

E-commerce SQL Case Study

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| orders | Table | |
| payments | Table | |
| products | Table | |
| sellers | Table | |

I. Customer & Order Overview

A. Data Types of All Columns in the customers Table

```
SELECT
    column_name,
    data_type,
    is_nullable
FROM `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.INFORMATION_SCHEMA.COLUMNS`
WHERE table_name = 'customers'
ORDER BY ordinal_position
```

Query results

| Job information | Results | Visualization | JSON | E |
|-----------------|--------------------------|----------------|------|----|
| Row | // column_name ▾ | // data_type ▾ | | // |
| 1 | customer_id | STRING | | |
| 2 | customer_unique_id | STRING | | |
| 3 | customer_zip_code_prefix | INT64 | | |
| 4 | customer_city | STRING | | |
| 5 | customer_state | STRING | | |

B . Getting the time range between which the orders were placed.

```
select min(order_purchase_timestamp), max(order_purchase_timestamp)
from `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.orders`
```

Earliest order placed: 2016-09-04 21:15:19 UTC

Latest order placed: 2018-10-17 17:30:18 UTC

Query results

| Job information | Results | Visualization | JSON |
|-----------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------|
| Row | // f0_ ▾ | // f1_ ▾ | // |
| 1 | 2016-09-04 21:15:19 UTC | 2018-10-17 17:30:18 UTC | |

C. Count of cities and states with customers who placed orders

```
select
count(distinct geolocation_city),
count(distinct geolocation_state) from
`target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.geolocation`
```

This Shows the geographical spread of the customer base.

Query results

| Job information | Results | Visualization |
|-----------------|----------|---------------|
| Row // f0_ ▾ | // f1_ ▾ | // |
| 1 | 8011 | 27 |

II. Order Trends & Seasonality

A. Month-on-month trend of orders over the years

```
SELECT
FORMAT_DATE('%Y-%m', order_purchase_timestamp) AS month,
COUNT(order_id) AS total_orders
from `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.orders`
GROUP BY 1
ORDER BY 1;
```

Query results

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| Job information | Results | Visualization | JSON | Execution details | Execution graph |
|-----------------|---------|---------------|------|-------------------|-----------------|
| Row | month | total_orders | | | |
| 1 | 2016-09 | 4 | | | |
| 2 | 2016-10 | 324 | | | |
| 3 | 2016-12 | 1 | | | |
| 4 | 2017-01 | 800 | | | |
| 5 | 2017-02 | 1780 | | | |
| 6 | 2017-03 | 2682 | | | |
| 7 | 2017-04 | 2404 | | | |
| 8 | 2017-05 | 3700 | | | |
| 9 | 2017-06 | 3245 | | | |
| 10 | 2017-07 | 4026 | | | |
| 11 | 2017-08 | 4331 | | | |
| 12 | 2017-09 | 4285 | | | |
| 13 | 2017-10 | 4631 | | | |
| 14 | 2017-11 | 7544 | | | |
| 15 | 2017-12 | 5673 | | | |
| 16 | 2018-01 | 7269 | | | |
| 17 | 2018-02 | 6728 | | | |
| 18 | 2018-03 | 7211 | | | |
| 19 | 2018-04 | 6939 | | | |

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B. Monthly seasonality in order placement

```
SELECT EXTRACT(MONTH FROM order_purchase_timestamp) AS month,
COUNT(order_id) AS total_orders
FROM `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.orders`
GROUP BY 1
ORDER BY 1;
```

Query results

Job information **Results** Visualization

| Row | month | total_orders |
|-----|-------|--------------|
| 1 | 1 | 8069 |
| 2 | 2 | 8508 |
| 3 | 3 | 9893 |
| 4 | 4 | 9343 |
| 5 | 5 | 10573 |
| 6 | 6 | 9412 |
| 7 | 7 | 10318 |
| 8 | 8 | 10843 |
| 9 | 9 | 4305 |
| 10 | 10 | 4959 |
| 11 | 11 | 7544 |
| 12 | 12 | 5674 |

Orders peak mostly between February and August, indicating seasonal demand

C. Time of day when customers place orders

```
SELECT
  case
    when extract(hour from order_purchase_timestamp) between 0 and 6 then "Dawn"
    when extract(hour from order_purchase_timestamp) between 7 and 12 then "Morning"
    when extract(hour from order_purchase_timestamp) between 13 and 18 then "Afternoon"
    when extract(hour from order_purchase_timestamp) between 19 and 23 then "Night"
  end as time_of_day,
  count(*) as total_orders
from `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.orders`
group by time_of_day
order by total_orders desc
```

Query results

| Job information | Results | Visualization | JSON |
|-----------------|------------------|----------------------|------|
| Row | // time_of_day ▾ | // total_orders ▾ // | |
| 1 | Afternoon | 38135 | |
| 2 | Night | 28331 | |
| 3 | Morning | 27733 | |
| 4 | Dawn | 5242 | |

Insight: Most orders are placed during the evening and night hours.

III. Regional Order Analysis (Brazil)

A. Month-on-month orders by state

```
SELECT  
c.customer_state,  
FORMAT_DATE('%m', o.order_purchase_timestamp) AS month,  
COUNT(o.order_id) AS total_orders  
FROM `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.orders` o  
JOIN `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.customers` c  
ON o.customer_id = c.customer_id  
GROUP BY 1,2  
ORDER BY 1,2;
```

B. Customer distribution across states

```
SELECT  
customer_state,  
COUNT(DISTINCT customer_unique_id) AS total_customers  
FROM `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.customers`  
GROUP BY 1  
ORDER BY total_customers DESC;
```

Query results

| Job information | Results | Visualization | J |
|-----------------|---------------------|-------------------------|---|
| Row | // customer_state ▾ | // total_customers ▾ // | |
| 1 | SP | 40302 | |
| 2 | RJ | 12384 | |
| 3 | MG | 11259 | |
| 4 | RS | 5277 | |
| 5 | PR | 4882 | |
| 6 | SC | 3534 | |
| 7 | BA | 3277 | |
| 8 | DF | 2075 | |
| 9 | ES | 1964 | |
| 10 | GO | 1952 | |

Insight: Few states contribute a majority of customers.

IV. Economic Impact Analysis

A. % increase in order value from 2017 to 2018 (Jan–Aug)

```
WITH payments_orders AS (
```

```
SELECT
```

```
p.payment_value,
```

```

o.order_purchase_timestamp
FROM `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.payments` p
JOIN `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.orders` o
ON p.order_id = o.order_id
)
SELECT
SUM(CASE WHEN DATE(order_purchase_timestamp) BETWEEN '2017-01-01' AND
'2017-08-31'
THEN payment_value END) AS value_2017,
SUM(CASE WHEN DATE(order_purchase_timestamp) BETWEEN '2018-01-01' AND
'2018-08-31'
THEN payment_value END) AS value_2018,
ROUND(100 * (
SUM(CASE WHEN DATE(order_purchase_timestamp) BETWEEN '2018-01-01' AND
'2018-08-31'
THEN payment_value END)
-
SUM(CASE WHEN DATE(order_purchase_timestamp) BETWEEN '2017-01-01' AND
'2017-08-31'
THEN payment_value END)
) /
SUM(CASE WHEN DATE(order_purchase_timestamp) BETWEEN '2017-01-01' AND
'2017-08-31'
THEN payment_value END),
2) AS percent_change
FROM payments_orders;

```

Query results

Job information **Results** **Visualization** **JSON**

| Row | value_2017 | value_2018 | percent_change |
|-----|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| 1 | 3669022.120000... | 8694733.840000... | 136.98 |

Insight: Shows YoY growth in transaction value.

B. Total & average order price by state

SELECT

```
C.customer_state,  
round(Sum(price)/count(distinct O.order_id)) as Avg_spent,  
round(sum(price)) as Total_spent  
FROM  
'target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.orders` O  
join  
'target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.customers` C  
on O.customer_id = C.customer_id  
JOIN  
'target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.order_items` OI  
ON O.order_id = OI.order_id  
  
group by 1  
order by 2 desc,3 desc
```

Query results

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| Job information | | Results | Visualization | JSON | Execution details | Execution graph |
|-----------------|----------------|-----------|---------------|------|-------------------|-----------------|
| Row | customer_state | Avg_spent | Total_spent | | | |
| 1 | PB | 217.0 | 115268.0 | | | |
| 2 | AP | 198.0 | 13474.0 | | | |
| 3 | AC | 197.0 | 15983.0 | | | |
| 4 | AL | 195.0 | 80315.0 | | | |
| 5 | RO | 187.0 | 46141.0 | | | |
| 6 | PA | 184.0 | 178948.0 | | | |
| 7 | TO | 178.0 | 49622.0 | | | |
| 8 | PI | 176.0 | 86914.0 | | | |
| 9 | MT | 173.0 | 156454.0 | | | |
| 10 | RN | 172.0 | 83035.0 | | | |
| 11 | CE | 171.0 | 227255.0 | | | |
| 12 | SE | 171.0 | 58921.0 | | | |
| 13 | RR | 170.0 | 7829.0 | | | |
| 14 | MS | 165.0 | 116813.0 | | | |
| 15 | MA | 162.0 | 119648.0 | | | |
| 16 | PE | 159.0 | 262788.0 | | | |

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C. Total & average freight value by state

```
SELECT
c.customer_state,
ROUND(SUM(oi.freight_value) / COUNT(DISTINCT o.order_id), 2) AS Avg_freight,
ROUND(SUM(oi.freight_value), 2) AS Total_freight
FROM
`target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.orders` O
JOIN
`target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.customers` C
ON O.customer_id = C.customer_id
JOIN
`target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.order_items` OI
ON O.order_id = OI.order_id
GROUP BY 1
ORDER BY 2 desc;
```

Query results Save results ▾

Job information Results Visualization JSON Execution details Execution graph

| Row | customer_state | Avg_freight | Total_freight |
|-----|----------------|-------------|---------------|
| 1 | RR | 48.59 | 2235.19 |
| 2 | PB | 48.35 | 25719.73 |
| 3 | RO | 46.22 | 11417.38 |
| 4 | AC | 45.52 | 3686.75 |
| 5 | PI | 43.04 | 21218.2 |
| 6 | MA | 42.6 | 31523.77 |
| 7 | TO | 42.05 | 11732.68 |
| 8 | AP | 41.01 | 2788.5 |
| 9 | SE | 40.9 | 14111.47 |
| 10 | PA | 39.9 | 38699.3 |
| 11 | RN | 39.13 | 18860.1 |
| 12 | AL | 38.72 | 15914.59 |
| 13 | AM | 37.27 | 5478.89 |
| 14 | CE | 36.44 | 48351.59 |
| 15 | PE | 36.07 | 59449.66 |

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V. Delivery & Logistics Performance

A. Actual delivery time and delay vs estimate

```

SELECT
order_id,
DATE_DIFF(order_delivered_customer_date, order_purchase_timestamp, DAY) AS
actual_delivery_days,
DATE_DIFF(order_delivered_customer_date, order_estimated_delivery_date, DAY)
AS delay_vs_estimate
FROM `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.orders`
WHERE order_delivered_customer_date IS NOT NULL;

```

Query results Save results ▾

| Job information | Results | Visualization | JSON | Execution details | Execution graph |
|-----------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| Row | order_id | actual_delivery_d... | delay_vs_estimate | | |
| 1 | 65d1e226dfaeb8cdc42f665422... | 35 | -16 | | |
| 2 | 2c45c33d2f9cb8ff8b1c86cc28c... | 30 | -28 | | |
| 3 | 1950d777989f6a877539f53795... | 30 | 12 | | |
| 4 | bfb0f9bdef84302105ad712db... | 54 | 36 | | |
| 5 | 98974b076b01553d49ee64679... | 43 | -6 | | |
| 6 | c4b41c36dd589e901f6879f25a... | 36 | -14 | | |
| 7 | d2292ff2201e74c5db154d1b7a... | 29 | -20 | | |
| 8 | 95e01270fcbae9863423400103... | 30 | -19 | | |
| 9 | ed8c7b1b3eb256c70ce0c7423... | 44 | -5 | | |
| 10 | 5cc475c7c03290048eb2e742cd... | 68 | 18 | | |

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B. Top & bottom 5 states by average freight value

```

WITH freight_avg AS (
SELECT
c.customer_state,
ROUND(SUM(oi.freight_value) / COUNT(DISTINCT o.order_id), 2) AS avg_freight
FROM `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.orders` o
JOIN `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.customers` c
ON o.customer_id = c.customer_id
JOIN `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.order_items` oi
ON o.order_id = oi.order_id
GROUP BY 1

```

```
)  
  
SELECT *  
FROM (  
    SELECT * FROM freight_avg  
    ORDER BY avg_freight DESC  
    LIMIT 5  
)
```

UNION ALL

```
SELECT *  
FROM (  
    SELECT * FROM freight_avg  
    ORDER BY avg_freight ASC  
    LIMIT 5  
);
```

Query results

| Job information | Results | Visualization | JSON |
|-----------------|----------------|---------------|------|
| Row | customer_state | avg_freight | |
| 1 | RR | 48.59 | |
| 2 | PB | 48.35 | |
| 3 | RO | 46.22 | |
| 4 | AC | 45.52 | |
| 5 | PI | 43.04 | |
| 6 | SP | 17.37 | |
| 7 | MG | 23.46 | |
| 8 | PR | 23.58 | |
| 9 | DF | 23.82 | |
| 10 | RJ | 23.95 | |

C. Top & bottom 5 states by average delivery time

```
WITH delivery_avg AS (
  SELECT c.customer_state,
    ROUND(AVG(DATE_DIFF(o.order_delivered_customer_date,
o.order_purchase_timestamp, DAY)), 2
  ) AS avg_delivery_days
  FROM `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.orders` o
```

```
JOIN `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.customers` c
  ON o.customer_id = c.customer_id
 WHERE o.order_delivered_customer_date IS NOT NULL
 GROUP BY 1
)

SELECT *
FROM (
  SELECT * FROM delivery_avg
  ORDER BY avg_delivery_days DESC
  LIMIT 5
)

UNION ALL

SELECT *
FROM (
  SELECT * FROM delivery_avg
  ORDER BY avg_delivery_days ASC
  LIMIT 5
);
```

Query results

| Job information | Results | Visualization | JSON |
|-----------------|----------------|-------------------|------|
| Row | customer_state | avg_delivery_days | |
| 1 | RR | 28.98 | |
| 2 | AP | 26.73 | |
| 3 | AM | 25.99 | |
| 4 | AL | 24.04 | |
| 5 | PA | 23.32 | |
| 6 | SP | 8.3 | |
| 7 | PR | 11.53 | |
| 8 | MG | 11.54 | |
| 9 | DF | 12.51 | |
| 10 | SC | 14.48 | |

D. States **with** fastest delivery vs estimated date

```
WITH state_delivery AS (
  SELECT
    c.customer_state,
    ROUND(AVG(DATE_DIFF(o.order_delivered_customer_date,
      o.order_purchase_timestamp, DAY)), 2) AS avg_actual,
    ROUND(AVG(DATE_DIFF(o.order_estimated_delivery_date,
      o.order_purchase_timestamp, DAY)), 2) AS avg_estimated
  FROM `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.orders` o
```

```

JOIN `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.customers` c
ON o.customer_id = c.customer_id
WHERE o.order_delivered_customer_date IS NOT NULL
GROUP BY 1
)
SELECT
customer_state,
ROUND(avg_estimated - avg_actual, 2) AS days_faster_than_estimate
FROM state_delivery
ORDER BY days_faster_than_estimate DESC
LIMIT 5;

```

Query results

| Job information | | Results | Visualization | J |
|-----------------|----------------|---------------------|---------------|---|
| Row | customer_state | days_faster_than... | | |
| 1 | AC | 20.08 | | |
| 2 | RO | 19.48 | | |
| 3 | AP | 19.14 | | |
| 4 | AM | 18.93 | | |
| 5 | RR | 16.65 | | |

VI. Payment Analysis

A. Month-on-month orders by payment type

```

SELECT
p.payment_type,

```

```

FORMAT_DATE('%Y-%m', o.order_purchase_timestamp) AS month,
COUNT(DISTINCT o.order_id) AS total_orders
FROM `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.payments` p
JOIN `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.orders` o ON p.order_id = o.order_id
GROUP BY 1,2
ORDER BY 2;

```

Query results

| Job information | | Results | Visualization | JSON | Execution details |
|-----------------|--------------|---------|---------------|--------------|-------------------|
| Row | payment_type | month | | total_orders | |
| 1 | credit_card | 2016-09 | | 3 | |
| 2 | debit_card | 2016-10 | | 2 | |
| 3 | UPI | 2016-10 | | 63 | |
| 4 | credit_card | 2016-10 | | 253 | |
| 5 | voucher | 2016-10 | | 11 | |
| 6 | credit_card | 2016-12 | | 1 | |
| 7 | debit_card | 2017-01 | | 9 | |
| 8 | UPI | 2017-01 | | 197 | |
| 9 | voucher | 2017-01 | | 33 | |
| 10 | credit_card | 2017-01 | | 582 | |
| 11 | debit_card | 2017-02 | | 13 | |
| 12 | UPI | 2017-02 | | 398 | |

B. Find the no. of orders placed on the basis of the payment installments that have been paid.

```

SELECT
payment_installments,
COUNT(DISTINCT o.order_id) AS total_orders
FROM `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.payments` p
JOIN `target-449309-449917.Target_Case_study.orders` o ON p.order_id = o.order_id

```

```
WHERE payment_installments >= 1  
AND payment_value > 0  
GROUP BY 1  
ORDER BY 1;
```

Here I am taking payment_installments>=1 and payment_value>0 both purposely because data is not clean some rows have payment_installments>=1 but payment_value=0

Query results

| Job information | Results | Visualiz |
|-----------------|---------------------|--------------|
| Row | payment_installm... | total_orders |
| 1 | 1 | 49057 |
| 2 | 2 | 12389 |
| 3 | 3 | 10443 |
| 4 | 4 | 7088 |
| 5 | 5 | 5234 |
| 6 | 6 | 3916 |