

Learning Points & Wrap Up Notes

What did I Learn?

This was a great opportunity to revisit some skills around process improvement, research, problem solving and Google Sheets. Whilst at this point in 2021 I hadn't had any formal sheets training, using these skills and initiative I was able to produce a connected and effective system using various Sheets functions; but most importantly the end product making life easier for the team and improving results.

It was also a fantastic chance to work on the practice of effectively introducing new processes and getting buy-in from stakeholders at all levels.

Wrap Up Notes

Overall it was a very successful project within the team, improving the efficiency and the effectiveness of the processes. Ideally something like this would be fully automated and plugged into a dashboard system like Tableau or PowerBI, however at that time we didn't have those capabilities or budget, yet we still needed a solution. As many startups often tend to lean towards, our answer was Google Sheets.

We did eventually hire some Data Engineers to build out the structure and warehousing for the data platform. I worked closely with them to incorporate this into a dashboard, however before the final product was produced, much of the company was relocated to Romania, including both of our roles. So we didn't get the chance to finalize the dashboard, albeit a fun experience to be involved in!