## **Advanced Data Visualization**

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#### Aim:

Using DAX queries create Interactive Dashboard for Marinelife /wildlife dataset

#### Dataset:

https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/anoopjohny/shark-attack-dataset-california?select=Shark+Attacks+-+Sheet1.csv

The dataset "Shark Attacks - Sheet1.csv" includes records of shark attacks with details about the incidents, injuries, and shark species. Here's an overview:

- IncidentNum: Unique identifier for each incident.
- Date: Date of the shark attack.
- County: The county where the attack occurred.
- Location: Specific location of the incident.
- **Mode**: The activity the person was engaged in (e.g., Swimming, Surfing).
- **Injury**: Type of injury (e.g., major, minor, fatal).
- **InjuryT**: A more specific description of the injury outcome (e.g., Non-fatal Injury, Fatality).
- **Depth**: The water depth where the incident occurred (most are surface-level).
- **Species**: Type of shark involved (e.g., White Shark).
- **Comment**: Descriptive notes about the attack, often including details about the shark's behavior.
- Longitude/Latitude: Coordinates of the attack location.
- **Confirmed**: Source of information, indicating whether the attack has been confirmed.
- Source: The reference source for the data.

## **Key Insights:**

- 1. Common Shark Species:
  - The White Shark is by far the most frequent species involved in these attacks (177 out of 202 incidents).
- 2. Activity Mode:

- The majority of attacks occurred while victims were engaging in Surfing/Boarding (80 incidents).
- o Other activities include Swimming and Freediving.

## 3. Injury Severity:

- Most recorded injuries were non-fatal, with 108 incidents categorized as Nonfatal Injury.
- o Fatalities are rare, with only a small number of incidents marked as Fatal.

#### 4. Location Concentration:

- A significant number of incidents (23) occurred in San Diego County, making it a hotspot for shark attacks.
- The most common specific location was **Salmon Creek Beach**, with 9 incidents recorded there.

### 5. **Geographical Spread**:

• The dataset includes longitude and latitude coordinates, with attack locations ranging between coordinates like:

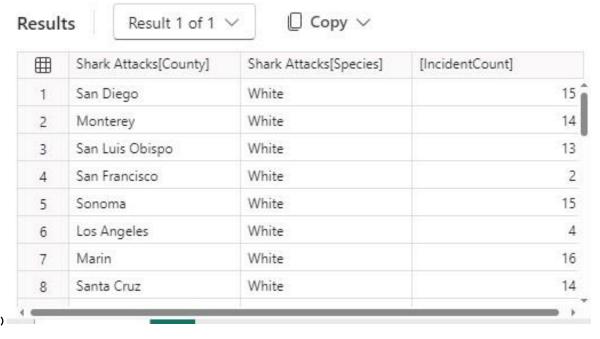
■ Longitude: -124.72 to -117.14

■ Latitude: 32.58 to 41.56

This dataset provides a detailed look into shark attack incidents, including geographic distribution and activity patterns, helping identify trends related to shark species, injury severity, and attack hotspots.

## Q1. .What are the population distributions of various species across different regions?

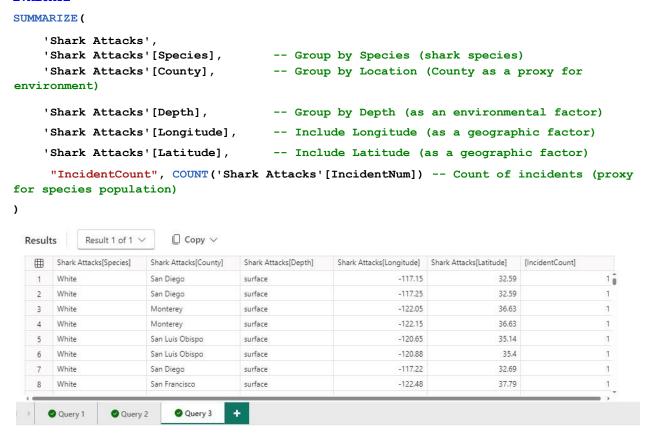
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SUMMARIZE(
    'Shark Attacks',
    'Shark Attacks'[County], -- Group by Region (County in this case)
    'Shark Attacks'[Species], -- Group by Species
    "IncidentCount", COUNT('Shark Attacks'[IncidentNum]) -- Count number of incidents
(population proxy)
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# Q2. How has the population of specific species changed over time? EVALUATE

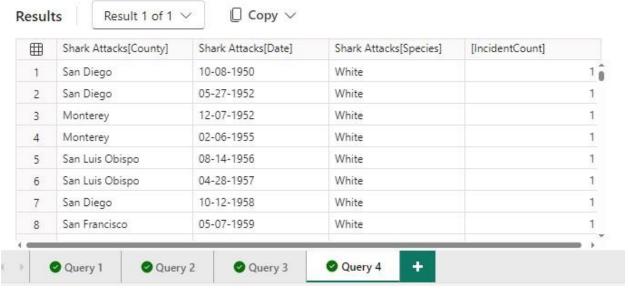
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SUMMARIZE (
    'Shark Attacks',
    'Shark Attacks'[Species],
                                        -- Group by Species
    'Shark Attacks'[Date],
                                -- Group by Year (extracted from Date column)
    "IncidentCount", COUNT('Shark Attacks'[IncidentNum]) -- Count of incidents (as a
proxy for population change)
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          Shark Attacks[Species]
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# Q3.Are there any correlations between environmental factors and species population?



# Q4. What are the trends in animal sightings and marine life in various geographic areas?

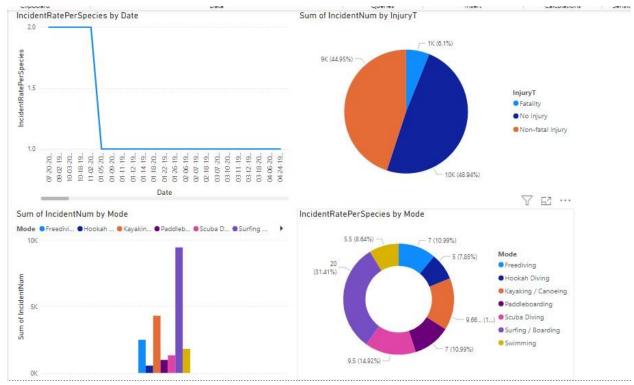
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SUMMARIZE(
    'Shark Attacks',
    'Shark Attacks'[County], -- Group by geographic area (County as a proxy for
geographic region)
    'Shark Attacks'[Date], -- Group by Year (extracted from Date to observe trends
over time)
    'Shark Attacks'[Species], -- Group by Species (shark species)
    "IncidentCount", COUNT('Shark Attacks'[IncidentNum]) -- Count of incidents (proxy
for sightings)
)
```



## Q5. Are there any significant outliers or anomalies in species population data?

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FILTER (
    ADDCOLUMNS (
        'Shark Attacks',
        "MeanIncidentCount", CALCULATE (AVERAGE ('Shark Attacks' [IncidentNum]),
ALLEXCEPT('Shark Attacks', 'Shark Attacks'[Species])),
        "StdDevIncidentCount", CALCULATE(STDEV.P('Shark Attacks'[IncidentNum]),
ALLEXCEPT('Shark Attacks', 'Shark Attacks'[Species])),
        "UpperThreshold", CALCULATE (AVERAGE ('Shark Attacks' [IncidentNum]),
ALLEXCEPT('Shark Attacks', 'Shark Attacks'[Species])) +
                         2 * CALCULATE(STDEV.P('Shark Attacks'[IncidentNum]),
ALLEXCEPT('Shark Attacks', 'Shark Attacks'[Species])),
        "LowerThreshold", CALCULATE (AVERAGE ('Shark Attacks' [IncidentNum]),
ALLEXCEPT('Shark Attacks', 'Shark Attacks'[Species])) -
                         2 * CALCULATE(STDEV.P('Shark Attacks'[IncidentNum]),
ALLEXCEPT('Shark Attacks', 'Shark Attacks'[Species]))
    ),
    'Shark Attacks' [IncidentNum] > [UpperThreshold] || 'Shark Attacks' [IncidentNum] <
[LowerThreshold]
```

DASHBOARD



#### Conclusion:

The experiment on creating an interactive dashboard using DAX queries for the Shark Attack dataset provided valuable insights into shark attack patterns and trends. By analyzing factors such as species distribution, geographic concentration, and injury severity, the dashboard effectively visualized key aspects of marine life incidents. The queries revealed significant findings, such as the prevalence of White Shark attacks, the dominance of surfing-related incidents, and geographical hotspots like San Diego County. These visualizations facilitate better understanding of species trends and population dynamics over time, providing a useful tool for both ecological study and public safety efforts.