SALES DATA ANALYSIS

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OBJECTIVE

• To contribute the success of a business by utilizing data analysis techniques, specifically focusing on Profitability Analysis and Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) to provide valuable insights and accurate sales forecasting.

DESCRIPTION

The objective can be broken down into the following detailed components:

- I. Data Analysis: Provide valuable insights to business entities regarding the effectiveness of their sales strategies through visualization and charts.
- 2. Dashboard Creation: Identify the KPIs, design an intuitive and visually appealing dashboard, add interactive visualizations and filtering capabilities to allow users to explore the data at various levels of granularity.
- 3. Actionable Insights and recommendations: End goal is to share valuable insights and actionable information that can drive strategic decision making and support the company's goal for growth, efficiency and customer satisfaction.

OVERVIEW OF THE DATASET

1	<u>Date</u>	Vch/Bill No	<u>Particulars</u>	Item Details	Qty. Unit	<u>Price</u>	Amount
2	01-08-2023	1691	Cash	PUTTY J K 20KG	6.00 Pcs.	380.00	2280.00
3	01-08-2023			TARPIN 1LT	3.00 Pcs.	130.00	390.00
4	01-08-2023			DHOTI	4.00 Pcs.	20.00	80.00
5	01-08-2023			ROLLER FOAM ASIAN 6"	3.00 Pcs.	50.00	150.00
6	01-08-2023			MACHINE COLOURENT	0.10 LT	1000.00	100.00
7	01-08-2023			MASKIN TAPE ASIAN 1"	1.00 Pcs.	30.00	30.00
8	01-08-2023	1692	Cash	CEMENT LOOSE	2.00 Kgs.	15.00	30.00
9	01-08-2023			MACHINE COLOUR 1LT FAST YELLOW	1.00 Pcs.	0.00	0.00
10	01-08-2023			MACHINE COLOUR 1LT HTYELLOW	1.00 Pcs.	0.00	0.00
11	01-08-2023			SUPERLITE METAL PRIMER 500ML	1.00 Pcs.	90.00	90.00
12	01-08-2023			L50M LOCK 50MM MALHOLVA	1.00 Pcs.	60.00	60.00
13	01-08-2023			STEELGRIP TAPE	1.00 Pcs.	15.00	15.00
14	01-08-2023			REGMARG CLOTH ROLL 80	0.50 Metre	60.00	30.00
15	01-08-2023	1693	Cash	APCO STAINER YELLOW GREEN 200ML	2.00 Pcs.	160.00	320.00

TECHNOLOGIES AND TOOLS USED:

Microsoft Excel:

• Utilized Microsoft Excel for initial data exploration, importing, and basic data manipulation.

Python for Data Analysis:

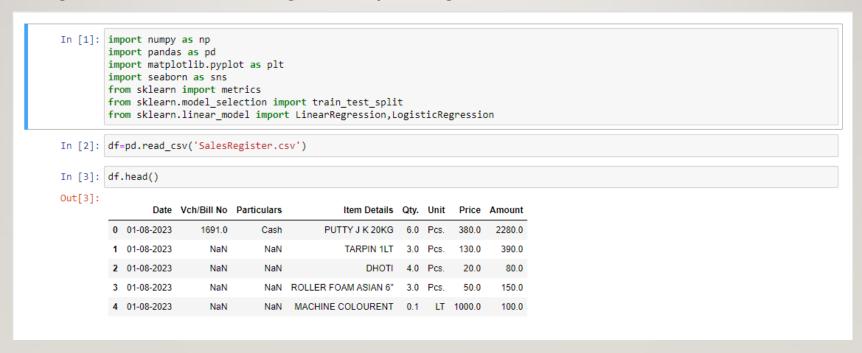
- Employed Python, along with libraries such as Pandas, NumPy, and Matplotlib, for in-depth data analysis and manipulation.
- Conducted Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) using Jupyter Notebook for data visualization and statistical analysis.
- Executed data preprocessing tasks, including handling missing values.
- Applied machine learning algorithms for predictive analysis and insights generation.

Power BI for Visualization:

- Leveraged Power BI for advanced data visualization and interactive dashboards.
- Created visually appealing charts, graphs, and reports to present key findings and insights.
- Enabled stakeholders to interact with the data and explore it dynamically.

DATA PREPARATION

Importing Libraries and making and importing csv file.



DATA PRE-PROCESSING

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Data Cleaning
In [4]: #dropping unnecessary columns
        c=['Vch/Bill No', 'Particulars']
        df=df.drop(columns=c, axis=1)
In [5]: df.tail(10)
Out[5]:
                  Date
                              Item Details Qty. Unit Price Amount
         2044 30-08-2023
                                         1.0 Pcs. 380.00
                                                           380.0
         2045 30-08-2023
                                    RET 0.3 Pcs. 333.33
                                                           100.0
         2046 30-08-2023 CEMENT J K L PRO + 2.0 BAG 380.00
                                                          760.0
         2047 30-08-2023
                              BADARPUR 2.0 Pcs. 360.00
                                                           720.0
         2048 30-08-2023
                              BADARPUR 6.0 Pcs. 300.00
                                                          1800.0
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         2050 30-08-2023
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         2051 30-08-2023
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         2052 30-08-2023
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In [6]: #handling missing values
        df.isnull().sum()
Out[6]: Date
        Item Details
        Qty.
        Unit
        Price
        Amount
        dtype: int64
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DATA CLEANING

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In [6]: #handling missing values
        df.isnull().sum()
Out[6]: Date
        Item Details 5
        Qty.
        Unit
        Price
        Amount
        dtype: int64
In [7]: df.dropna(inplace=True)
In [8]: df.isnull().sum()
Out[8]: Date
        Item Details
        Qty.
        Unit
        Price
        Amount
        dtype: int64
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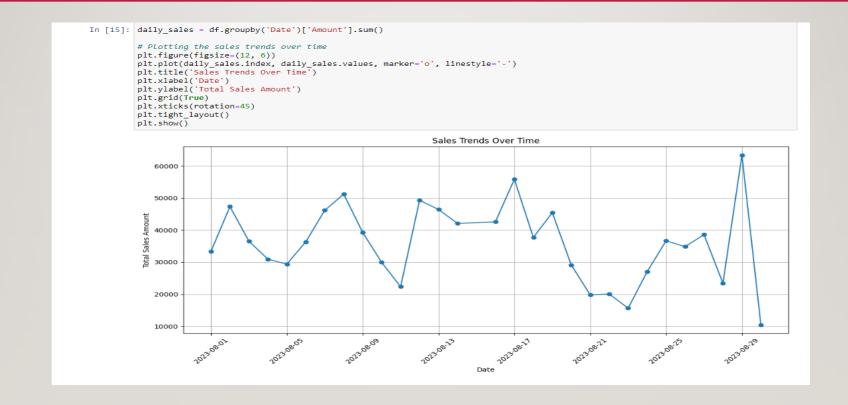
DATA ANALYSIS

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In [10]: df.describe().T
Out[10]:
                  count
                            mean
             Qty. 2049.0 19.110361 104.310002 0.0 1.0 1.0 2.0 2000.0
            Price 2049.0 238.036999 485.684207 0.0 20.0 100.0 360.0 7300.0
          Amount 2049.0 508.324061 1184.956367 0.0 45.0 150.0 385.0 28125.0
In [11]: np.shape(df)
Out[11]: (2049, 6)
In [12]: df['Item Details'].value_counts()
Out[12]: Item Details
         BADARPUR
                                         166
                                         151
         CEMENT J K L PRO +
         CEMENT LOOSE
         BRICK GBC
                                          73
         RET
         BLADE SINGLE
         BASULI
         CONNECTION PIPE 18"
         TB 3 BLADE STONE CUTTER 5"
         141 BIB COCK LONG BODY ARTHA
         Name: count, Length: 485, dtype: int64
```

DATA ANALYSIS

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In [13]: unique_item_details_counts = df['Item Details'].value_counts()
         # Print all unique values and their counts
         for item, count in unique_item_details_counts.items():
             print(f"Item: {item}, Count: {count}")
         Item: BADARPUR, Count: 166
         Item: CEMENT J K L PRO +, Count: 151
         Item: CEMENT LOOSE, Count: 90
         Item: BRICK GBC, Count: 73
         Item: RET, Count: 48
         Item: DHOTI, Count: 41
         Item: POP 2KG, Count: 37
         Item: RODI, Count: 35
         Item: CEMENT AMBUJA, Count: 35
         Item: JK WHITE CEMENT 1KG, Count: 34
         Item: PUTTY J K 20KG, Count: 30
         Item: CEMENT JKL PPC, Count: 28
         Item: REGMARG W P 150, Count: 27
         Item: TARPIN 1LT, Count: 25
         Item: PUTTY TRIMURTY EXPERT- 20KG, Count: 22
         Item: TILES, Count: 18
         Item: PUTTY J K 5KG, Count: 18
         Item: BLADE IRON CUTTER, Count: 17
         Item: CEMENT SHRI JANGRODHAK, Count: 17
In [14]: # Adjusting the format here
         df['Date'] = pd.to_datetime(df['Date'], format='%d-%m-%Y')
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SALES TRENDS OVER TIME



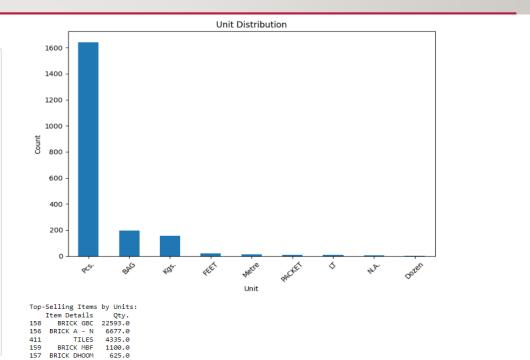
TOP 5 MOST SELLING ITEMS BY QUANTITY

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In [16]: import pandas as pd
         # Assuming you have your data loaded into a DataFrame called 'df'
         # Group the data by 'Item Details' and calculate the total quantity sold for each item
         top_selling_items = df.groupby('Item Details')['Qty.'].sum().reset_index()
         # Sort the items by total quantity sold in descending order to get the top sellers
         top_selling_items = top_selling_items.sort_values(by='Qty.', ascending=False)
         # Display the top-selling items
         print("Top-Selling Items:")
         print(top selling items.head()) # You can adjust the number of items to display by changing the argument to head()
         Top-Selling Items:
             Item Details
                             Qty.
         158 BRICK GBC 22593.0
         156 BRICK A - N 6677.0
                   TILES 4335.0
               BRICK MBF 1100.0
         157 BRICK DHOOM 625.0
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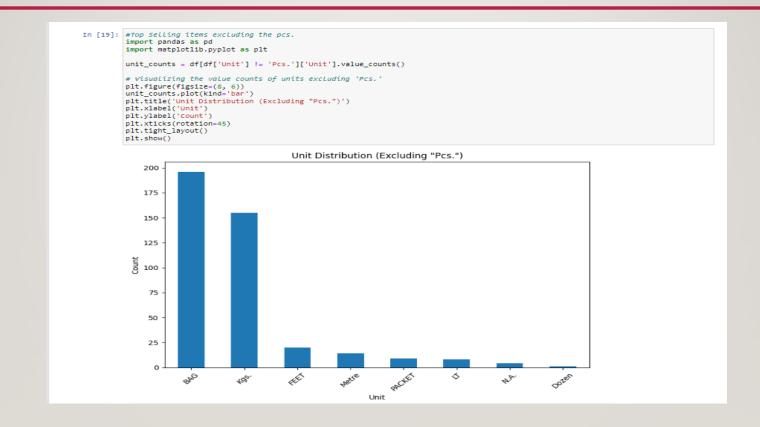
TOP SELLING ITEMS BY UNITS

Top-Selling Items

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In [18]: #Top selling Items
         unit_counts = df['Unit'].value_counts()
         # Visualize the value counts of units
         plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6))
         unit_counts.plot(kind='bar')
         plt.title('Unit Distribution')
         plt.xlabel('Unit')
         plt.ylabel('Count')
         plt.xticks(rotation=45)
         plt.tight_layout()
         plt.show()
         # Select the top unit(s) based on your preference
         top_units = ['Pcs.', 'BAG', 'Kgs.'] # You can adjust this list as needed
         # Filter the dataset for the selected top unit(s)
         top_selling_items = df[df['Unit'].isin(top_units)]
         # Group the data by 'Item Details' and calculate the total quantity sold for each item
         top_selling_items = top_selling_items.groupby('Item Details')['Qty.'].sum().reset_index()
         # Sort the items by total quantity sold in descending order to get the top sellers
         top_selling_items = top_selling_items.sort_values(by='Qty.', ascending=False)
        # Display the top-selling items
         print("Top-Selling Items by Units:")
         print(top_selling_items.head()) # You can adjust the number of items to display by changing the argument to head()
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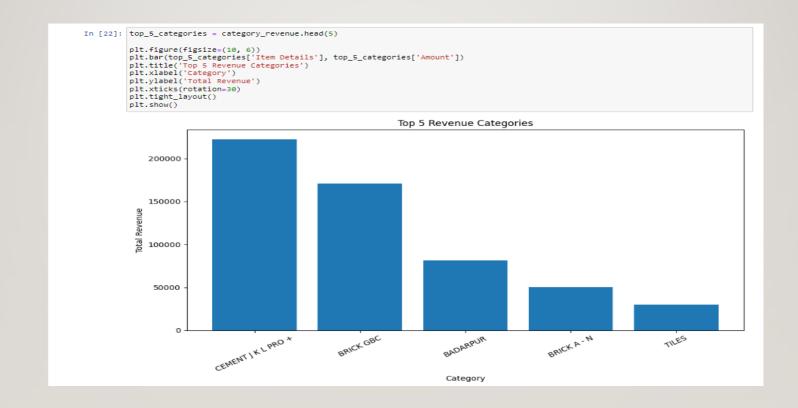
TOP SELLING ITEMS EXCLUDING "PCS."



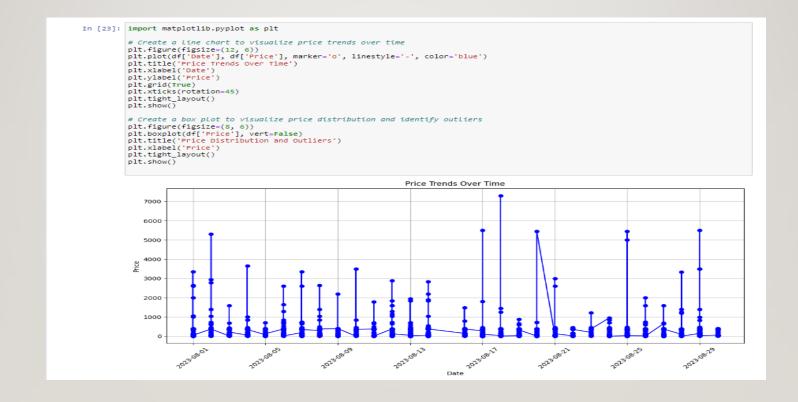
REVENUE ANALYSIS

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In [20]: daily_revenue = df.groupby('Date')['Amount'].sum()
        daily_revenue
Out[20]: Date
        2023-08-01 33375.0
        2023-08-02 47349.0
        2023-08-03
                    36560.0
        2023-08-04
                    30945.0
        2023-08-05
        2023-08-06
                    36350.0
        2023-08-07 46190.0
        2023-08-08 51235.0
        2023-08-09 39292.5
        2023-08-10 29956.0
        2023-08-11 22342.5
        2023-08-12 49305.0
        2023-08-13
                    46464.0
        2023-08-14 42090.0
        2023-08-16 42590.0
        2023-08-17 55880.0
        2023-08-18 37735.0
        2023-08-19 45465.0
        2023-08-20 29146.0
        2023-08-21
                    19775.0
        2023-08-22
                    20080.0
        2023-08-23 15635.0
        2023-08-24 26996.0
        2023-08-25 36668.0
        2023-08-26 34840.0
        2023-08-27 38605.0
        2023-08-28 23441.0
        2023-08-29 63400.0
        2023-08-30 10441.0
        Name: Amount, dtype: float64
In [21]: category_revenue = df.groupby('Item Details')['Amount'].sum().reset_index()
        # Sorting the categories by total revenue in descending order
        category_revenue = category_revenue.sort_values(by='Amount', ascending=False)
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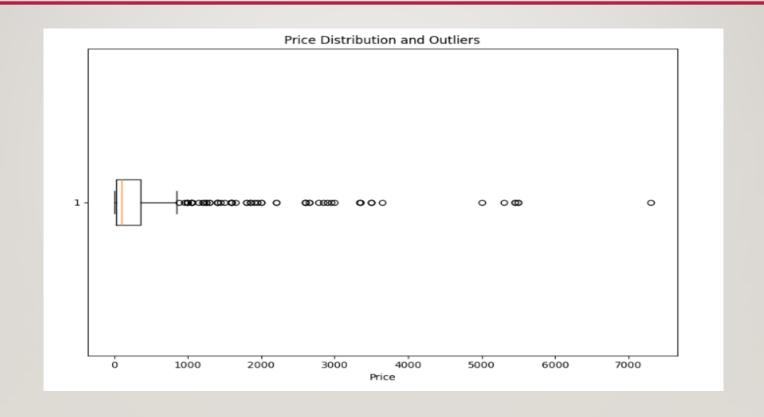
VISUALIZING REVENUE BY TOP 5 REVENUE CATEGORIES



PRIZE TRENDS OVER TIME



PRICE DISTRIBUTION AND OUTLIERS



OUTLIERS

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In [24]: Q1 = df['Price'].quantile(0.25)
Q3 = df['Price'].quantile(0.75)
          IQR = Q3 - Q1
          # Define the lower and upper bounds for outliers
lower_bound = Q1 - 1.5 * IQR
          upper_bound = Q3 + 1.5 * IQR
          # Identify outliers
outliers = df[(df['Price'] < lower_bound) | (df['Price'] > upper_bound)]
In [25]: outliers
Out[25]:
                      Date
                                                Item Details Qty. Unit Price Amount
             4 2023-08-01
                                       MACHINE COLOURENT 0.1 LT 1000.0
             15 2023-08-01
                                 TRACTOR EMUL WHITE 20LTR 1.0 Pcs. 2650.0
             51 2023-08-01
                                     APCO ENAM BROWN 4LT 1.0 Pcs. 1060.0
             52 2023-08-01 TRACTOR EMUL SHYNE WHITE 20LT 1.0 Pcs. 3350.0 3350.0
             54 2023-08-01
                                      MACHINE COLOURENT 0.1 LT 2000.0 200.0
                                        APEX SHYNE AY2 4LT 1.0 Pcs. 1400.0 1400.0
           1911 2023-08-29
           1917 2023-08-29
                                    A C E SHYNE WHITE 20LT 1.0 Pcs. 3500.0 3500.0
           1924 2023-08-29
                                 TRUCARE METAL PRIMER 4LT 1.0 Pcs. 990.0 990.0
           1941 2023-08-29
                                       APEX SHYNE AY2 20LT 1.0 Pcs. 5500.0 5500.0
           1998 2023-08-29
                                     A C E SHYNE WHITE 20LT 1.0 Pcs. 3500.0 3500.0
          65 rows × 6 columns
In [26]: correlation_matrix = df[['Qty.', 'Price', 'Amount']].corr()
          correlation_matrix
Out[26]:
                                Price Amount
              Qty. 1.000000 -0.079798 0.620085
             Price -0.079798 1.000000 0.381838
           Amount 0.620085 0.381838 1.000000
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CORRELATION HEAT MAP



CORRELATION HEAT MAP ANALYSIS

1) Qty. vs. Price

• The correlation between 'Qty.' and 'Price' is approximately -0.079798, which indicates a weak negative correlation. This suggests that there's a slight tendency for the quantity sold ('Qty.') and the price of the item ('Price') to move in opposite directions, but the correlation is not strong.

2) Qty. vs. Amount

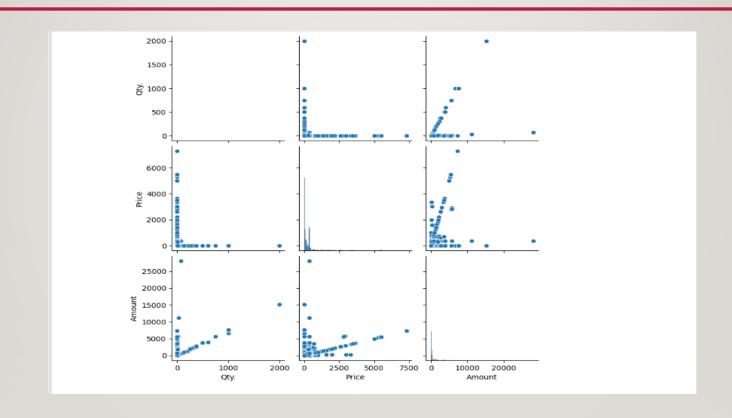
• The correlation between 'Qty.' and 'Amount' is approximately 0.620085, which indicates a moderate positive correlation. This means that there is a moderate tendency for the quantity sold ('Qty.') and the total sales amount ('Amount') to move together, with an increase in quantity sold associated with an increase in the total sales amount.

3) Price vs. Amount

• The correlation between 'Price' and 'Amount' is approximately 0.381838, indicating a moderate positive correlation. This means that there is a moderate tendency for the price of the item ('Price') and the total sales amount ('Amount') to move together, with an increase in price associated with an increase in the total sales amount.

These correlation coefficients provide insights into the relationships between the variables in the data.

VISUALISING USING SCATTER MATRIX



PROFITABILITY ANALYSIS

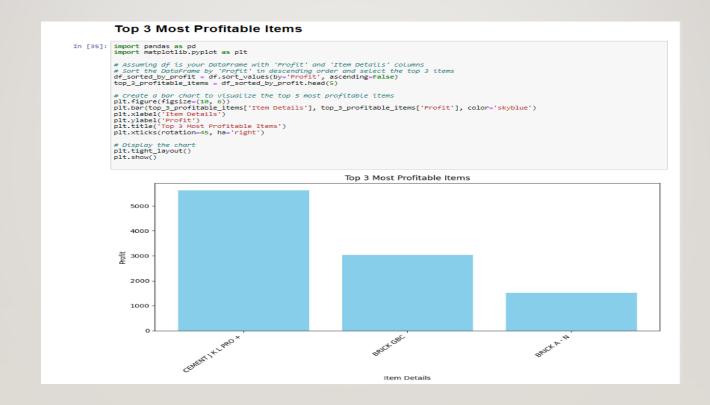
- The primary objective was to assess the profitability of each item in our inventory, assuming a 20% profit margin. This analysis is crucial for making informed decisions regarding pricing, product management, and overall business strategy.
- Methodology:
 - <u>Profit Margin</u>: We calculated the profit for each item by applying a 20% profit margin to the 'Amount' column in our dataset. The profit margin represents the portion of revenue that contributes to profit after covering costs.

RESULTS

Profitability Analysis assuming that profit margin is 20%

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In [31]: import pandas as pd
        profit_margin = 0.20 # 20% profit margin
        df['Profit'] = df['Amount'] * profit_margin
        # Display the DataFrame with the calculated profit
        print(df[['Item Details','Amount', 'Profit']])
                      Item Details Amount Profit
                                           456.0
                    PUTTY J K 20KG 2280.0
                       TARPIN 1LT 390.0
                                            78.0
                                   80.0
                                            16.0
              ROLLER FOAM ASIAN 6" 150.0
                                            30.0
                 MACHINE COLOURENT
                                   100.0
                                            20.0
         2044
                             RODI
                                   380.0
                                            76.0
         2045
                              RET
                                   100.0
                                            20.0
         2046
                CEMENT J K L PRO +
                                   760.0 152.0
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                          BADARPUR
                                   720.0 144.0
         2048
                          BADARPUR 1800.0 360.0
         [2049 rows x 3 columns]
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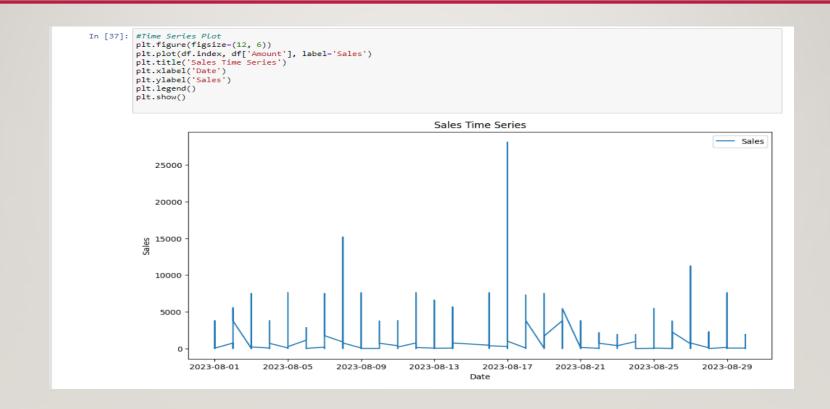
TOP 3 MOST PROFITABLE ITEMS



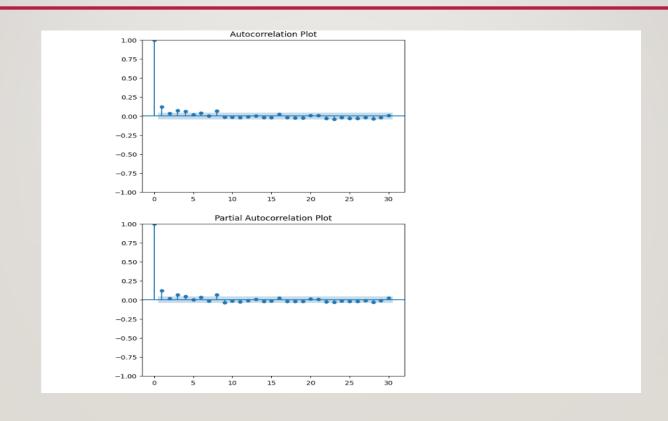
KEY INSIGHTS

- With this profitability analysis, we are better equipped to make informed decisions regarding pricing strategies, product promotions, and inventory management. We can identify products with higher profit margins and focus our efforts accordingly.
- The profitability analysis has provided valuable insights into the financial performance of the products. It serves as a foundation for data-driven decision-making, enabling and optimizing the pricing strategies and enhance overall profitability. Moving forward, we will continue to monitor and analyze profitability to adapt to changing market conditions and business objectives.

TIME-SERIES PLOT



AUTOCORRELATIONS PLOTS



REGRESSION ANALYSIS

- Model Used: <u>Decision Tree Regression model.</u>
 - Decision Tree Regression is a supervised machine learning technique used for predicting a continuous target variable based on one or more input features. It is a versatile and interpretable model that builds a tree-like structure to make predictions.

Advantages:

- Interpretability: Decision Trees are easy to interpret and explain. You can visualize the tree structure and understand the decision-making process.
- Nonlinearity: Decision Trees can capture nonlinear relationships between features and the target variable, making them suitable for complex datasets.
- Handling Multicollinearity: Decision Trees can handle multicollinearity (correlations between independent variables) effectively.

IMPLEMENTING THE MODEL

PREDICTIONS

CONCLUSION

• Decision Tree Regression model achieved impressive results, as indicated by the low MAE, MSE, and high R-squared values. This suggests that the model effectively captures the relationships between the quantity, price, and profit, making it a suitable choice for predicting profit based on these features.

CREATING DASHBOARD

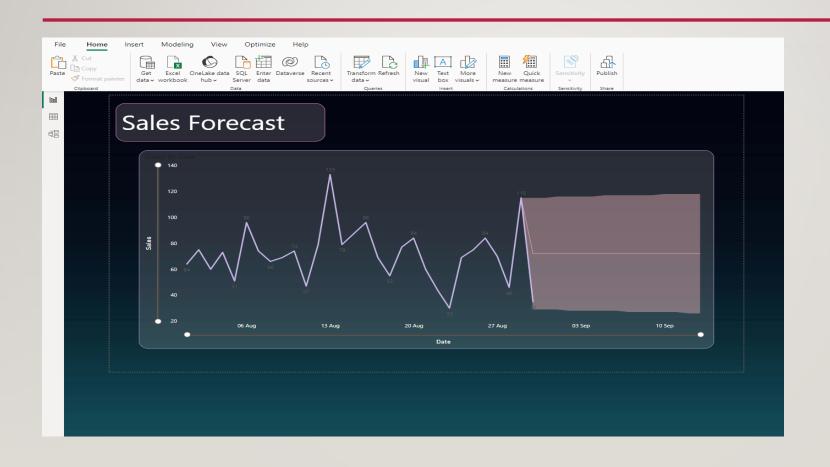
- Creating a dashboard is an essential step in presenting and visualizing the insights and
 results of your data analysis or reporting. Dashboards provide a clear and concise way to
 convey complex information to your audience. Here's a description of how to create a
 dashboard
- Dashboard Tool Used: PowerBI



FORECASTING THE SALES OF NEXT MONTH

In the ongoing quest to harness the power of data-driven decision-making, I have
achieved a significant milestone by successfully predicting the sales values for the next 15
days using Power BI. This accomplishment reflects commitment to leveraging the data
analytics to optimize operations, improve inventory management, and drive profitability.

FORECASTING



ACTIONABLE INSIGHTS

- The Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) showed Marvelous Visualizations for gaining deeper insights into our dataset. These visualizations not only highlight key patterns and trends but also provide a visually engaging representation of our data, making complex information more accessible and actionable for our decision-makers.
- The correlation between 'Qty.' and 'Amount' is approximately 0.620085, which indicates a moderate positive correlation.
- The profitability analysis has provided valuable insights into the financial performance of the products. It serves as a foundation for data-driven decision-making, enabling and optimizing the pricing strategies and enhance overall profitability. Moving forward, we will continue to monitor and analyze profitability to adapt to changing market conditions and business objectives.
- Decision Tree Regression model achieved impressive results, as indicated by the low MAE, MSE, and high R-squared values. This suggests that the model effectively captures the relationships between the quantity, price, and profit, making it a suitable choice for predicting profit based on these features.
- In the end, by successfully predicting the sales values for the next 15 days using Power BI, this accomplishment reflects commitment to leveraging the data analytics to optimize operations, improve inventory management, and drive profitability.

RECOMMENDATIONS TO INCREASE SALES

Lowering the Prices to attract customers:

- **Price Sensitivity**: Lowering the profit margin typically results in reduced prices for your products or services. This can make your offerings more attractive to price-sensitive consumers who were previously hesitant to make a purchase.
- **Expanded Customer Base**: Lower prices can widen your customer base by attracting a larger segment of the market. Customers who were previously out of reach due to high pricing may now consider your products as affordable options.
- <u>Competitive Advantage</u>: In competitive markets, lower prices can give your business a competitive advantage. It allows you to stand out from competitors and potentially capture market share from them.

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Customer Acquisition:

- Attracting New Customers: Lower prices are likely to draw in new customers who were previously unaware of your brand or reluctant to try it. This is particularly effective in industries with high competition.
- <u>Trial Purchases</u>: Lower prices can encourage customers to try your products or services.

 Once they experience the quality and value you offer, they may become loyal customers in the long run.

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Word of Mouth Marketing:

- <u>Customer Advocacy</u>: Satisfied customers are more likely to recommend your brand to others when they perceive value in your offerings. This word-of-mouth marketing can lead to organic growth through referrals.
- <u>Social Media Buzz</u>: Positive reviews and experiences shared on social media platforms can create buzz around your brand, attracting new customers who trust the opinions of their peers.

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