Coding Challenge: Relationship Analysis

Domain: E-Commerce Sales Data

You need to connect multiple datasets, build correct relationships between them, and create meaningful dashboards to analyze customer, product, and sales performance.

Datasets

Customers Table

- CustomerID
- CustomerName
- Gender
- AgeGroup
- Location (City/State)

2. Products Table

- ProductID
- o ProductName
- Category
- SubCategory
- o Price

3. Orders Table

- OrderID
- OrderDate
- CustomerID (Foreign Key → Customers)
- ProductID (Foreign Key → Products)
- Quantity
- TotalAmount

4. **Returns Table** (optional to make it harder)

ReturnID

- OrderID (Foreign Key → Orders)
- ReturnReason

Tasks

1. Import & Model Data

- Load all tables into Power BI.
- Define correct relationships:
 - Customers ↔ Orders (CustomerID)
 - Products ↔ Orders (ProductID)
 - Orders ↔ Returns (OrderID).
- o Ensure 1-to-Many and Many-to-1 relationships are properly set.

2. Data Cleaning/Transformations

- Check for missing values (like no return reason).
- Create calculated columns:
 - Profit = TotalAmount (Price × Quantity)
 - OrderMonth = MONTH(OrderDate)

3. Analysis & Visualizations

You should create a dashboard answering:

- o Which customer segment (AgeGroup/Gender) spends the most?
- o What is the relationship between product category and total revenue?
- o Which cities generate the highest sales?
- How do returns affect sales performance?
- o Which products are frequently returned?

4. Advanced Challenge

- \circ Create a hierarchical relationship (Category \rightarrow SubCategory \rightarrow Product).
- Use DAX to calculate **Customer Lifetime Value (CLV)**.
- Create a relationship diagram screenshot to prove they built the model correctly.

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