

My Project Overview:

The SuperStore Multinational Dashboard is designed to provide a comprehensive visual analysis of sales and performance metrics for SuperStore, a multinational retail company. The dashboard is tailored to address specific queries and enhance decision-making processes for various stakeholders, including executives, managers, and analysts .

[I] Design Phase

Title of my client(s) who will use the dashboard

CEO (Chief Executive Officer):

- Interested in overall company performance, profits, and strategic insights.
- Focus on high-level trends and key performance indicators.

Sales Manager:

- Concerned with sales data, state-wise performance, and product categories.
- Interested in identifying top-selling states, profitable subcategories, and effective gender-based sales.

Marketing Team:

- May leverage insights on product categories and subcategories for targeted marketing strategies.
- Interested in trends related to age and gender for more effective campaigns.

Finance Team:

- Focus on financial aspects such as total revenue, net profit, and expenses.
- Concerned with monthly sales trends and overall financial health.

Operations Team:

- Interested in distribution of sales across different countries and states.
- May use data to optimize product offerings based on geographic demand.

Human Resources:

- May find value in age-related insights for workforce planning and engagement.

All available data that will be provided by my client

Sales Data:

- **Date:** Information about the date of the sales transaction.
- **Month:** The month in which the sales occurred.
- **Quantity:** The quantity of products sold.
- **Unit Cost:** The cost of a single unit of the product.
- **Unit Price:** The selling price of a single unit of the product.
- **Total Cost:** The total cost of the products sold.
- **Revenue:** The total revenue generated from sales.
- **Net Profit:** The net profit calculated as Revenue minus Total Cost.

Geographic Information:

- **Country:** The country where the sales occurred.
- **State:** The state within the country where the sales occurred.

Customer Demographics:

- **Age:** The age of the customer.
- **Gender:** The gender of the customer.

Product Information:

- **Product Category:** The broader category to which the product belongs.
- **Sub Category:** A more specific category or classification of the product.

Miscellaneous:

- **Age Status:** A status or category related to the customer's age.

Required questions that my dashboard will answers

Sales Performance:

What is the overall trend in sales over the selected time period?

How do sales vary across different product categories?

Which countries contribute the most to total revenues?

What are the top 10 states with the highest sales figures?

Which states have the lowest sales figures?

Profitability:

What is the overall trend in profits over the selected time period?

What are the top 3 most profitable subcategories in terms of revenues?

What is the distribution of profits across different states?

What is the profitability status based on customer age?

Product Analysis:

What are the top 5 best-selling products globally?

Which subcategories are the most profitable in terms of net profit margin?

How does the distribution of sales vary across different age groups?

What is the gender-wise distribution of sales and profits?

Miscellaneous:

How does the distribution of sales vary across different age groups?

What is the monthly total sales revenue pattern?

What is the most effective gender in terms of positive profit contribution?

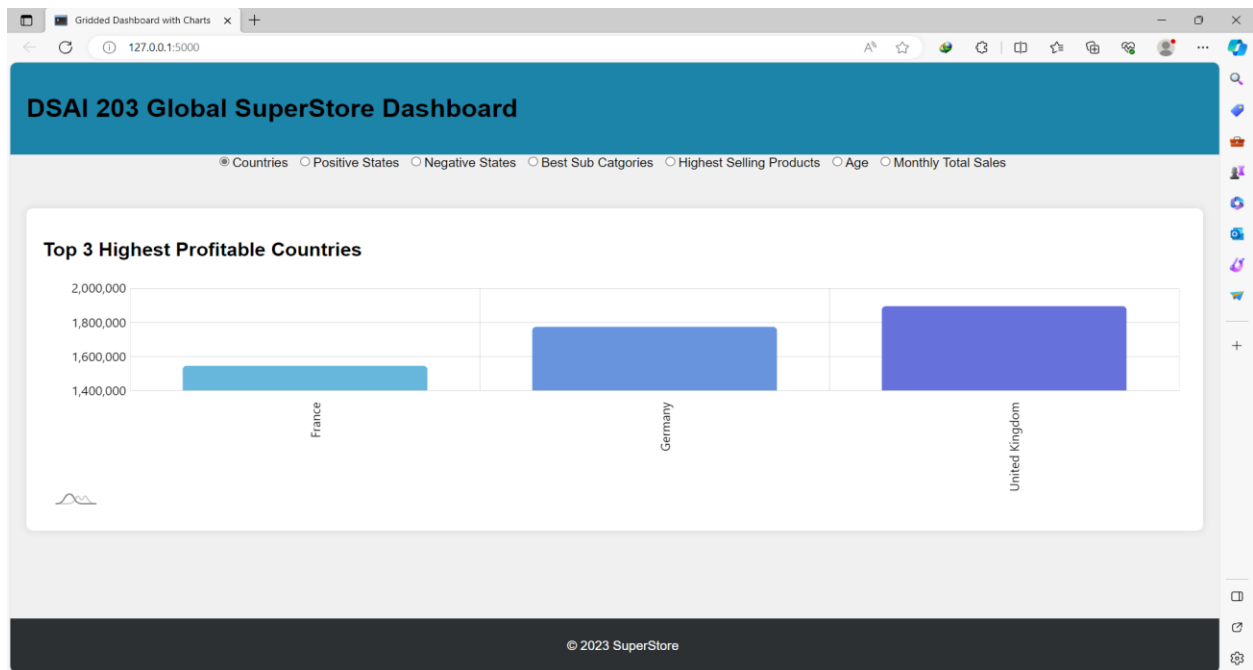


Chart Type: Bar Chart

Legend: Visible

Colors: 3 different shades of blue

Title: Top 3 Highest Profitable Countries

Visibility: When clicking on the radio button

Axis Titles: X-axis (Countries), Y-axis (Revenue)

Questions Answered:

What are the top three countries with the highest sales?

Which countries contribute the most to total revenues?

Justification: Bar charts are one of the best charts for comparing the contribution of different countries to the total sales and it gives at a glance the best-selling country due to its simplicity and efficiency.

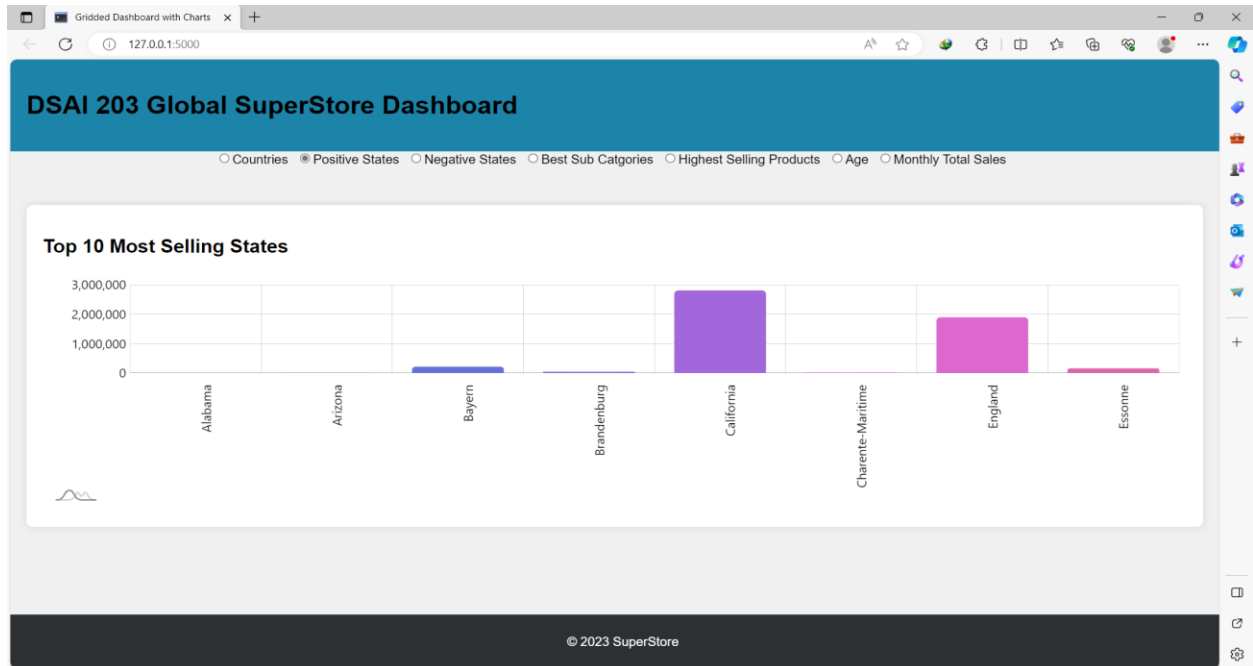


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Title: Top 10 Most Selling States

Visibility: When clicking on the radio button

Axis Titles: X-axis (States), Y-axis (Revenue)

Questions Answered:

What are the top 10 states with the highest sales figures?

What is the distribution of profits across different states?

Justification: Bar charts are one of the best charts for comparing the contribution of different countries to the total sales and it gives at a glance the best selling country due its simplicity and efficiency.

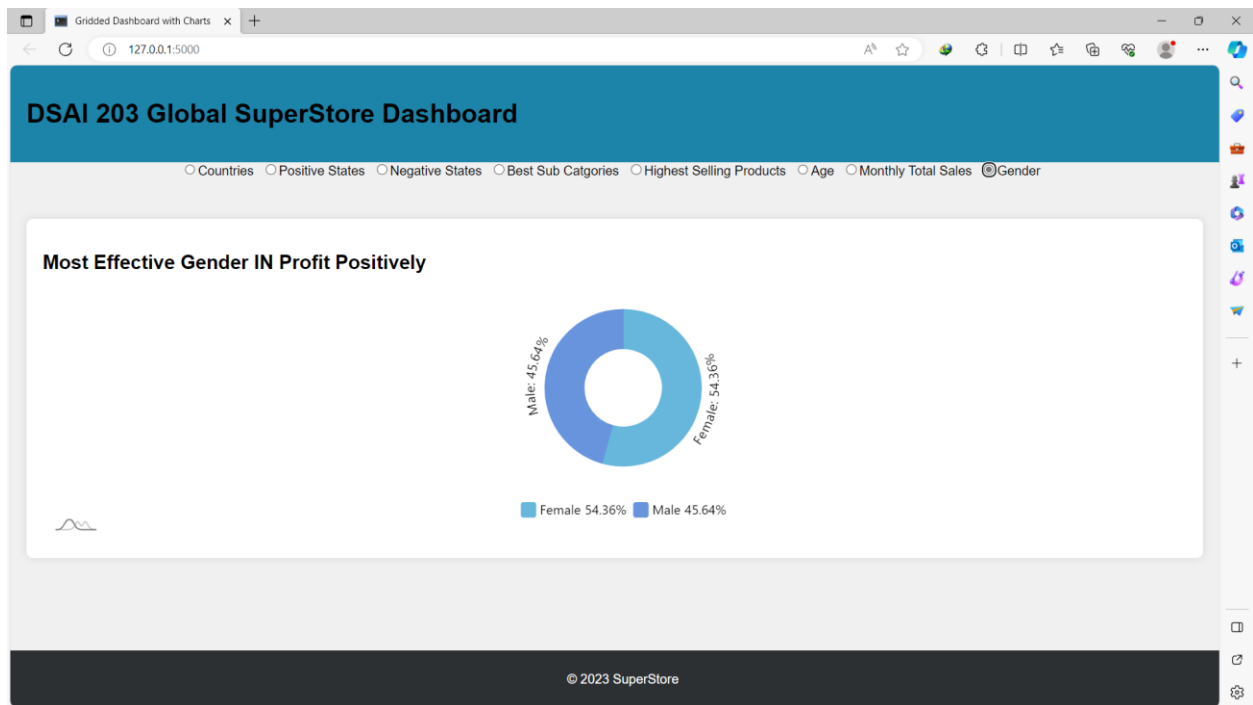


Chart Type: Donut Chart

Legend: Visible

Colors: 2 different shades of blue

Title: Most Effective Gender IN Profit Positively

Visibility: When clicking on the radio button

Questions Answered:

What is the gender-wise distribution of sales and profits?

Justification: Donut chart is the best chart to identify the distribution between distinct categories especially if there are two categories in this chart male and female so it gives us at a glance the exact percentage between males and females.

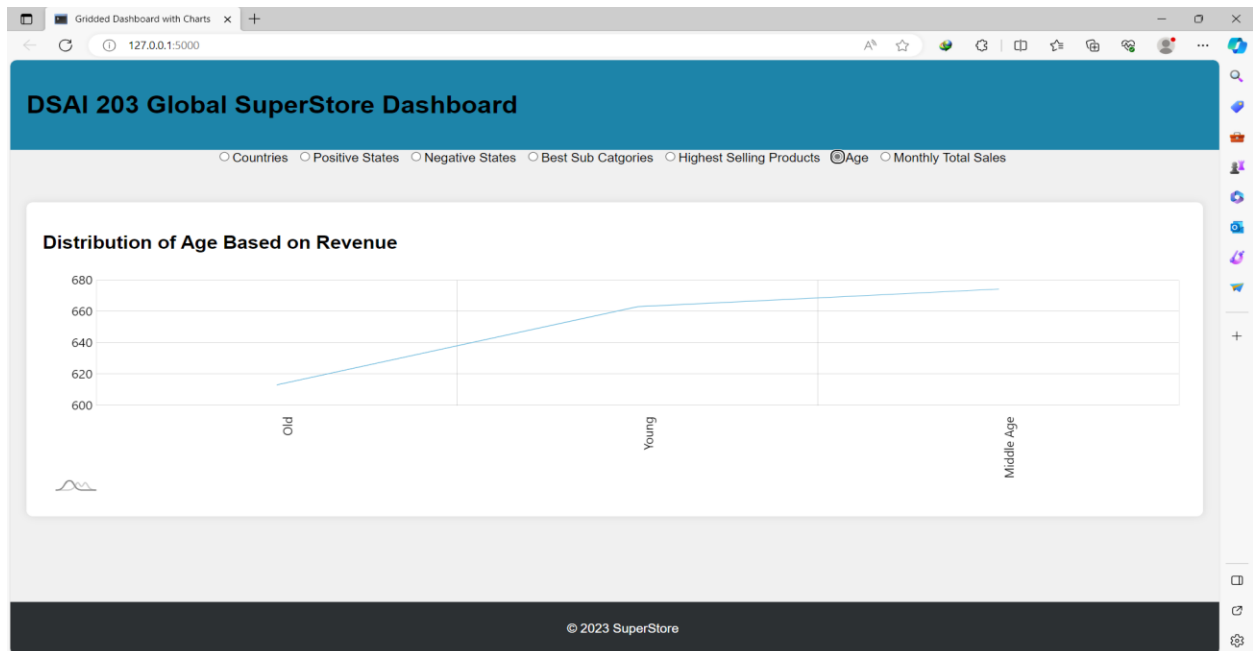


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Axis Titles: X-axis (Age Status), Y-axis (Revenue)

Title: Distribution of Age Based on Revenue

Visibility: When clicking on the radio button

Questions Answered:

What is the profitability status based on customer age?

How does the distribution of sales vary across different age groups?

Justification: I choose Line chart here because it is effective for showing trends of the revenue based on the ages so effectively it will give me the age who is the most effective positively over the revenue .

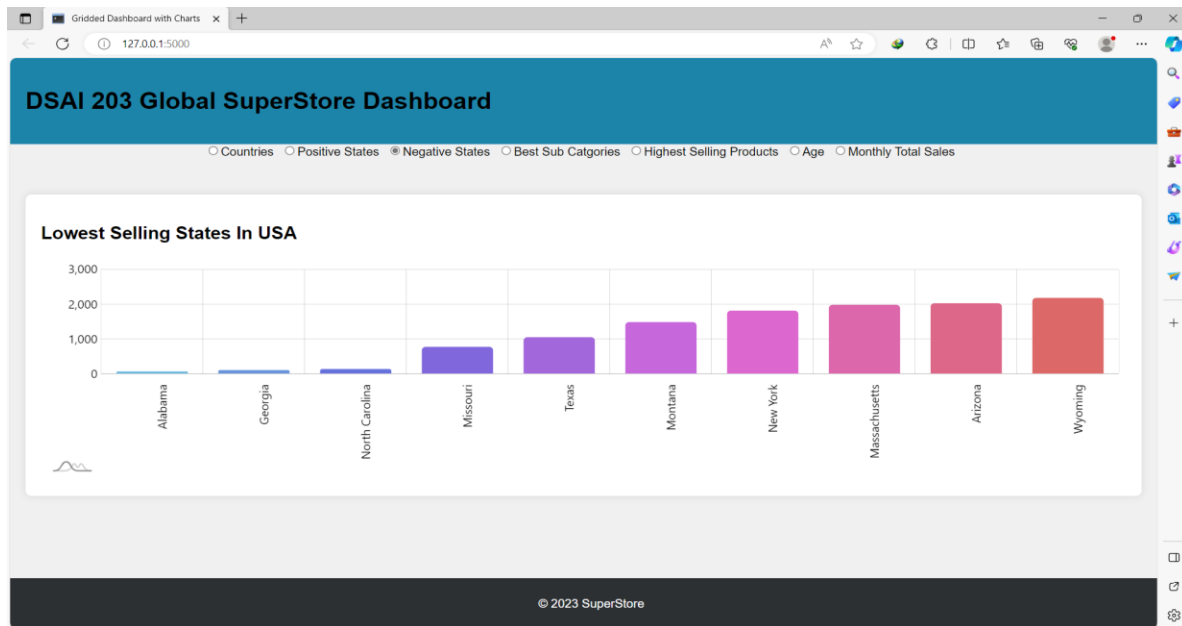


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Title: Lowest Selling States in USA

Visibility: When clicking on the radio button

Axis Titles: X-axis (States), Y-axis (Revenue)

Questions Answered:

Which states have the lowest sales figures?

Justification: Bar charts is one of the best charts for comparing the contribution of different countries to the total sales and it gives at a glance the best selling country due its simplicity and efficiency.

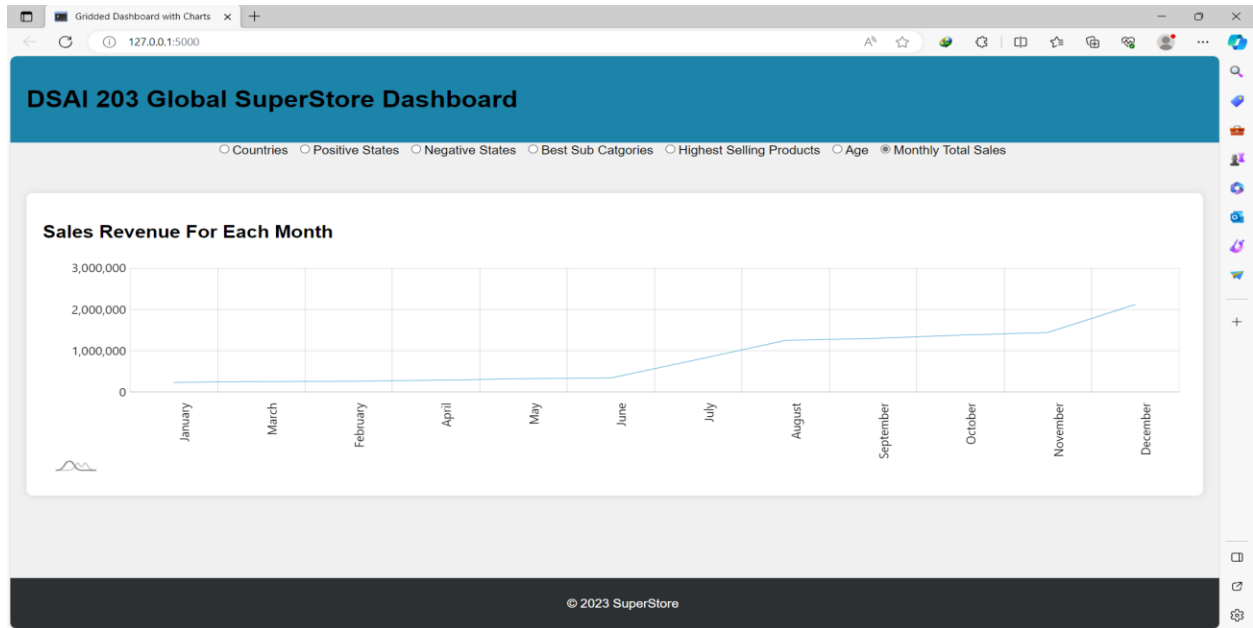


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Axis Titles: X-axis (Months), Y-axis (Revenue)

Title: Distribution of Age Based on Revenue

Visibility: When clicking on the radio button

Questions Answered:

What is the monthly total sales revenue pattern?

What is the overall trend in profits over the selected time period?

Justification: I choose Line chart here because it is effective for showing trends of the revenue based on the ages so this chart visualizes the trend in monthly sales revenue, allowing for easy identification of patterns.

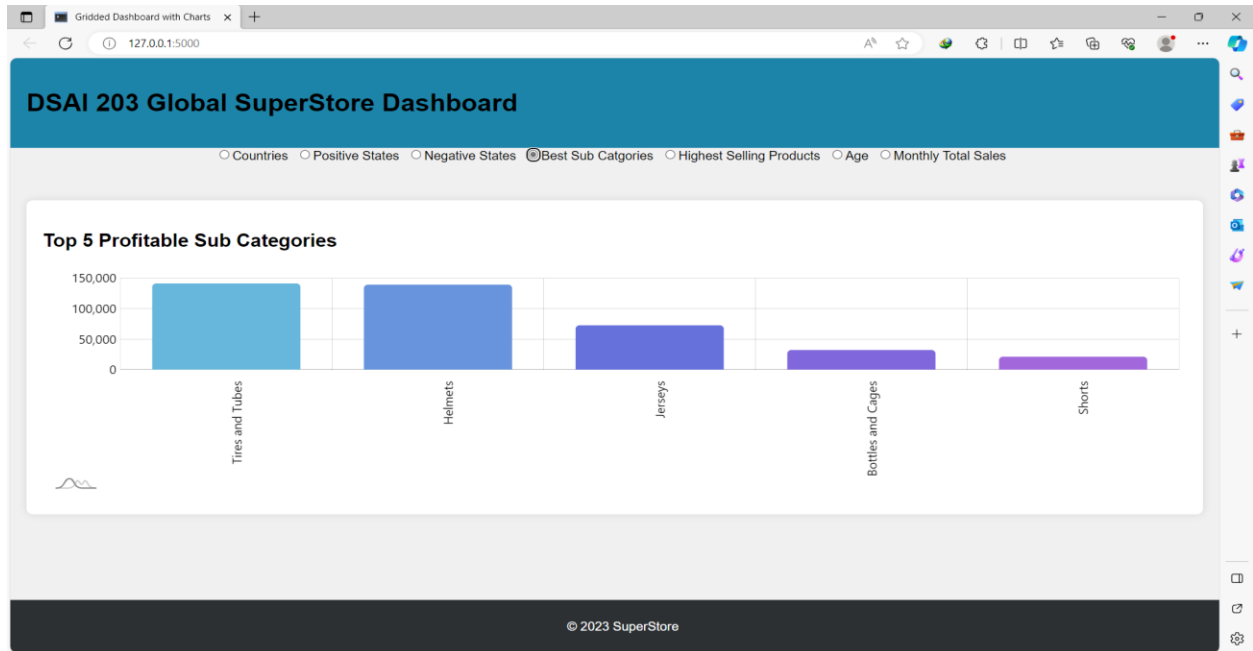


Chart Type: Bar Chart

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Title: Top 5 Profitable Product Sub Categories

Visibility: When clicking on the radio button

Axis Titles: X-axis (Sub Products), Y-axis (Profit)

Questions Answered:

How do sales vary across different product categories?

What are the top 5 best-selling Sub products globally?

Justification: Bar charts is one of the best charts for comparing the contribution of different products to the total sales(profit) and it gives at a glance the best-selling product due its simplicity and efficiency.

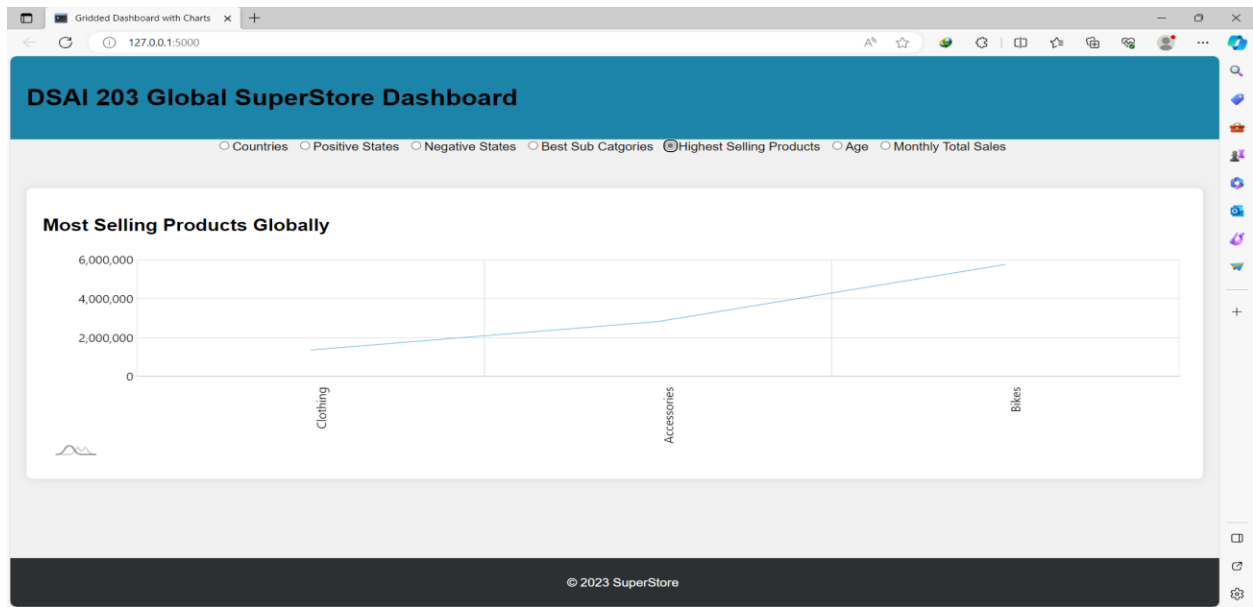


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Colors: Light Blue

Axis Titles: X-axis (Products), Y-axis (Revenue)

Title: Most Selling Products Globally

Visibility: When clicking on the radio button

Questions Answered:

What are the top 5 best-selling products globally?

Justification: I choose Line chart here because it is effective for showing trends of the profit based on the products so this chart visualizes the trend in sales' revenue, allowing for easy identification of patterns of profitability.

Why i selected these positions for each chart, title, buttons, colors?

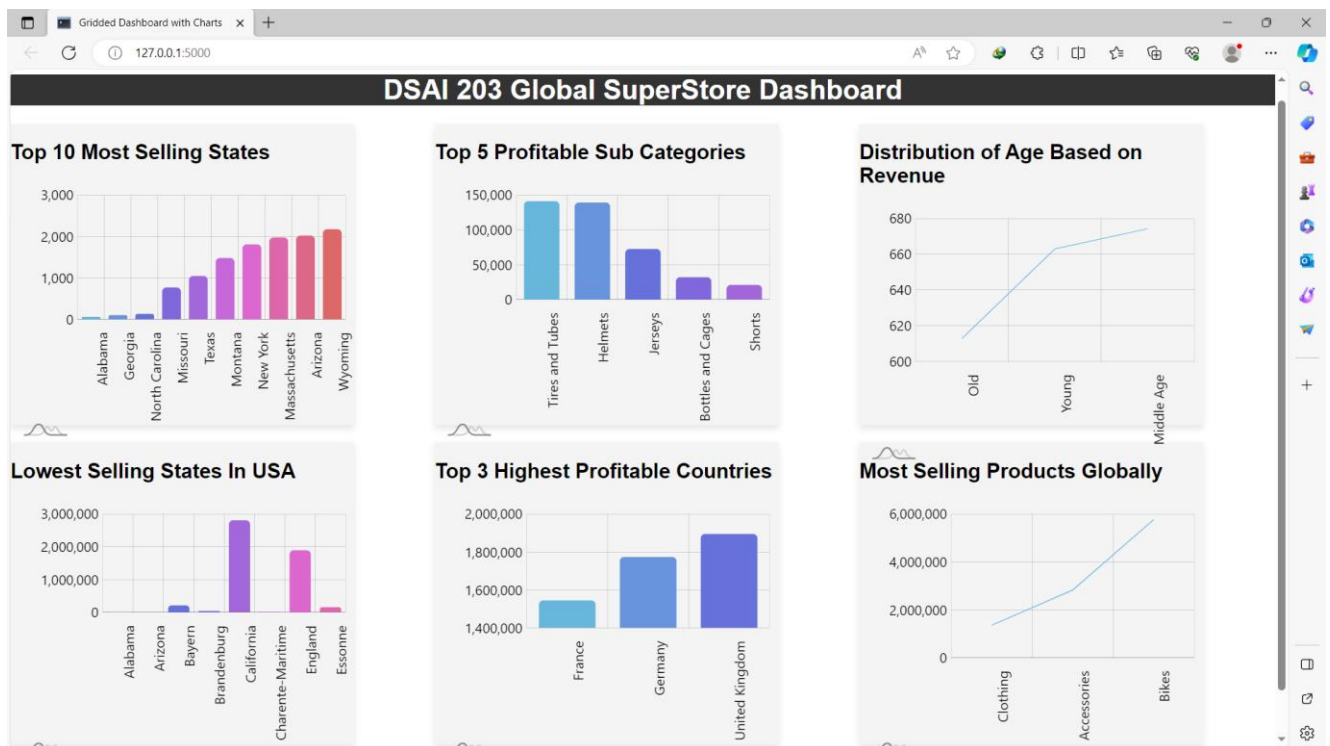
I wanted my insights to be clear, and fast to get the point from, so i choose to make the charts in the full screen mode. In addition, choose light cool colors to make the eyes of the client's only focus on the insight not the color and its brightness. I also decided to make the radio button in the front of the screen to make the axis clear and to make it easy to use. The title of the charts are very clear and on point to make the full benefit of the chart and to reduce the probability of any confusion that may occur so the decision makers could make their decision correctly and wisely.

Points that may be criticized in my design layout

My layout could be criticized in one point which is what if the clients want to see all the charts behind each other after they saw in the full screen mood so they take the full overview of the all the charts in the dashboard together

But i resolved this issue

I made a layout for the full dashboard so after they see the detailed charts one by one they will see the overall dashboard, but it also has disadvantage of the size of it in the full screen mode will make the charts smaller and somehow hard to read and to make it clear I had to remove the donut chart so it look nice and cool like this, so every layout has its strength and weakness.



Analysis of the second layout positions

I strategically positioned the states with the highest sales
on the left side,

intending to capture the client's immediate attention. Below this, a detailed chart highlights the performance of the lowest-selling states, providing clients with insights into both profitable and challenging markets.

In the middle section,

I focused on the most selling subcategory, presenting a breakdown of the best-selling countries within that subcategory. This ensures that clients receive comprehensive information about specific product segments and the key contributors to overall sales.

On the right side,

I incorporated line charts due to their visual prominence and the clarity they offer in depicting trends. This placement allows clients to quickly identify patterns and shifts in sales data.

The layout I made not only enhances visual appeal but also facilitates a swift and intuitive grasp of the sales performance.

Snapshot of the provided data (as tables)

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Object Explorer

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Databases

- System Databases
- Database Snapshots
- base
- ChicagoDB
- COMPANYDB_Lab11
- dsai203project
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 - Database Diagrams
 - Tables
 - System Tables
 - FileTables
 - External Tables
 - Graph Tables
 - dbo.ProjectDscleaned
 - Dropped Ledger Tables
 - Views
 - External Resources
 - Synonyms
 - Programmability
 - Query Store
 - Service Broker
 - Storage
 - Security
 - employee
 - Lab10
 - survey
 - SurveyDB_Lab11
 - users
- Server Objects
 - Security
 - Server Objects
 - Replication
 - Always On High Availability
 - Management
 - Integration Services Catalogs
 - SQL Server Agent (Agent XPs disabled)

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Results Messages

	index	Date	Month	Age	Gender	Country	State	Product Category	Sub Category	Quantity	Unit Cost	Unit Price	Total Cost	Revenue	Net Profit	Age Status
1	CU-06241	10/23/2015	October	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Tires and Tubes	2	2.5	2.5	5	5	0	Middle Age
2	CU-06242	10/23/2015	October	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Helmets	2	385	434	770	888	98	Middle Age
3	CU-06243	10/23/2015	October	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Tires and Tubes	2	25	28	50	56	6	Middle Age
4	CU-06244	10/23/2015	October	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Helmets	3	11.67	13	35	39	4	Middle Age
5	CU-06245	11/01/2015	November	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Tires and Tubes	2	75	83.5	150	167	17	Middle Age
6	CU-06246	11/01/2015	November	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Tires and Tubes	2	32.5	33.5	65	67	2	Middle Age
7	CU-06247	11/01/2015	November	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Tires and Tubes	3	4.67	5	14	15	1	Middle Age
8	CU-06248	11/13/2015	November	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Tires and Tubes	1	27	29	27	29	2	Middle Age
9	CU-06249	11/21/2015	November	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Tires and Tubes	2	52.5	54	105	108	3	Middle Age
10	CU-06250	11/21/2015	November	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Tires and Tubes	1	150	165	150	165	15	Middle Age
11	CU-06251	11/21/2015	November	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Helmets	3	93.33	88.666667	280	266	-14	Middle Age
12	CU-06252	12/17/2015	December	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Helmets	2	297.5	310.5	595	621	26	Middle Age
13	CU-06253	12/19/2015	December	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Tires and Tubes	1	10	11	10	11	1	Middle Age
14	CU-06254	12/19/2015	December	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Tires and Tubes	3	154.67	170.666667	454	512	48	Middle Age
15	CU-06255	12/19/2015	December	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Helmets	1	420	454	420	454	34	Middle Age
16	CU-06256	12/23/2015	December	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Tires and Tubes	2	456.5	453.5	913	907	-6	Middle Age
17	CU-06257	12/24/2015	December	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Tires and Tubes	1	150	167	150	167	17	Middle Age
18	CU-06258	12/24/2015	December	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Tires and Tubes	2	50	56	100	112	12	Middle Age
19	CU-06259	12/24/2015	December	41	Female	United States	Washington	Accessories	Helmets	1	1015	1112	1015	1112	97	Middle Age
20	CU-06260	12/14/2015	December	39	Male	United States	Oregon	Accessories	Helmets	2	385	447.5	770	895	125	Middle Age
21	CU-06261	03/28/2015	March	39	Male	United States	California	Bikes	Road Bikes	3	261	263	783	789	6	Middle Age
22	CU-06262	09/10/2015	Septemb...	39	Male	United States	California	Bikes	Road Bikes	1	1120	939	1120	939	-181	Middle Age
23	CU-06263	09/11/2015	Septemb...	39	Male	United States	California	Bikes	Road Bikes	3	373.33	306.666667	1120	920	-200	Middle Age
24	CU-06264	11/01/2015	November	39	Male	United States	California	Bikes	Road Bikes	3	180	176.333333	540	529	-11	Middle Age
25	CU-06265	12/01/2015	December	39	Male	United States	California	Bikes	Road Bikes	3	373.33	363.666667	1120	1091	-29	Middle Age
26	CU-06266	12/14/2015	December	39	Male	United States	California	Bikes	Road Bikes	2	560	560	1120	1120	0	Middle Age
27	CU-06267	12/26/2015	December	39	Male	United States	California	Bikes	Road Bikes	1	1701	1601	1701	1601	-100	Middle Age
28	CU-06268	10/01/2015	October	24	Male	United States	Washington	Clothing	Caps	3	36	41.666667	108	125	17	Young
29	CU-06269	11/03/2015	November	24	Male	United States	California	Accessories	Cleaners	1	175	201	175	201	26	Young
30	CU-06270	11/05/2015	November	26	Male	United States	California	Accessories	Hydration Packs	2	330	360.5	660	721	61	Young
31	CU-06271	11/05/2015	November	26	Male	United States	California	Clothing	Socks	1	108	115	108	115	7	Young
32	CU-06272	12/24/2015	December	26	Male	United States	California	Clothing	Socks	1	54	62	54	62	8	Young
33	CU-06273	12/02/2015	December	31	Female	France	Nord	Accessories	Tires and Tubes	2	42.5	53.5	85	107	22	Middle Age
34	CU-06274	12/02/2015	December	31	Female	France	Nord	Accessories	Tires and Tubes	1	240	260	240	260	20	Middle Age
35	CU-06275	12/02/2015	December	31	Female	France	Nord	Accessories	Helmets	3	105	80.333333	315	241	-74	Middle Age
36	CU-06276	12/02/2015	December	31	Female	France	Nord	Clothing	Caps	2	22.5	28.5	45	57	12	Middle Age
37	CU-06277	07/23/2015	July	36	Male	United Kingdom	England	Accessories	Bottles and Ca...	1	260	305	260	305	45	Middle Age

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Suggested future work

1-I want to be able to make my dashboard user could Personalize it for example,

Allow users to customize the dashboard according to their preferences. This could include adjustable periods, the ability to choose specific metrics, or personalized data views.

2-Real-time Data Updates: I want to be able to implemented real-time data updates to provide users with the latest information. This is crucial for industries where data changes rapidly not a static database.

3- Mobile Responsiveness: I want my dashboard to be mobile-friendly so who need to access information immediately does not with running the coding files. A responsive design improves accessibility and usability across various devices.



