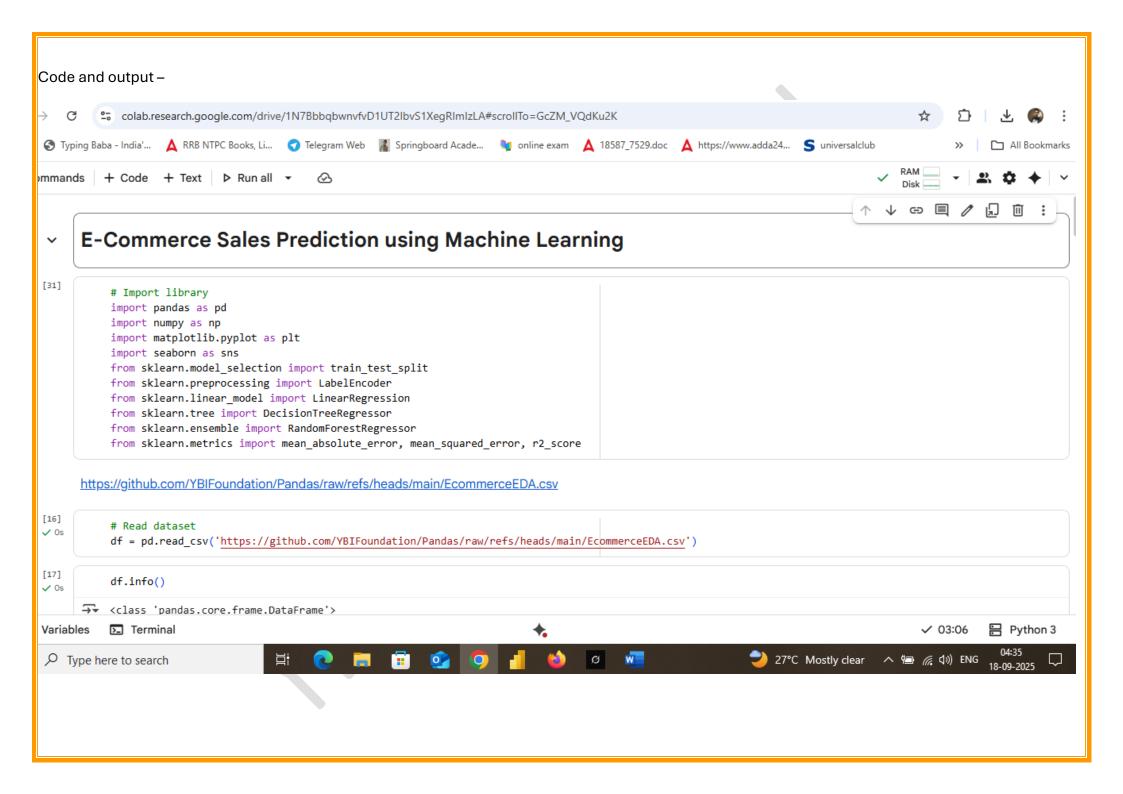
- 1. **Data Preprocessing** Handle missing values, encode categorical features, and prepare the dataset.
- 2. **Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)** Use charts and graphs to understand customer and sales behavior.
- 3. **Feature Engineering** Create new features to improve prediction.
- 4. **Model Development** Apply regression models such as Linear Regression, Decision Tree, and Random Forest.
- 5. **Model Evaluation** Compare model performance using MAE, RMSE, and R² Score.
- 6. **Visualization** Present insights with bar charts, heatmaps, and maps.

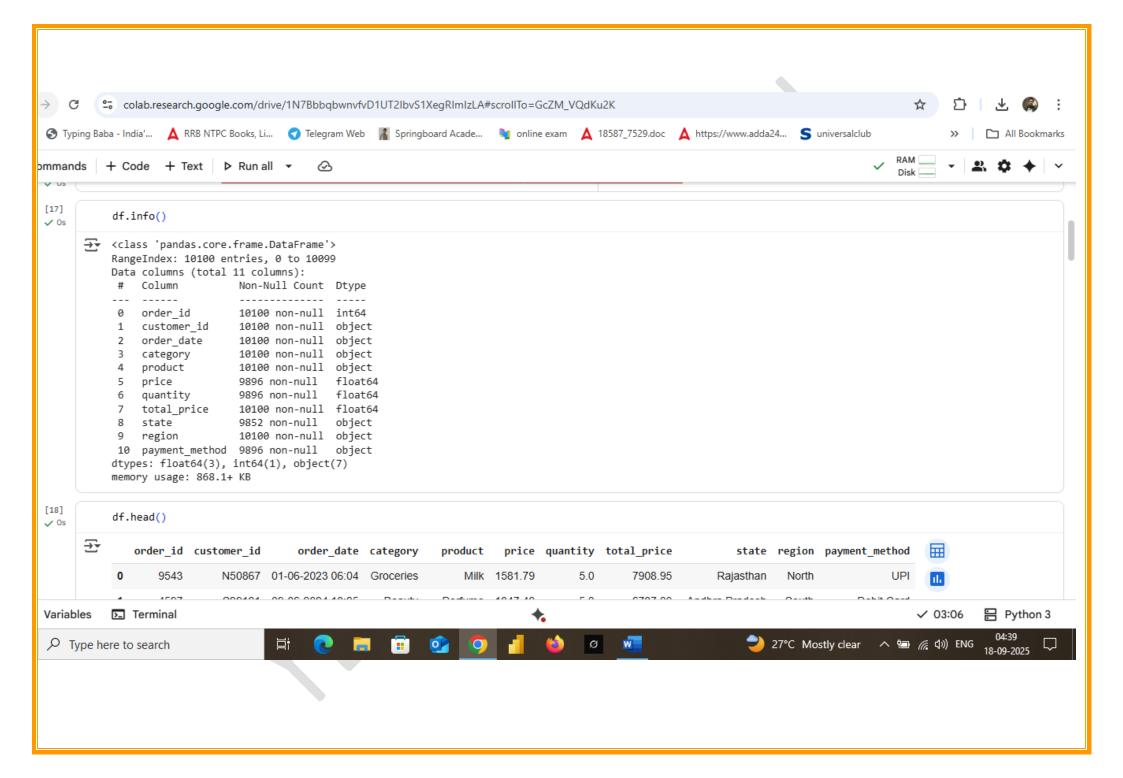
5. Tools and Libraries

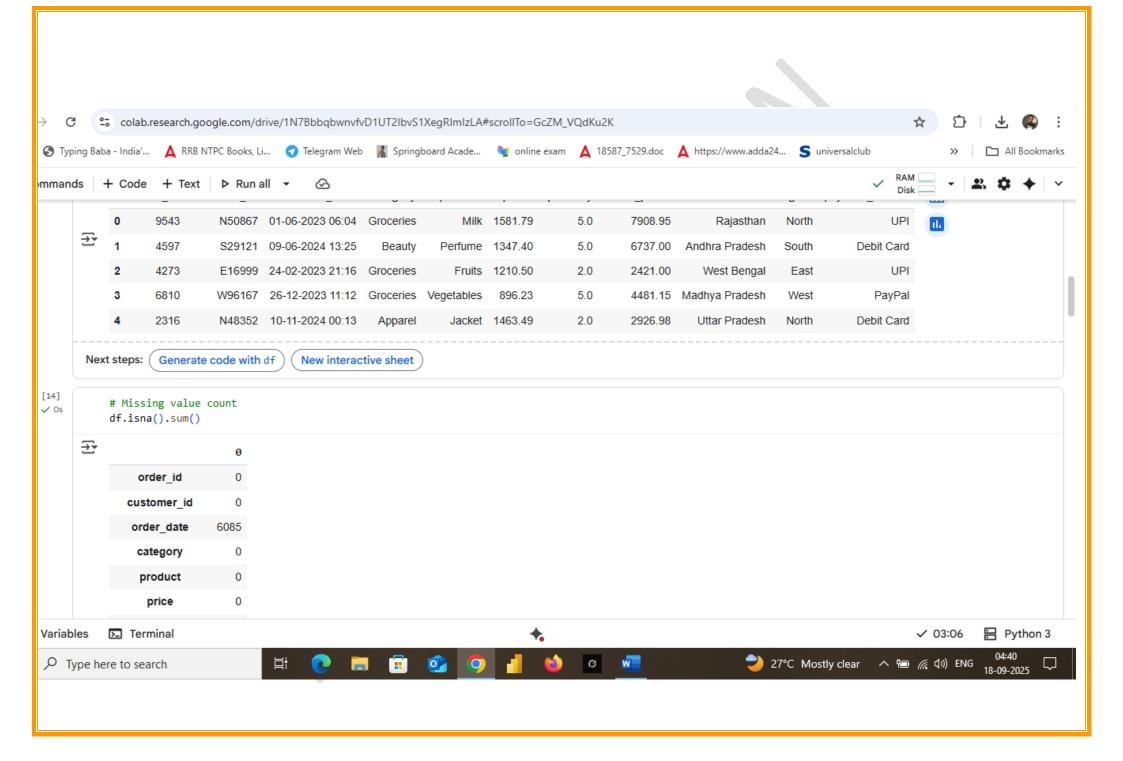
- Python
- Pandas, NumPy Data manipulation and analysis
- Matplotlib, Seaborn Visualization
- Scikit-learn Machine learning algorithms

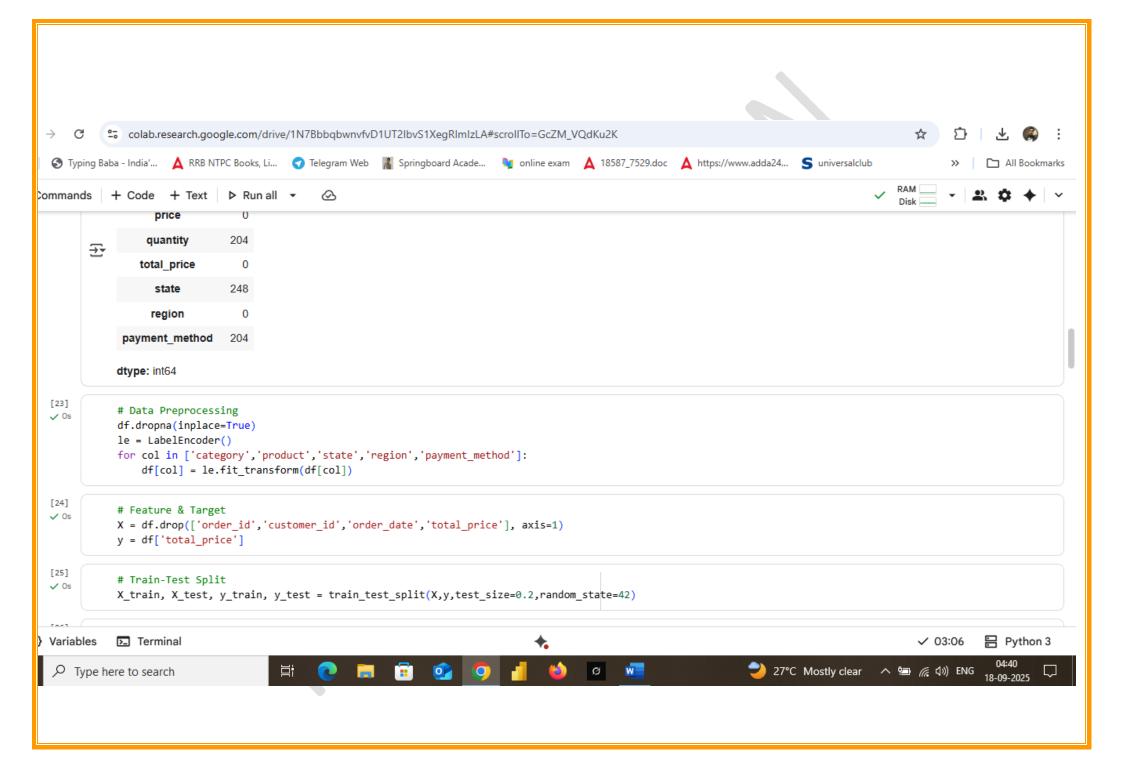
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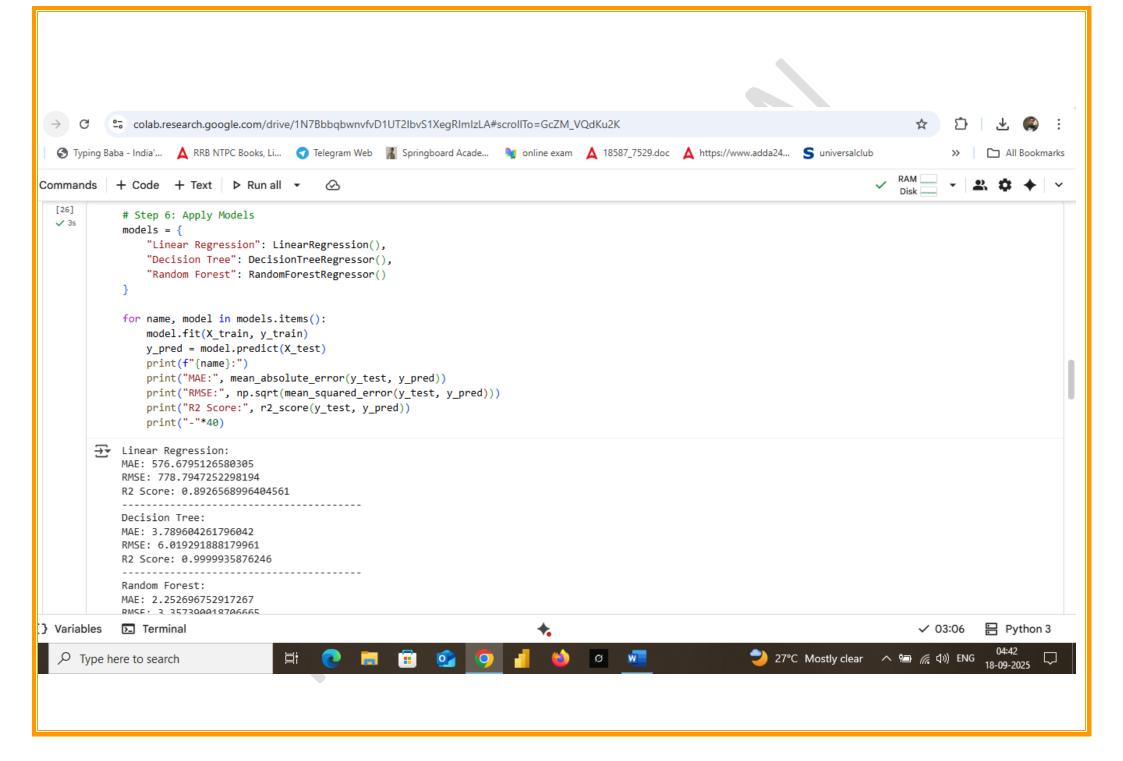
- A clear understanding of e-commerce sales patterns and customer behavior.
- Identification of the most important features influencing sales.
- A machine learning model capable of predicting sales accurately.
- Visual insights through bar charts, heatmaps, and geographical maps.
- Actionable recommendations for business growth and decision-making.

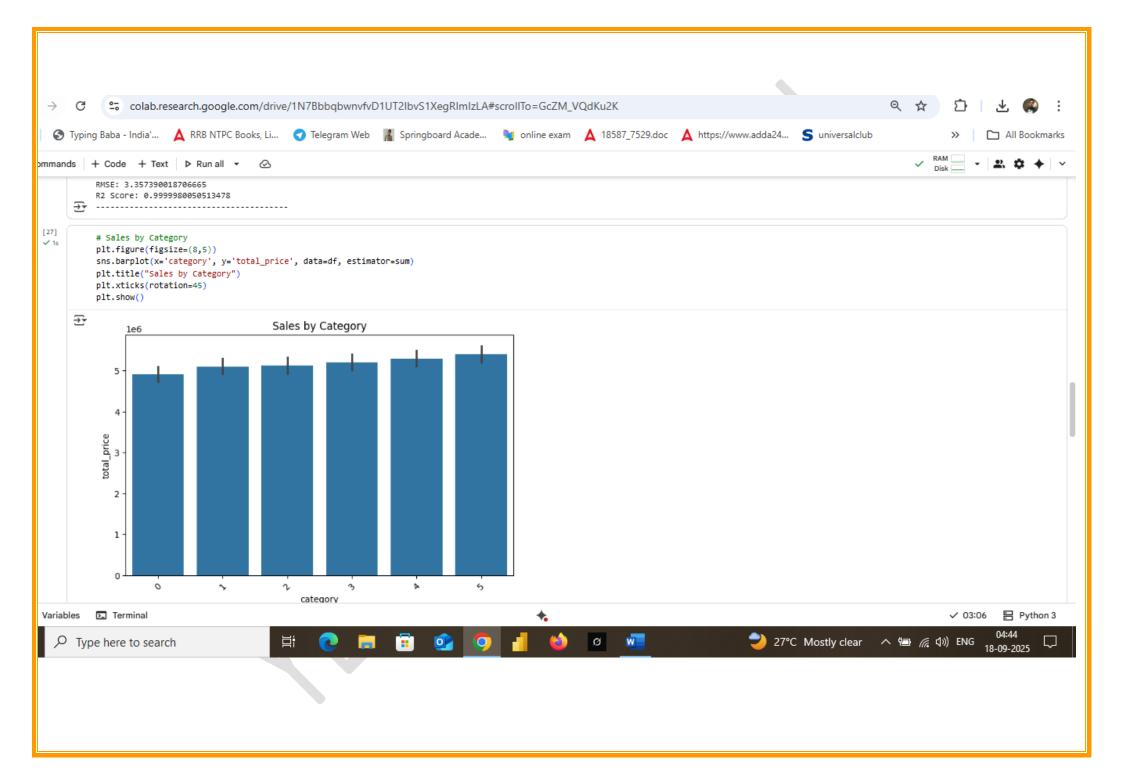


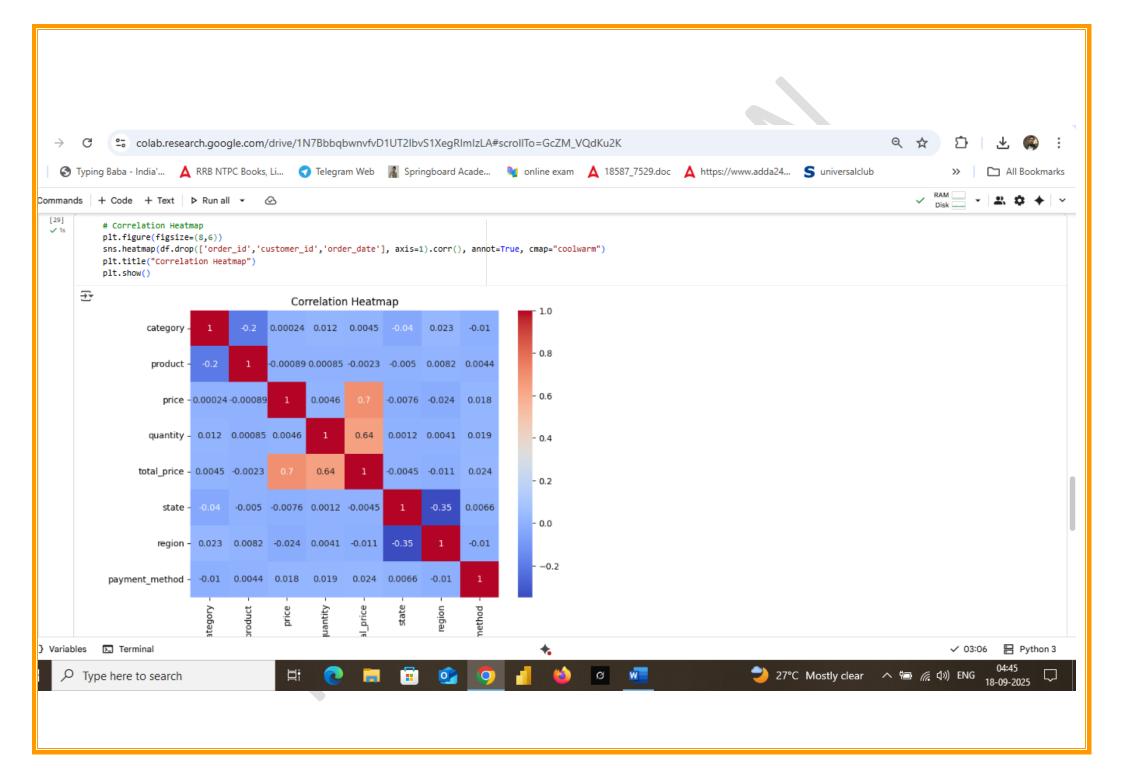


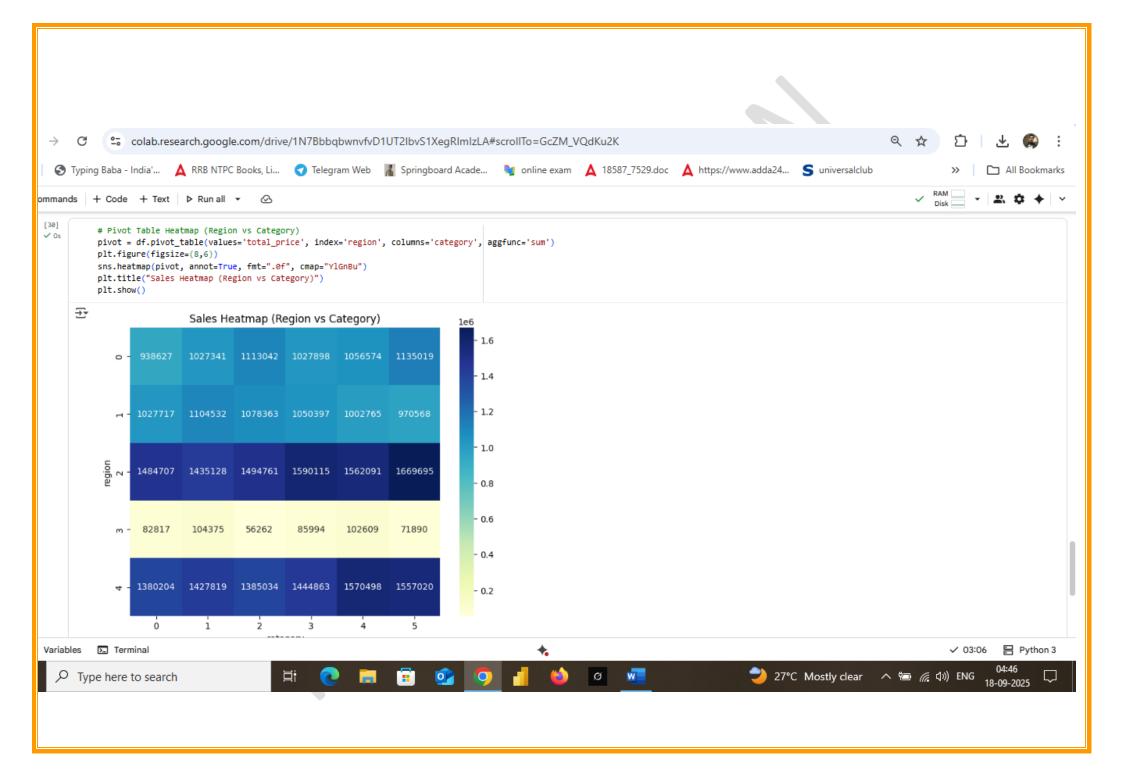












Link to this project – Github Link: - https://github.com/Girwarbanna/ybi-foundation-ml-project/blob/main/E-Commerce%20Sales%20Prediction%20using%20Machine%20Learning.ipynb Colab Link: - https://colab.research.google.com/drive/1N7BbbqbwnvfvD1UT2IbvS1XegRImIzLA