

The dataset you'll use is an ecommerce dataset that has millions of Google Analytics records from the Google Merchandise Store. You will explore the available fields and row for insights. This lab focuses on how to create new reporting tables using SQL JOINS and UNIONS.

Task 1. The BigQuery console Open the BigQuery console.

1. In the Google Cloud Console, select **Navigation menu > BigQuery**.

The **Welcome to BigQuery in the Cloud Console** message box opens. This message box provides a link to the quickstart guide and the release notes.

2. Click **Done**.

The BigQuery console opens.

Task 2. Create a new dataset to store your tables

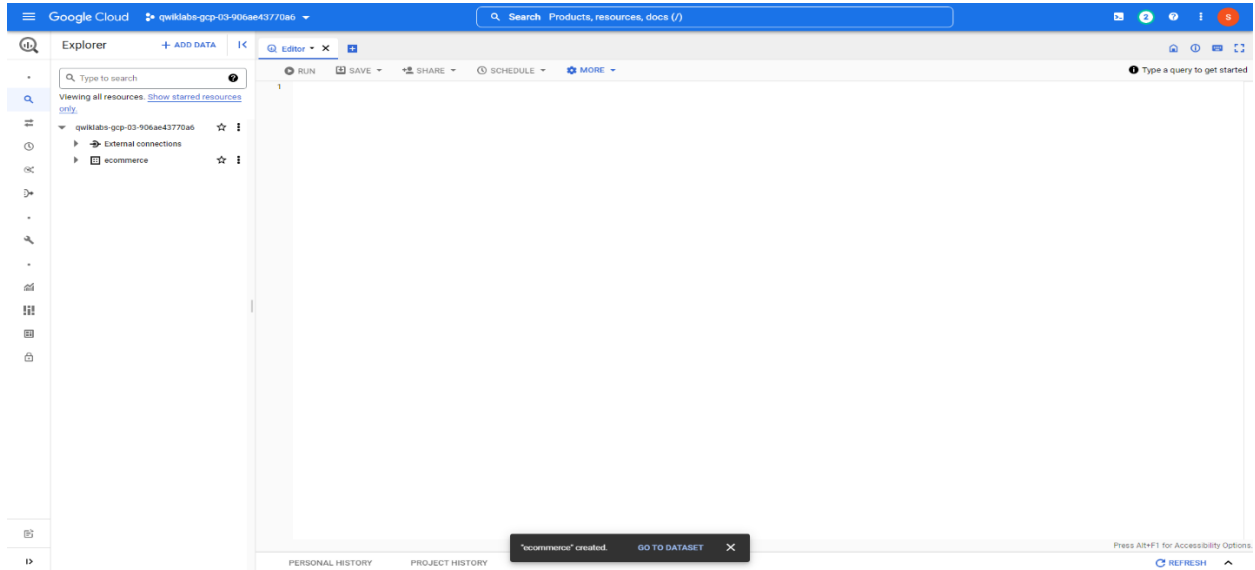
First, create a new dataset titled **ecommerce** in BigQuery.

1. In the left pane, click on the name of your BigQuery project (qwiklabs-gcp-xxxx).
2. Click on the three dots next to your project name, then select **CREATE DATASET**.

The **Create dataset** dialog opens.

3. Set the *Dataset ID* to **ecommerce**, leave all other options at their default values. Click **Create dataset**.

Solution:

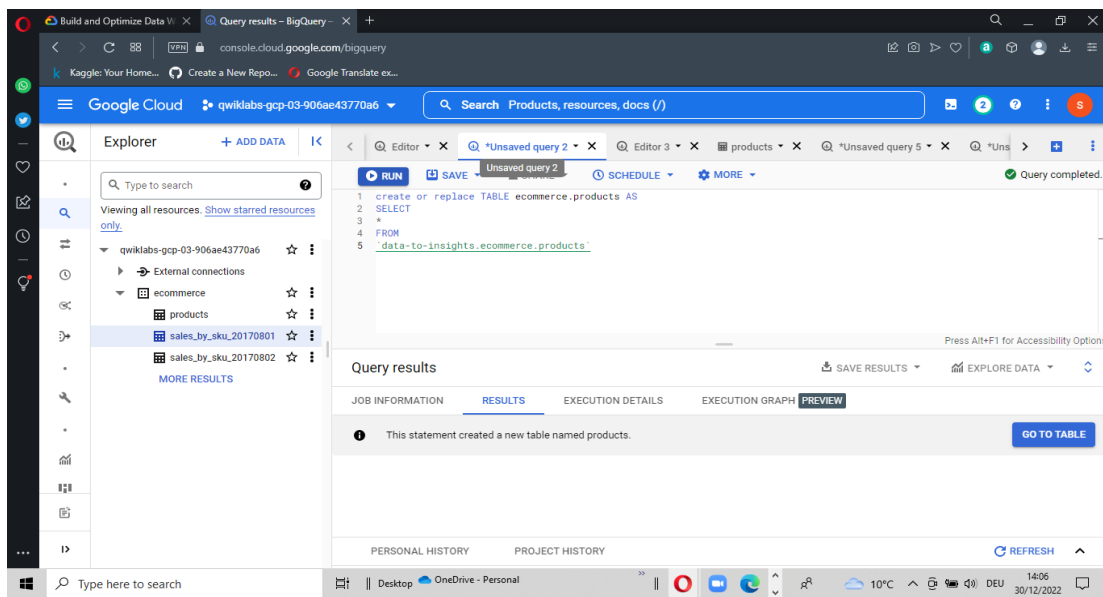


Task 3. Explore the product sentiment dataset

Your data science team has run all of your product reviews through the API and provided you with the average sentiment score and magnitude for each of your products.

1. First, create a copy the table that the data science team made so you can read it:

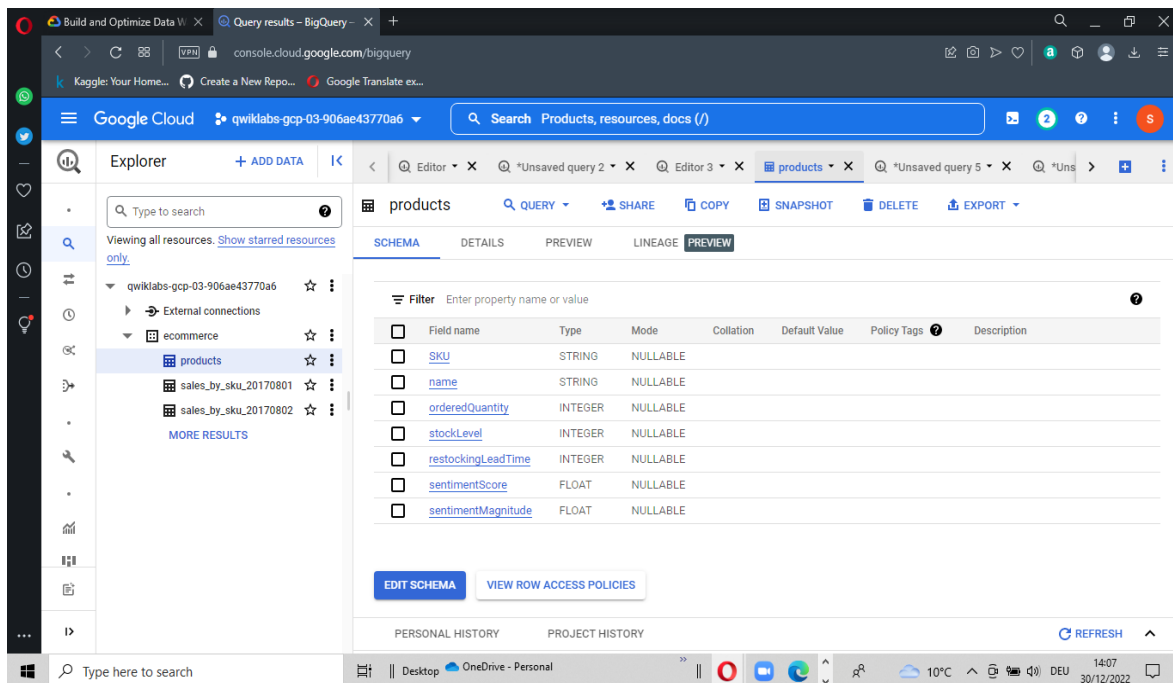
Solution:



Task 4. Examine the data

1. Navigate to the **ecommerce > products** dataset and click the **Schema** tab to see the data.
What data type are the `sentimentScore` and `sentimentMagnitude` fields?

Solution:



Create a query that shows the top 5 products with the most positive sentiment

1. In the **Query Editor**, write your SQL query.

Solution:

The screenshot shows the Google Cloud BigQuery console. The Explorer on the left lists the project `qwklabs-gcp-03-906ae43770a6` and the dataset `ecommerce` with tables `products`, `sales_by_sku_20170801`, and `sales_by_sku_20170802`. The query editor shows the following SQL:

```
1 SELECT
2   SKU,
3   name,
4   sentimentScore,
5   sentimentMagnitude
6 FROM
7   `data-to-insights.ecommerce.products`
8 ORDER BY
9   sentimentScore DESC
10 LIMIT 5
```

The query results table is displayed below:

Row	SKU	name	sentimentScore	sentimentMagni
1	GG0BJGOWUSG69402	USB wired soundbar - in store o...	1.0	1.0
2	GG0EG0AR013099	Stylus Pen w/ LED Light	0.9	1.4
3	GG0EGADJ056816	Men's Watershed Full Zip Hoo...	0.9	1.4
4	GG0EG0AB021499	Metal Texture Roller Pen	0.9	1.4
5	GG0EGVB070599	0 Noise-reducing Bluetooth He...	0.9	0.5

2. Revise your query to show the top 5 products with the most negative sentiment and filter out NULL values.

Solution:

The screenshot shows the Google Cloud BigQuery console with the query editor updated to filter out NULL values and sort by negative sentiment score:

```
1 SELECT
2   SKU,
3   name,
4   sentimentScore,
5   sentimentMagnitude
6 FROM
7   `data-to-insights.ecommerce.products`
8 WHERE sentimentScore IS NOT NULL
9 ORDER BY
10  sentimentScore
11 LIMIT 5
```

The query results table is displayed below:

Row	SKU	name	sentimentScore	sentimentMagni
1	GG0EGAA0098	7" Dog Frisbee	-0.6	0.2
2	GG0EGAA0607	Women's Convertible Vest-Jac...	-0.5	1.8
3	GG0EGAA0344	Women's Vintage Hero Tee Pla...	-0.5	1.1
4	GG0EGAA0351	Men's Vintage Henley	-0.5	1.4
5	GG0EGAA0595	Men's Microfiber 1/4 Zip Pullo...	-0.5	0.6

Task 5. Join datasets to find insights

Scenario It's the first of the month and your inventory team has informed you that the `orderedQuantity` field in the product inventory dataset is out of date. They need your help to query the total sales by product for 08/01/2017 and reference that against the current stock levels in inventory to see which products need to be resupplied first. Calculate daily sales volume by productSKU

1. Create a new table in your **ecommerce** dataset with the below requirements:

- Title it sales_by_sku_20170801
- Source the data from data-to-insights.ecommerce.all_sessions_raw
- Include only distinct results
- Return productSKU
- Return the total quantity ordered (productQuantity). Hint: Use a SUM() with a IFNULL condition
- Filter for only sales on 20170801
- ORDER BY the SKUs with the most orders first

solution:

The screenshot shows the Google Cloud BigQuery console interface. On the left, the 'Explorer' pane displays the project hierarchy: 'qwiklabs-gcp-03-906ae43770a6' > 'ecommerce' > 'products'. The main editor shows a SQL query:

```
1 # pull what sold on 08/01/2017
2 CREATE OR REPLACE TABLE ecommerce.sales_by_sku_20170801 AS
3 SELECT DISTINCT
4   productSKU,
5   SUM(IFNULL(productQuantity,0)) AS total_ordered
6 FROM
7   `data-to-insights.ecommerce.all_sessions_raw`
8 WHERE date = '20170801'
9 GROUP BY productSKU
10 ORDER BY total_ordered DESC #462 skus sold
```

Below the query editor, the 'Query results' section is visible, showing a message: 'This statement created a new table named sales_by_sku_20170801.' with a 'GO TO TABLE' button. The bottom of the console shows the Windows taskbar with the date 30/12/2022 and time 14:07.

Next, enrich your sales data with product inventory information by joining the two datasets.

Join sales data and inventory data

1. Using a JOIN, enrich the website ecommerce data with the following fields from the product inventory dataset:
 - name
 - stockLevel
 - restockingLeadTime
 - sentimentScore
 - sentimentMagnitude

Solution:

The screenshot shows the Google Cloud BigQuery console. The query editor contains the following SQL:

```
1 SELECT DISTINCT
2   website.productSKU,
3   website.total_ordered,
4   inventory.name,
5   inventory.stockLevel,
6   inventory.restockingLeadTime,
7   inventory.sentimentScore,
8   inventory.sentimentMagnitude
9 FROM
10  ecommerce.sales_by_sku_20170801 AS website
11 LEFT JOIN `data-to-insights.ecommerce.products` AS inventory
```

The query results are displayed in a table with the following columns: productSKU, total_ordered, name, stockLevel, restockingLeadTime, sentimentScore, and sentimentMagnitude. The results show 4 rows of data.

Row	productSKU	total_ordered	name	stockLevel	restockingLeadTime	sentimentScore	sentimentMagnitude
1	GGOEGQAQ012899	456	Ballpoint LED Light Pen	2098	11	0.4	0.7
2	GGOEGDHC074099	334	17oz Stainless Steel Sport Bot...	1390	13	0.8	1.3
3	GGOEGOCB017499	319	Leatherette Journal	4978	36	0.5	0.9
4	GGOEGQAQ012899	456	Ballpoint LED Light Pen	2098	11	0.4	0.7

2. Modify the query you wrote to now include:

- A calculated field of (total_ordered / stockLevel) and alias it "ratio". **Hint:** Use SAFE_DIVIDE(field1,field2) to avoid divide by 0 errors when the stock level is 0.
- Filter the results to only include products that have gone through 50% or more of their inventory already at the beginning of the month.

Solution:

The screenshot shows the Google Cloud BigQuery console with a modified query. The query editor contains the following SQL:

```
1 # calculate ratio and filter
2 SELECT DISTINCT
3   website.productSKU,
4   website.total_ordered,
5   inventory.name,
6   inventory.stockLevel,
7   inventory.restockingLeadTime,
8   inventory.sentimentScore,
9   inventory.sentimentMagnitude,
10  SAFE_DIVIDE(website.total_ordered, inventory.stockLevel) AS ratio
11 FROM
12  ecommerce.sales_by_sku_20170801 AS website
```

The query results are displayed in a table with the following columns: productSKU, total_ordered, name, stockLevel, restockingLeadTime, sentimentScore, sentimentMagnitude, and ratio. The results show 4 rows of data.

Row	productSKU	total_ordered	name	stockLevel	restockingLeadTime	sentimentScore	sentimentMagnitude	ratio
1	GGOEGOCB078299	250	Leather Journal-Black	354	10	0.5	0.8	0.706
2	GGOEAHH073999	167	Android 17oz Stainless Steel S...	283	8	0.3	0.5	0.590
3	GGOEYAAJ033014	30	Men's Long & Lean Tee Charco...	42	11	0.4	0.6	0.714
4	GGOEGQAQ012899	456	Ballpoint LED Light Pen	2098	11	0.4	0.7	0.218

Task 6. Append additional records

Your international team has already made in-store sales on 08/02/2017 which you want to record in your daily sales tables. Create a new empty table to store sales by productSKU for 08/02/2017

- For the schema, specify the following fields:
 - table name is ecommerce.sales_by_sku_20170802
 - productSKU STRING
 - total_ordered as an INT64 field

Solution:

The screenshot shows the Google Cloud BigQuery console. In the Explorer on the left, the project 'qwiklabs-gcp-03-906ae43770a6' is selected, and the 'ecommerce' dataset is expanded, showing 'products' and 'sales_by_sku_20170801'. The main editor shows a SQL query to create a new table:

```
1 CREATE OR REPLACE TABLE ecommerce.sales_by_sku_20170802
2 (
3   productSKU STRING,
4   total_ordered INT64
5 );
```

The 'Query results' section shows a message: 'This statement created a new table named sales_by_sku_20170802.' with a 'GO TO TABLE' button.

- Insert the sales record provided to you by your sales team:

Solution:

The screenshot shows the Google Cloud BigQuery console with the same project and dataset. The SQL query editor now contains an INSERT statement:

```
1 INSERT INTO ecommerce.sales_by_sku_20170802
2 (productSKU, total_ordered)
3 VALUES('GGDEGHPA862918', 161);
```

The 'Query results' section shows a message: 'This statement added 1 row to sales_by_sku_20170802.' with a 'GO TO TABLE' button.

Append together historical data:

There are multiple ways to append together data that has the same schema. Two common ways are using UNIONS and table wildcards.

- **Union** is an SQL operator that appends together rows from different result sets.
 - **Table wildcards** enable you to query multiple tables using concise SQL statements. Wildcard tables are available only in standard SQL.
1. **Write a UNION query that will result in all records from the below two tables:**
 - ecommerce.sales_by_sku_20170801
 - ecommerce.sales_by_sku_20170802

Solution:

The screenshot shows the Google Cloud BigQuery console. The Explorer on the left lists the project 'qwklabs-gcp-03-906ae43770a6' and its datasets: 'ecommerce' (containing 'products') and 'sales_by_sku_20170801' and 'sales_by_sku_20170802'. The query editor shows the following SQL:

```
1 SELECT * FROM ecommerce.sales_by_sku_20170801
2 UNION ALL
3 SELECT * FROM ecommerce.sales_by_sku_20170802
```

The query results are displayed in a table with 4 rows and 2 columns: 'productSKU' and 'totalOrdered'.

Row	productSKU	totalOrdered
1	GGOEGQA0012899	456
2	GGOEGDHC074099	334
3	GGOEGOCB017499	319
4	GGOEGOCC077999	290

What is a pitfall of having many daily sales tables? You will have to write many UNION statements chained together. A better solution is to use the table wildcard filter and `_TABLE_SUFFIX` filter.

2. **Write a query that uses the (*) table wildcard to select all records from ecommerce.sales_by_sku_ for the year 2017.**

Solution:

The screenshot shows the Google Cloud BigQuery console. The Explorer on the left is the same as in the previous screenshot. The query editor shows the following SQL:

```
1 SELECT * FROM `ecommerce.sales_by_sku_2017*`
2 WHERE _TABLE_SUFFIX = '0802'
```

The query results are displayed in a table with 1 row and 2 columns: 'productSKU' and 'totalOrdered'.

Row	productSKU	totalOrdered
1	GGOEGHPA002910	101