

Algorithmic Digital Marketing Assignment 2

Summary	In this codelab, we have analyzed Elo Merchant Category Recommendation dataset to gain some marketing insights
URL	https://www.kaggle.com/c/elo-merchant-category-recommendation/data
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About Dataset

There are 2 datasets that contain information about all transactions of these cards buying from different merchants:

- **Historical_transactions.csv:** up to 3 months' worth of historical transactions for each `card_id`
- **New_merchant_transactions.csv:** two months' worth of data for each `card_id` containing ALL purchases that `card_id` made at `merchant_ids` that were not visited in the historical data.

Lastly, there is 1 dataset that contains information about the merchants:

- **Merchants.csv:** additional information about all merchants / `merchant_ids` in the dataset.

Data Preprocessing

Data Preprocessing is a technique that is used to convert the raw data into a clean data set. The data set which we have used has many columns with NULL Values and Missing Values. Also, the dataset used has several inconsistencies. We have used XSV, Pandas, and Trifacta for data preprocessing so that the data can be cleaned and is feasible for analysis or visualization.

Using XSV:

We have used XSV for checking the headers of the tables, the frequency of each column data and to sample the data using select and sample commands.

Headers:

```
C:\Users\prath>xsv headers C:\Users\prath\Downloads\elo-merchant-category-recommendation\historical_transactions.csv
1  authorized_flag
2  card_id
3  city_id
4  category_1
5  installments
6  category_3
7  merchant_category_id
8  merchant_id
9  month_lag
10 purchase_amount
11 purchase_date
12 category_2
13 state_id
14 subsector_id

C:\Users\prath>xsv headers C:\Users\prath\Downloads\elo-merchant-category-recommendation\merchants.csv
1  merchant_id
2  merchant_group_id
3  merchant_category_id
4  subsector_id
5  numerical_1
6  numerical_2
7  category_1
8  most_recent_sales_range
9  most_recent_purchases_range
10 avg_sales_lag3
11 avg_purchases_lag3
12 active_months_lag3
13 avg_sales_lag6
14 avg_purchases_lag6
15 active_months_lag6
16 avg_sales_lag12
17 avg_purchases_lag12
18 active_months_lag12
19 category_4
20 city_id
21 state_id
22 category_2
```

Sampling:

```
C:\Users\prath>xsv select authorized_flag,card_id,city_id,category_1,installments,category_3,merchant_category_id,merchant_id,month_lag,purchase_amount,purchase_date,category_2,state_id,subsector_id C:\Users\prath\Downloads\elo-merchant-category-recommendation\new_merchant_transactions.csv | xsv sample 106000
0 > C:\Users\prath\Downloads\elo-merchant-category-recommendation\sampled_nmt.csv

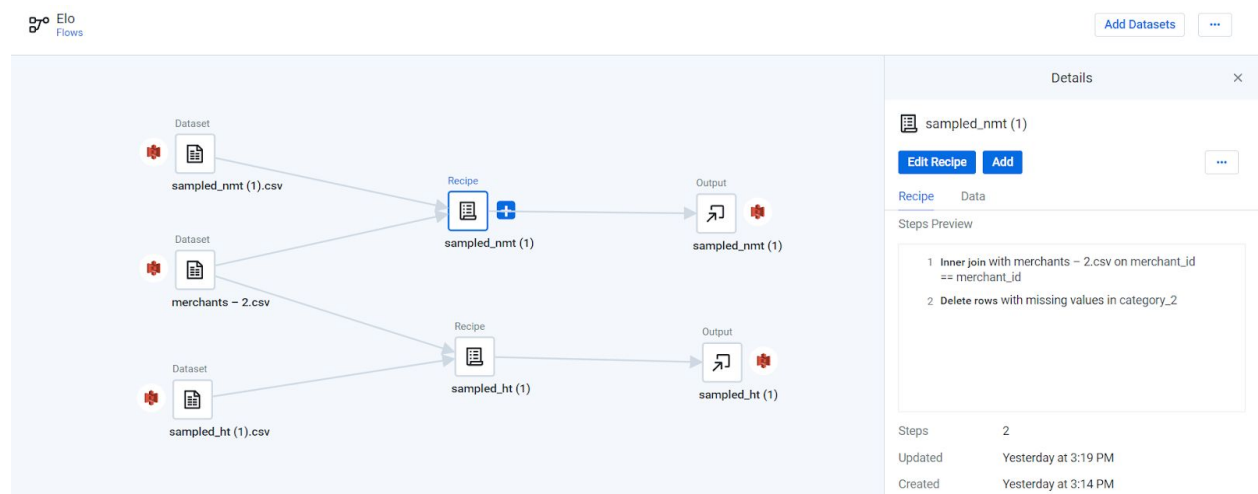
C:\Users\prath>xsv select authorized_flag,card_id,city_id,category_1,installments,category_3,merchant_category_id,merchant_id,month_lag,purchase_amount,purchase_date,category_2,state_id,subsector_id C:\Users\prath\Downloads\elo-merchant-category-recommendation\historical_transactions.csv | xsv sample 1060000
> C:\Users\prath\Downloads\elo-merchant-category-recommendation\sampled_ht.csv
```

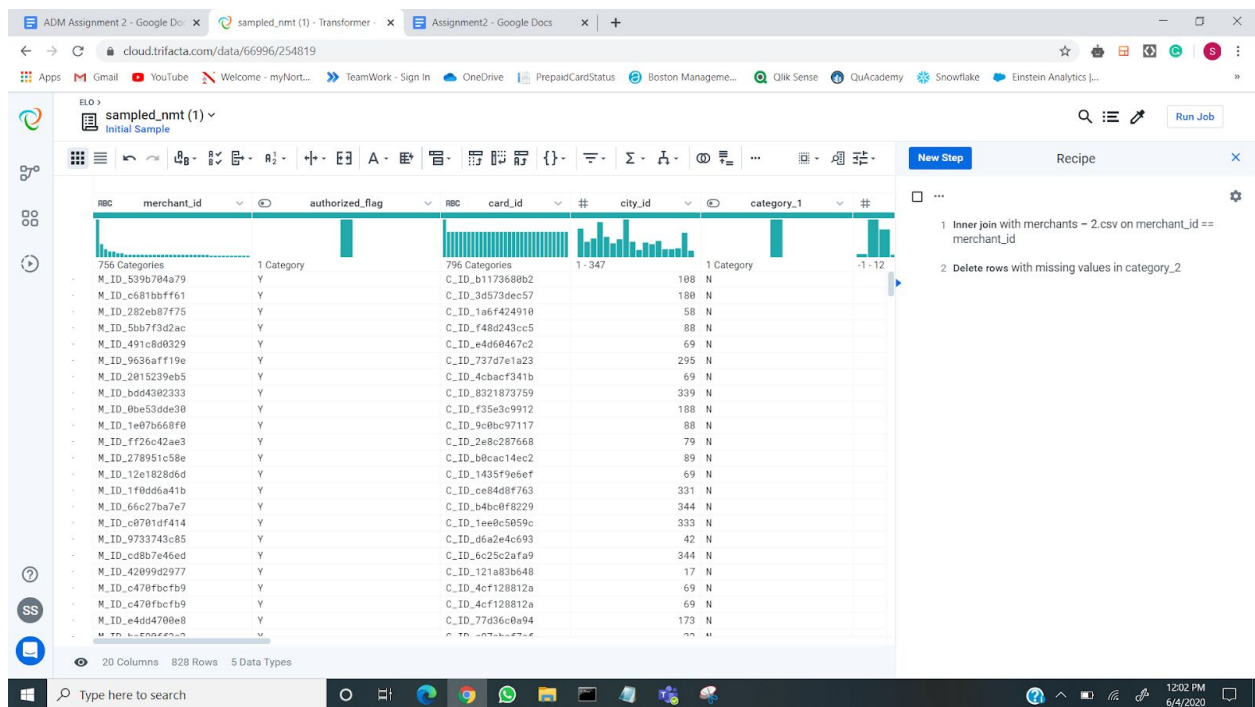
Frequency:

```
C:\Users\prath>xsv frequency C:\Users\prath\Downloads\elo-merchant-category-recommendation\new_merchant_transactions.csv | xsv table
field      value      count
authorized_flag  Y          1963031
card_id      C_ID_b7ebee6539  109
card_id      C_ID_c729288535  106
card_id      C_ID_0e4f6af077  104
card_id      C_ID_8946508722  104
card_id      C_ID_6cef1dba4b  100
card_id      C_ID_4e8e856f1a  99
card_id      C_ID_8e0c15d39b  95
card_id      C_ID_4a0143e1a7  92
card_id      C_ID_a9b2895f68  90
card_id      C_ID_5da6f7704e  88
city_id      69            328916
city_id      -1            99349
city_id      158           84962
city_id      19            70961
city_id      17            65300
city_id      143           53907
city_id      88            46301
city_id      137           45007
city_id      331           41429
city_id      87            33967
category_1   N             1890935
category_1   Y             63096
installments 0             922244
installments 1             836178
installments -1            55922
installments 2             54729
installments 3             44750
installments 4             14815
installments 6             10389
installments 5              9296
installments 10            8899
installments 12             2850
category_3   A             922244
category_3   B             836178
category_3   C             148687
category_3   (NULL)        55922
merchant_category_id 307          191631
merchant_category_id 705          168852
merchant_category_id 278          168140
merchant_category_id 80           144667
merchant_category_id 367          116406
merchant_category_id 683          58176
merchant_category_id 560          57327
```

Using Trifacta:

We have used Trifacta for joining the tables that we had sampled through XSV. Also, we did some cleaning of the data like removing missing values and inconsistent data.





Using Pandas:

We used Pandas for the following analysis:

Reading the data:

```
[ ] data_ht = pd.read_csv('C:/Users/prath/Downloads/sampled_ht.csv')
```

```
[ ] nObs, nFea = data_ht.shape
print(f'There are {nObs} Observations and {nFea} Features')
```

There are 250000 Observations and 14 Features

```
[ ] data_ht.columns
```

```
Index(['authorized_flag', 'card_id', 'city_id', 'category_1', 'installments',
       'category_3', 'merchant_category_id', 'merchant_id', 'month_lag',
       'purchase_amount', 'purchase_date', 'category_2', 'state_id',
       'subsector_id'],
      dtype='object')
```

```
[ ] print("First observations:")
data_ht.head()
```

```
First observations:
authorized_flag  card_id  city_id  category_1  installments  category_3  merchant_category_id  merchant_id  month_lag  purchase_amount
0              Y  C_ID_1235abf2e9      14          N           0          A              560  M_ID_d88c2ba479      -8          -0.740146
1              N  C_ID_a85430af23     33          N           1          B              307  M_ID_4ec1f91e4d     -10          -0.611669
2              Y  C_ID_f407be70a5    188          N           1          B              278  M_ID_de68864494      -7          -0.714120
3              Y  C_ID_afaafbc63a     -1          Y           1          B              217  M_ID_5a0a412718      -6          -0.521510
4              Y  C_ID_81496e38bf     20          N           0          A              683  M_ID_01b1eec377     -11          -0.689807
```

Checking for null values:

```
[ ] print("Missing values by features:")
    data_ht.isnull().sum(axis=0)
```

```
Missing values by features:
authorized_flag      0
card_id              0
city_id              0
category_1           0
installments         0
category_3           0
merchant_category_id 1576
merchant_id          0
merchant_id          1213
month_lag            0
purchase_amount      0
purchase_date        0
category_2           0
state_id             0
subsector_id         0
dtype: int64
```

Converting the date part into individual columns as Year, Month, Day, Quarter, Week:

```
[ ] data_nmt['Year'] = pd.DatetimeIndex(data_nmt['purchase_date']).year
    data_nmt['month'] = pd.DatetimeIndex(data_nmt['purchase_date']).month
    data_nmt['Day'] = pd.DatetimeIndex(data_nmt['purchase_date']).day
    data_nmt['Quarter'] = pd.DatetimeIndex(data_nmt['purchase_date']).quarter
    data_nmt['Week'] = pd.DatetimeIndex(data_nmt['purchase_date']).week
```

```
[ ] data_nmt.columns
```

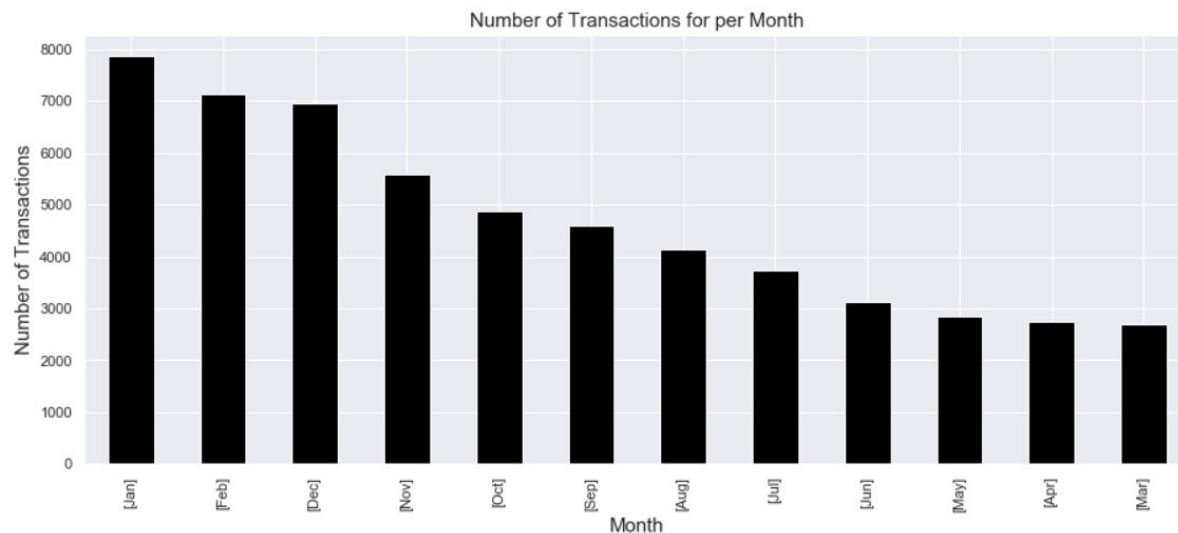
```
Index(['authorized_flag', 'card_id', 'city_id', 'category_1', 'installments',
      'category_3', 'merchant_category_id', 'merchant_id', 'month_lag',
      'purchase_amount', 'purchase_date', 'category_2', 'state_id',
      'subsector_id', 'Year', 'month', 'Day', 'Quarter', 'Week'],
      dtype='object')
```

```
[ ] daily_data.head(10)
```

	card_id	city_id	merchant_id	purchase_date	state_id	subsector_id	Year	month	Day	Quarter	Week	Weekday	purchase_amount
0	C_ID_00007093c1	76	M_ID_e4efa75d9	2017-11-10 16:21:22	2	33	2017	11	10	4	45	4	-0.569219
1	C_ID_00007093c1	244	M_ID_9400cf2342	2017-08-28 19:21:16	2	19	2017	8	28	3	35	0	-0.683796
2	C_ID_0001506ef0	137	M_ID_b1fc88154d	2018-02-08 14:30:56	19	33	2018	2	8	1	6	3	1.493545
3	C_ID_0001793786	204	M_ID_f17a1b0efa	2017-10-27 13:51:16	24	41	2017	10	27	4	43	4	-0.679288

Creating visualizations:

```
Monthly_transactions = data.groupby('card_id')['month'].unique().value_counts().iloc[0:12].plot(kind='bar',color='black')
Monthly_transactions_csv = data.groupby('card_id')['month'].unique().value_counts().iloc[0:12]
Monthly_transactions.set_xlabel('Month',fontsize=15)
Monthly_transactions.set_ylabel('Number of Transactions',fontsize=15)
Monthly_transactions.set_title('Number of Transactions for per Month',fontsize=15)
plt.xticks();
Monthly_transactions_csv.to_csv('C:/Users/prath/Downloads/CSV_files/Monthly_transactions.csv')
```



RFM

RFM segmentation is a powerful way to identify groups of customers for special treatment. RFM stands for recency, frequency, and monetary.

- **Recency** - This represents the age of the customer when they made their latest transactions. (Current_date - last_transaction_date)
- **Frequency** - This represents the total number of transactions/number of visits a customer has made. (Count of total transactions)
- **Monetary** - This represents the total purchase amount that a specified customer has made. (Sum of purchase_amt)

- **Time** - This represents the age of the customer. The time span between a customer's first and last transactions.

To perform an RFM analysis, each customer is assigned a score for recency, frequency, and monetary value, and then a final RFM score is calculated.

Recency score is calculated based on the date of their most recent purchase. The scores are generally categorized based on the values.

Similarly, the frequency score is calculated based on the number of times the customers purchased. Customers with higher frequency receive a higher score.

Finally, customers are assigned a score based on the amount they spent on their purchases. For calculating this score, you may consider the actual amount spent or the average spent per visit.

By combining these three scores, a final RFM score is calculated. The customers with the highest RFM score are considered to be the ones that are most likely to respond to their offers.

card_id	Frequency	Monitary	Time	Recency	AOV
C_ID_8eb97da9da	2	48090.089996	55.0	902.0	24045.044998
C_ID_dfada69aa2	4	42085.421926	316.0	893.0	10521.355482
C_ID_54707b0914	4	12031.074815	344.0	840.0	3007.768704
C_ID_edca884f4a	3	8436.988117	57.0	985.0	2812.329372
C_ID_f7621c5e17	5	9929.383120	112.0	840.0	1985.876624

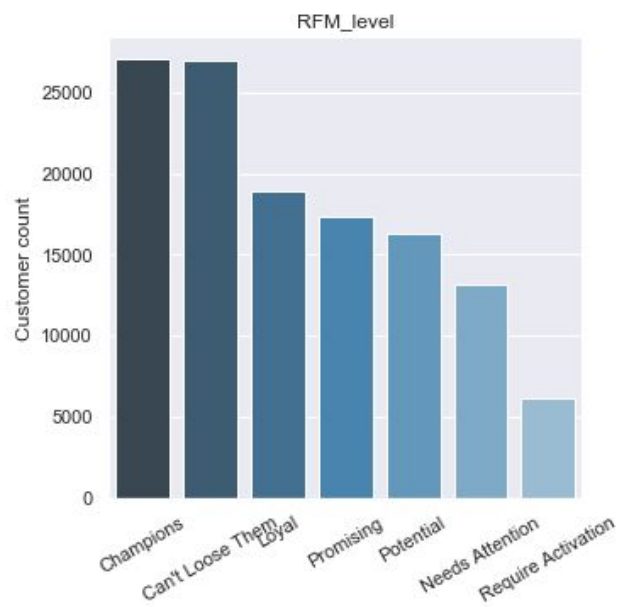
Customer Lifetime Value (CLV):- The lifetime value of a customer, or customer lifetime value (CLV), represents the total amount of money a customer is expected to spend in your business, or on your products, during their lifetime.

We calculated Customer Lifetime Values by calculating different parameters such as profit margin, purchase frequency, repeat rate, churn rate etc.

card_id	Frequency	Monitary	Time	Recency	AOV	profit_margin	CLV	cust_lifetime_value
C_ID_8eb97da9da	2	48090.089996	55.0	902.0	24045.044998	0.2	72678.310039	14535.662008
C_ID_dfada69aa2	4	42085.421926	316.0	893.0	10521.355482	0.4	31801.742762	12720.697105
C_ID_54707b0914	4	12031.074815	344.0	840.0	3007.768704	0.4	9091.251291	3636.500516
C_ID_f7621c5e17	5	9929.383120	112.0	840.0	1985.876624	0.5	6002.490617	3001.245308
C_ID_edca884f4a	3	8436.988117	57.0	985.0	2812.329372	0.3	8500.518342	2550.155503

We divided customers using RFM scores into several sections such as Can't Loose Them (Highest RFM Score) or Require Activation (Lowest RFM score).

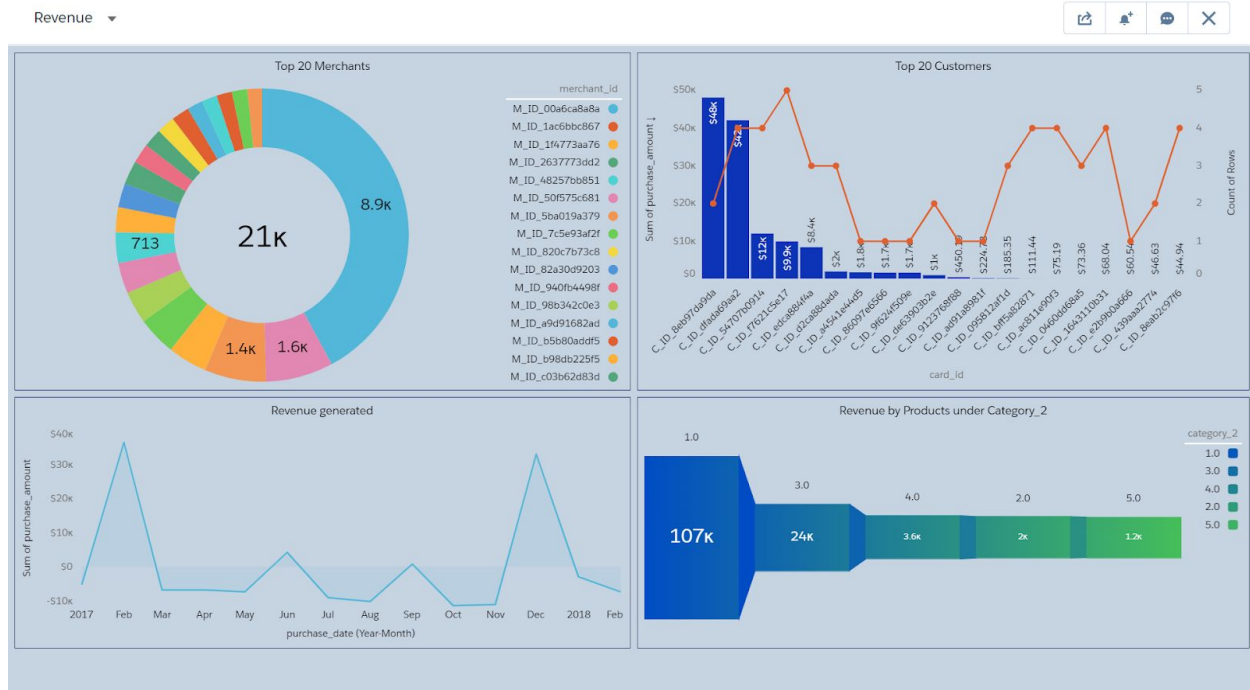
RFM_Level	Recency mean	Frequency mean	Monitary mean	count
Can't Loose Them	977.0	3.6	13.3	26970
Champions	991.4	1.8	4.7	27075
Loyal	1028.7	1.3	3.2	18908
Needs Attention	887.0	1.0	2.3	13175
Potential	1014.6	1.0	2.4	16237
Promising	943.7	1.0	2.4	17332
Require Activation	855.1	1.0	2.3	6124



Dashboards

Insights based on Revenue:

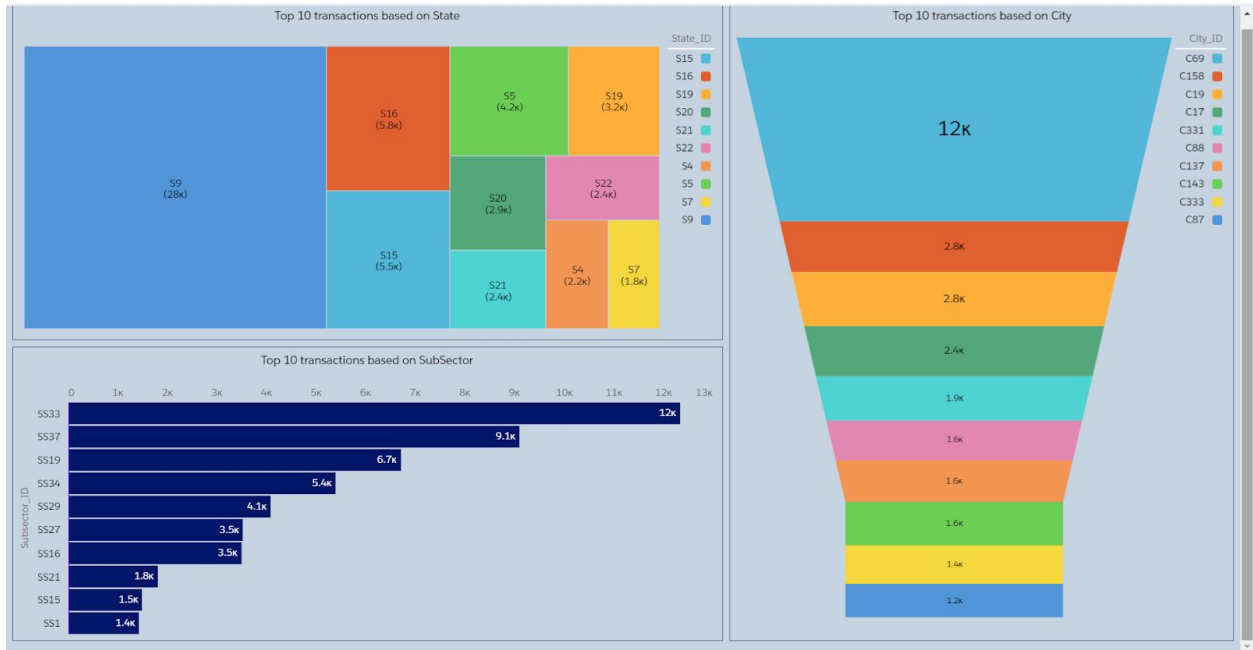
This Dashboard gives us the top merchants, top customers, top products based on revenue.



1. The merchant M_ID_00a6ca8a8a has the most transactions: 8858 transactions
2. Customer C_ID_8eb97da9da has spent the most with the purchase amount of \$48,084.09 amongst all customers
3. The most popular product was '1.0' under Category_2 with revenue of around \$107k

Insights based on Geography:

This Dashboard gives us insights about the most popular state, city, and subsector based on the number of transactions.

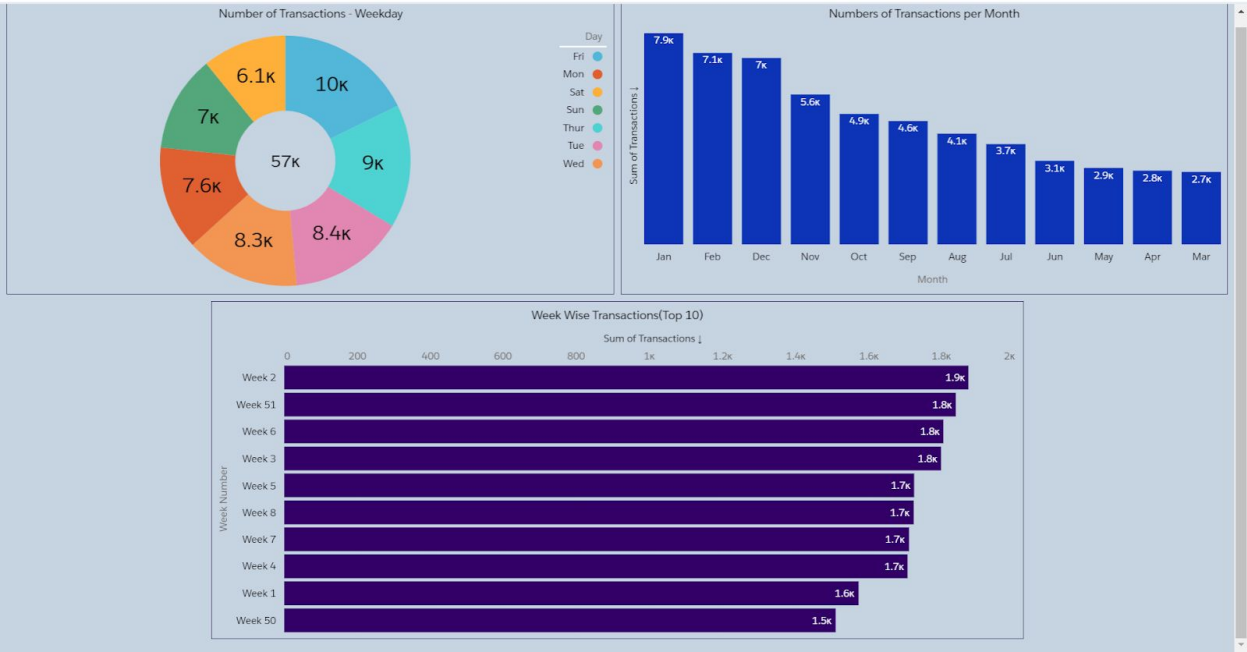


Category	Number of Transactions
State - S9	27,736
City - C69	11,868
Subsector - SS33	12,344

Insights based on Calendar:

The Dashboard shown below highlights the most favored weekday, month and week of the year based on the number of transactions

Transactions based on Month, Day and Week ▾



Most Desired	Value	Number of Transactions
Day	Monday	10,028
Month	Jan	7,882
Week	Week 2	1,834