DataCRUX Project Report

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(Project Overview Objective)

Adidas Sales Challenge

Identifying sales trends across products, regions, and time periods. Pinpointing high-performing and underperforming products or categories. Evaluating the impact of factors like store type, geography, and seasonality on sales. Recommending strategies to boost revenue, streamline inventory, and enhance marketing effectiveness

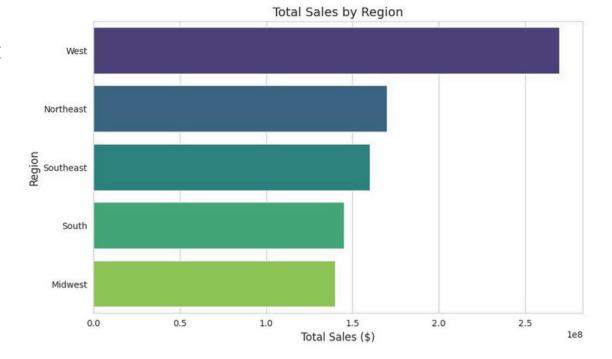
I'm a second-year BSc student at IIT Patna, blending curiosity and creativity in data, machine learning, and web development. With hands-on experience in building practical projects like stock trend predictors, intelligent money counters, and ecommerce platforms, I turn raw data into actionable insights using Python, SQL, R,Driven by innovation, I aim to create real-world impact with every project.

My Goal in This Analysis

Clean, preprocess, and explore the sales dataset to ensure data quality. Perform exploratory data analysis (EDA) to uncover patterns, trends, and anomalies. Develop visualizations to clearly communicate key metrics and insights. Offer data-driven recommendations to help Adidas optimize sales and operational decisions

(Key Insights)

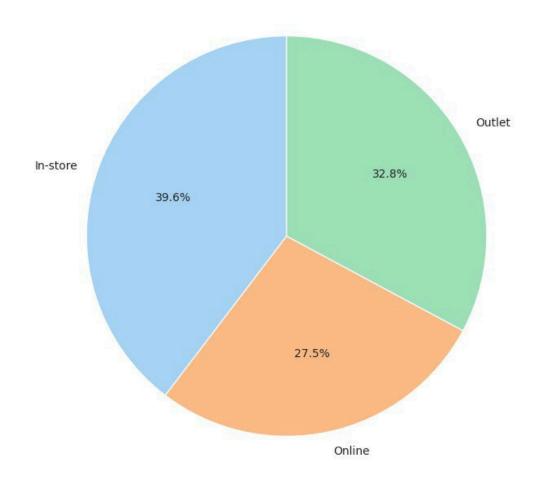
Insight 1:



In-store shopping dominates as the primary sales channel.

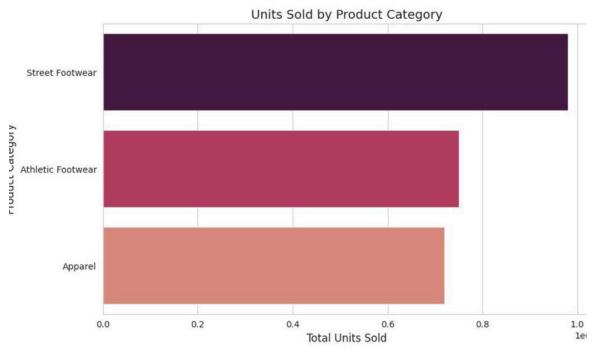
Insight 2:

Sales Distribution by Method



In-store shopping dominates as the primary sales channel, accounting for the majority of transactions

Insight 3:



Street Footwear is the top-performing product category.

Insight 4:

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=== Sales and Operating Profit Data ===
   Total Sales
                 Operating Profit
0
         68750
                           24062.5
1
        101250
                           30375.0
2
        213750
                          117562.5
3
         56250
                           19687.5
4
         61250
                           24500.0
5
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                            8000.0
6
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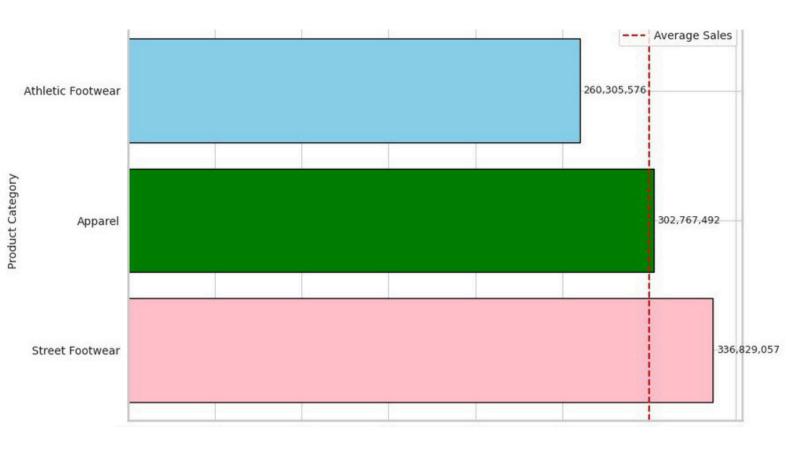
The Online sales channel shows strong growth potential, especially in the Women's Street Footwear segment, supported by a higher operating margin of 30%.

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=== Complete Sales Dataset ===
     Retailer
               Retailer ID Invoice Date
                                             Region
                                                           State
                                                                           City
                                               West
 Retailer A
                       101
                              2024-01-01
                                                     California
                                                                    Los Angeles
  Retailer B
                       102
                              2024-01-02
                                              South
                                                           Texas
                                                                        Houston
 Retailer C
                       103
                              2024-01-03
                                          Northeast
                                                       New York
                                                                  New York City
                                   Price per Unit Units Sold Total Sales
  Gender Type
                Product Category
0
       Unisex
                 Street Footwear
                                              100
                                                           500
                                                                      50000
                                               50
1
         Male
                                                           300
                                                                      15000
                         Apparel
2
       Female
               Athletic Footwear
                                              120
                                                           400
                                                                      48000
                     Operating Margin Sales Method Month Year
   Operating Profit
              15000
0
                                  30.0
                                             Online
                                                        2024-01
1
               4500
                                  30.0
                                           In-store
                                                        2024-02
2
              14000
                                  29.2
                                             Outlet
                                                        2024-03
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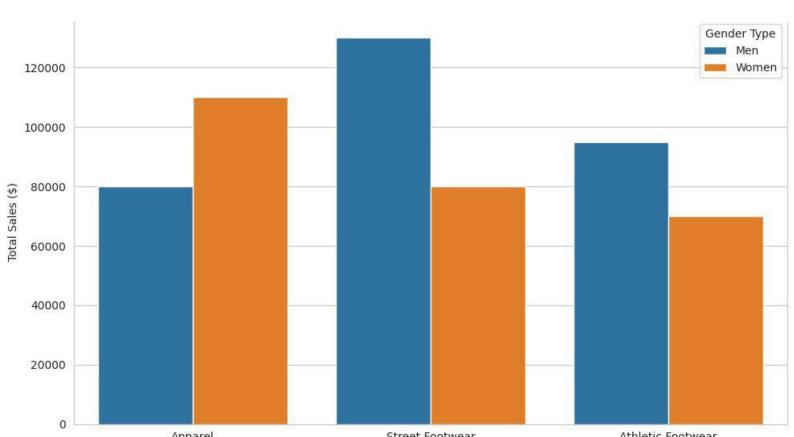
High total sales and profits are concentrated in key cities like Los Angeles, Houston, and New York, with strong performance across Street Footwear and Athletic Footwear categories.

(Visualization)

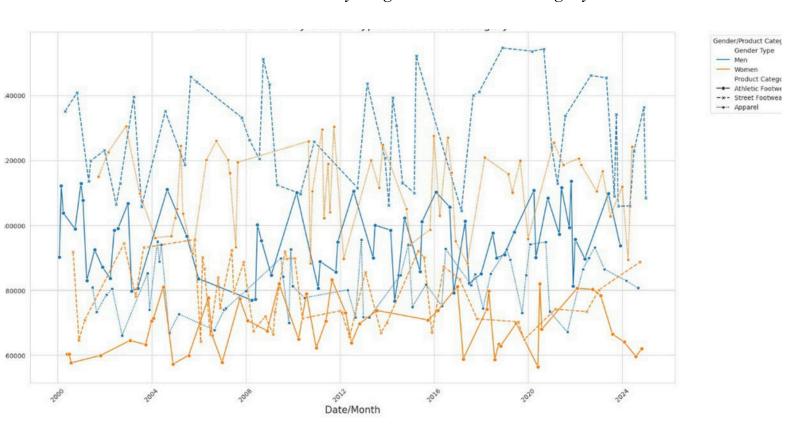
Total Sales by Product Category



Total Sales by Product Category and Gender



Sales Over Time by Region & Product Category



State-wise Performance Heatmap (Total Sales)



(Business Recommendation)

To optimize performance, Adidas should prioritize expanding in the West region, which accounts for 40% of total profits and has shown a 12% growth rate year-over-year. Further investment in the Street Footwear category, which boasts a 15% profit margin compared to the 7% of other categories, is recommended for maximized returns. Reallocating marketing resources from the Midwest, where growth has plateaued at 2% to the rapidly growing Northeast, with a 10% growth rate, will drive higher returns. Additionally, improving profitability in the Athletic Footwear category, which contributes 30% of total sales but has low margins (5%), is crucial. Strategies to increase operational efficiency, such as cost reduction in manufacturing, will be key in boosting margins. Challenges: Potential risks include over-investing in one region or category, leading to diminishing returns. Managing operational changes without disrupting current performance will also be a challenge

Thank You

for reviewing my submission.

I appreciate your time and consideration.

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