



SQL Mini Project -

The Great Pizza Sales Analysis

About the Company

About IDC Pizza

Fast-Growing Chain

IDC Pizza is a fast-growing pizza chain

High Volume

Handles thousands of orders every month

Rich Dataset

Dataset contains: pizza types, sizes, prices, orders & order details

Analysis Goal

Goal: Analyze sales performance, customer patterns & product insights

🎯 Objective of the Mini Project

Core Tasks

- Clean & explore raw pizza datasets
- Solve business-driven SQL questions
- Use filtering, joins, aggregations & self joins

Generate insights on:

- ✓ Sales performance
- ✓ Category trends
- ✓ Unordered items
- ✓ Pricing patterns



PHASE 1 – BASIC EXPLORATION

Topics Covered:

- Removing duplicates
- Handling NULL values
- Exploring pizza categories and attributes
- Understanding missing data

What We Achieved:

- Identified distinct pizza categories
- Cleaned ingredient information
- Found pizzas with missing price values



Phase 1 – Questions, Queries & Output

Q1: List all unique pizza categories

```
SELECT DISTINCT category FROM pizza_types;
```

#	Category
1	Chicken
2	Classic
3	Veggie
4	Supreme

Q2: First 5 pizza types (replace NULL ingredients)

```
SELECT pizza_type_id, name,  
COALESCE(ingredients, 'Missing Data')  
AS ingredients  
FROM pizza_types  
LIMIT 5;;
```

#	Pizza_Type_ID	Name	Ingredients
1	bbq_ckn	The Barbecue Chicken Pizza	Barbecued Chicken, Red Peppers, Green Peppers, Tomatoes, Red Onions, Barbecue Sauce
2	cali_ckn	The California Chicken Pizza	Chicken, Artichoke, Spinach, Garlic, Jalapeno Peppers, Fontina Cheese, Gouda Cheese
3	ckn_alfredo	The Chicken Alfredo Pizza	Chicken, Red Onions, Red Peppers, Mushrooms, Asiago Cheese, Alfredo Sauce
4	ckn_pesto	The Chicken Pesto Pizza	Chicken, Tomatoes, Red Peppers, Spinach, Garlic, Pesto Sauce
5	southw_ckn	The Southwest Chicken Pizza	Chicken, Tomatoes, Red Peppers, Red Onions, Jalapeno Peppers, Corn, Cilantro, Chipotle Sauce

Phase 1 – Questions, Queries & Output

Q3: Find pizzas missing price

```
SELECT  
    pizza_id,  
    pizza_type_id,  
    size,  
    price  
FROM pizzas  
WHERE price IS NULL;
```

Query produced no results

PHASE 2 – FILTERING & EXPLORATION

Topics Covered:

- Date-based filtering
- String matching (LIKE)
- Sorting & pagination
- Range filtering
- Time filtering



Purpose:

To understand ordering patterns and filter products/customers efficiently.

Phase 2– Questions, Queries & Output

Q1. Orders placed on 2015-01-01

```
SELECT * FROM orders  
WHERE date = '2015-01-01';
```

ID	ORDER_ID	DATE	TIME
1	1	2015-01-01	11:38:36
2	2	2015-01-01	11:57:40
3	3	2015-01-01	12:12:28
4	4	2015-01-01	12:16:31
5	5	2015-01-01	12:21:30
6	6	2015-01-01	12:29:36

Q2: List pizzas by price (high → low)

```
SELECT *FROM pizzas  
ORDER BY price DESC;
```

ID	PIZZA_ID	PIZZA_TYPE_ID	SIZE	PRICE
1	the_greek_xxL	the_greek	XXL	35.95
2	the_greek_xL	the_greek	XL	25.50
3	brie_carre_s	brie_carre	S	23.65
4	ital_veggie_l	ital_veggie	L	21.00
5	spicy_ital_l	spicy_ital	L	20.75
6	thai_ckn_l	thai_ckn	L	20.75

Phase 2– Questions, Queries & Output

Q3. Pizzas in L or XL size

```
SELECT *FROM pizzas  
WHERE size IN ('L', 'XL');
```

#	A_PIZZA_ID	A_PIZZA_TYPE_ID	A_SIZE	# PRICE :
1	bbq_ckn_l	bbq_ckn	L	20.75
2	cali_ckn_l	cali_ckn	L	20.75
3	ckn_alfredo_l	ckn_alfredo	L	20.75
4	ckn_pesto_l	ckn_pesto	L	20.75
5	southw_ckn_l	southw_ckn	L	20.75
6	thai_ckn_l	thai_ckn	L	20.75
7	big_meat_l	big_meat	L	20.50
8	classic_dlx_l	classic_dlx	L	20.50
9	hawaiian_l	hawaiian	L	16.50

Q4: Pizzas priced between 15\$ and 17\$

```
SELECT *FROM pizzas  
WHERE price BETWEEN 15 AND 17  
ORDER BY price;
```

#	A_PIZZA_ID	A_PIZZA_TYPE_ID	A_SIZE	# PRICE
1	pepperoni_l	pepperoni	L	15.25
2	five_cheese_m	five_cheese	M	15.50
3	veggie_veg_m	veggie_veg	M	16.00
4	the_greek_m	the_greek	M	16.00
5	napolitana_m	napolitana	M	16.00
6	ital_cpcillo_m	ital_cpcillo	M	16.00
7	green_garden_m	green_garden	M	16.00
8	classic_dlx_m	classic_dlx	M	16.00
9	bio_meat_m	bio_meat	M	16.00

Phase 2– Questions, Queries & Output

Q5. Pizzas containing the word “Chicken”

```
SELECT *FROM pizza_types  
WHERE name LIKE '%Chicken%';
```

#	PIZZA_TYPE_ID	NAME	CATEGORY	INGREDIENTS
1	bbq_ckn	The Barbecue Chicken Pizza	Chicken	Barbecued Chicken, Red Peppers, Green Peppers, Tomato, Bacon, Onions, Lettuce, Ranch Dressing
2	cali_ckn	The California Chicken Pizza	Chicken	Chicken, Artichoke, Spinach, Garlic, Jalapeno Peppers, Fresh Mozzarella, Tomato, Lettuce, Onion, Tomatoe Sauce
3	ckn_alfredo	The Chicken Alfredo Pizza	Chicken	Chicken, Red Onions, Red Peppers, Mushrooms, Asiago Cheese, Tomatoe Sauce, Alfredo Cream
4	ckn_pesto	The Chicken Pesto Pizza	Chicken	Chicken, Tomatoes, Red Peppers, Spinach, Garlic, Pesto, Tomatoe Sauce
5	southw_ckn	The Southwest Chicken Pizza	Chicken	Chicken, Tomatoes, Red Peppers, Red Onions, Jalapeno Peppers, Lettuce, Tomatoe Sauce, Cheddar Cheese
6	thai_ckn	The Thai Chicken Pizza	Chicken	Chicken, Pineapple, Tomatoes, Red Peppers, Thai Sweet Chili Sauce, Lettuce, Tomatoe Sauce

Q6: Orders on 2015-02-15 OR placed after 8 PM

```
SELECT *FROM orders  
WHERE date = '2015-02-15'  
OR time > '20:00:00';
```

#	ORDER_ID	DATE	TIME
1	60	2015-01-01	20:05:16
2	61	2015-01-01	20:08:43
3	62	2015-01-01	20:50:16
4	63	2015-01-01	20:51:42
5	64	2015-01-01	20:52:08
6	65	2015-01-01	21:16:00
7	66	2015-01-01	21:47:55
8	67	2015-01-01	22:03:40
9	68	2015-01-01	22:07:32



PHASE 3 – SALES PERFORMANCE & JOIN ANALYSIS

Topics Covered:

- Aggregations (SUM, AVG)
- Joining multiple tables
- Category-wise insights
- Identifying unordered pizzas
- Comparing prices using self join
- Subquery, Windows Functions, CTEs

Goal:

To understand sales volume, revenue, category performance & pricing strategy.

Phase 3 – Questions, Queries & Output

Q1: Total quantity of pizzas sold

```
SELECT SUM(quantity) AS total_pizza_sold  
FROM order_details;
```

	# TOTAL_PIZZA SOLD
1	49574

Q2: Average pizza price

```
SELECT ROUND(AVG(price), 2)  
AS avg_pizza_price  
FROM pizzas;
```

	# AVG_PIZZA PRICE
1	16.44

Phase 3 – Questions, Queries & Output

Q3: Total order value per order

```
SELECT od.order_id,  
       SUM(od.quantity * p.price)  
             AS total_order_value  
FROM order_details od  
JOIN pizzas p  
      ON od.pizza_id = p.pizza_id  
GROUP BY od.order_id  
ORDER BY total_order_value DESC;
```

#	ORDER_ID	TOTAL_ORDER_VALUE
1	18845	444.20
2	10760	417.15
3	1096	285.15
4	6169	284.00
5	740	280.95
6	12257	276.75
7	1685	272.75
8	4482	267.20
9	5452	267.10

Q4: Total quantity sold per pizza category

```
SELECT pt.category, SUM(od.quantity)  
          AS total_quantity_sold  
FROM pizza_types pt  
JOIN pizzas p  
      ON pt.pizza_type_id = p.pizza_type_id  
JOIN order_details od  
      ON p.pizza_id = od.pizza_id  
GROUP BY pt.category  
ORDER BY total_quantity_sold DESC;
```

#	CATEGORY	TOTAL QUANTITY SOLD
1	Classic	14888
2	Supreme	11987
3	Veggie	11649
4	Chicken	11050

Phase 3 – Questions, Queries & Output

Q5: Categories with more than 5000 pizzas sold

```
SELECT pt.category,
       SUM(od.quantity)
          AS total_quantity_sold
    FROM pizza_types pt
  JOIN pizzas p
    ON pt.pizza_type_id = p.pizza_type_id
  JOIN order_details od
    ON p.pizza_id = od.pizza_id
 GROUP BY pt.category
 HAVING SUM(od.quantity) > 5000;
```

	CATEGORY	TOTAL QUANTITY SOLD
1	Chicken	11050
2	Veggie	11649
3	Supreme	11987
4	Classic	14888

Phase 3 – Questions, Queries & Output

Q6: Pizzas never ordered

```
SELECT p.pizza_id,  
       p.size,  
       pt.category,  
       od.order_id  
  FROM pizzas p  
 LEFT JOIN pizza_types pt  
    ON p.pizza_type_id = pt.pizza_type_id  
LEFT JOIN order_details od  
    ON p.pizza_id = od.pizza_id  
 WHERE od.order_id IS NULL;
```

#	PIZZA_ID	SIZE	CATEGORY	ORDER_ID
1	big_meat_l	L	Classic	null
2	big_meat_m	M	Classic	null
3	five_cheese_m	M	Veggie	null
4	five_cheese_s	S	Veggie	null
5	four_cheese_s	S	Veggie	null

Phase 3 – Questions, Queries & Output

Q7: Price difference between pizza sizes (SELF JOIN)

```
SELECT p1.pizza_type_id,  
       p1.size AS size_1,  
       p2.size AS size_2,  
       p1.price AS price_1,  
       p2.price AS price_2,  
       (p2.price - p1.price)  
             AS price_difference  
FROM pizzas p1  
JOIN pizzas p2  
      ON p1.pizza_type_id = p2.pizza_type_id  
     AND p1.size < p2.size  
ORDER BY p1.pizza_type_id;
```

ID	PIZZA_TYPE_ID	SIZE_1	SIZE_2	PRICE_1	PRICE_2	PRICE_DIFFERENCE
1	bbq_ckn	M	S	16.75	12.75	-4.00
2	bbq_ckn	L	S	20.75	12.75	-8.00
3	bbq_ckn	L	M	20.75	16.75	-4.00
4	big_meat	M	S	16.00	12.00	-4.00
5	big_meat	L	S	20.50	12.00	-8.50
6	big_meat	L	M	20.50	16.00	-4.50
7	calabrese	M	S	16.25	12.25	-4.00
8	calabrese	L	S	20.25	12.25	-8.00
9	calabrese	L	M	20.25	16.25	-4.00

Phase 3 – Questions, Queries & Output

Q8: Most expensive pizza in each category (Correlated Subquery)

```
SELECT
    pt.category,
    p.pizza_id,
    p.size,
    p.price
FROM pizzas p
JOIN pizza_types pt
    ON p.pizza_type_id = pt.pizza_type_id
WHERE p.price = (
    SELECT MAX(p2.price)
    FROM pizzas p2
    WHERE p2.pizza_type_id = p.pizza_type_id);
```

ID	CATEGORY	PIZZA_ID	SIZE	PRICE
1	Chicken	bbq_ckn_l	L	20.75
2	Chicken	cali_ckn_l	L	20.75
3	Chicken	ckn_alfredo_l	L	20.75
4	Chicken	ckn_pesto_l	L	20.75
5	Chicken	southw_ckn_l	L	20.75
6	Chicken	thai_ckn_l	L	20.75
7	Classic	big_meat_l	L	20.50
8	Classic	classic_dlx_l	L	20.50
9	Classic	hawaiian_l	L	16.50
10	Classic	ital_cpclo_l	L	20.50

Phase 3 – Questions, Queries & Output

Q9: Pizzas priced above the average pizza price

```
SELECT
    p.pizza_id,
    p.size,
    p.price
FROM pizzas p
WHERE p.price > (
    SELECT AVG(price) FROM pizzas)
ORDER BY p.price DESC;
```

ID	PIZZA_ID	SIZE	PRICE
1	the_greek_xxL	XXL	35.95
2	the_greek_xL	XL	25.50
3	brie_carre_s	S	23.65
4	ital_veggie_l	L	21.00
5	bbq_ckn_l	L	20.75
6	prsc_argla_l	L	20.75
7	peppr_salami_l	L	20.75
8	ital_supr_l	L	20.75
9	soppressata_l	L	20.75
10	spicy_ital_l	L	20.75

Phase 3 – Questions, Queries & Output

Q10: Rank pizzas by total revenue within each category

```
SELECT
    pt.category,
    p.pizza_id,
    p.size,
    SUM(od.quantity * p.price) AS total_revenue,
    RANK() OVER (
        PARTITION BY pt.category
        ORDER BY SUM(od.quantity * p.price) DESC )
        AS revenue_rank
FROM order_details od
JOIN pizzas p
    ON od.pizza_id = p.pizza_id
JOIN pizza_types pt
    ON p.pizza_type_id = pt.pizza_type_id
GROUP BY pt.category, p.pizza_id, p.size;
```

#	CATEGORY	PIZZA_ID	SIZE	TOTAL_REVENUE	REVENUE_RANK
1	Chicken	thai_ckn_l	L	29257.50	1
2	Chicken	southw_ckn_l	L	21082.00	2
3	Chicken	bbq_ckn_l	L	20584.00	3
4	Chicken	cali_ckn_l	L	19235.25	4
5	Chicken	bbq_ckn_m	M	16013.00	5
6	Chicken	cali_ckn_m	M	15812.00	6
7	Chicken	ckn_alfredo_m	M	11775.25	7
8	Chicken	southw_ckn_m	M	8944.50	8
9	Chicken	ckn_pesto_l	L	8279.25	9
10	Chicken	thai_ckn_m	M	8056.75	10

Phase 3 – Questions, Queries & Output

Q11: Top 3 best-selling pizzas in each size (ROW_NUMBER)

```
WITH sales AS (
    SELECT p.size, p.pizza_id,
           SUM(od.quantity) AS total_qty
      FROM order_details od
     JOIN pizzas p
       ON od.pizza_id = p.pizza_id
     GROUP BY p.size, p.pizza_id)
SELECT *FROM (
    SELECT size, pizza_id,
           total_qty,
           ROW_NUMBER() OVER (PARTITION BY size
                               ORDER BY total_qty DESC) AS rn
      FROM sales) t
 WHERE rn <= 3;
```

#	A_SIZE	A_PIZZA_ID	# TOTAL_QTY	# RN
1	S	big_meat_s	1914	1
2	S	hawaiian_s	1020	2
3	S	classic_dlx_s	799	3
4	XL	the_greek_xl	552	1
5	L	thai_ckn_l	1410	1
6	L	five_cheese_l	1409	2
7	L	four_cheese_l	1316	3
8	M	classic_dlx_m	1181	1
9	M	bbq_ckn_m	956	2
10	M	cali_ckn_m	944	3

Phase 3 – Questions, Queries & Output

Q12: CTE to calculate revenue per pizza type & filter those above ₹40,000

```
WITH revenue_cte AS (
    SELECT
        pt.pizza_type_id,
        pt.name,
        SUM(od.quantity * p.price)
        AS total_revenue
    FROM order_details od
    JOIN pizzas p
        ON od.pizza_id = p.pizza_id
    JOIN pizza_types pt
        ON p.pizza_type_id = pt.pizza_type_id
    GROUP BY pt.pizza_type_id, pt.name)
SELECT *FROM revenue_cte
WHERE total_revenue > 40000
ORDER BY total_revenue DESC;
```



The screenshot shows a data visualization interface with a dark theme. At the top, there are two tabs: 'Table' (which is selected) and 'Chart'. Below the tabs is a table with the following data:

	PIZZA_TYPE_ID	NAME	TOTAL_REVENUE
1	thai_ckn	The Thai Chicken Pizza	43434.25
2	bbq_ckn	The Barbecue Chicken Pizza	42768.00
3	cali_ckn	The California Chicken Pizza	41409.50



Key Business Insights

📈 Sales Volume Milestone

The Stat: 49,574 Pizzas Sold.

The Insight: Reaching nearly 50,000 sales confirms strong market demand and established operational stability.

💰 Effective Pricing Strategy

The Stat: \$16.44 Average Price.

The Insight: An average transaction of \$16.44 indicates that mid-range pricing is the primary driver of sales volume.

🏆 High-Value Opportunities

The Stat: Orders #18845 & #10760.

The Insight: These two exceptionally large orders highlight a potential opportunity to expand into bulk sales.

📈 Category Growth Potential

The Stat: Chicken Category Ranks Last.

The Insight: Classic pizzas lead in volume, while Chicken sells the least. Targeted marketing for Chicken pizzas represents a clear area for revenue growth.

✖️ Inventory Efficiency

The Stat: 5 Items with ZERO Sales.

The Insight: Items like 'Big Meat' (L & M) and 'Five Cheese' (M & S) and 'Four Cheese' (S) have no sales history. Removing them will optimize inventory space without impacting revenue.



Key Business Insights

⌚ Pricing Opportunity

The Stat: \$4.00 Price Gap.

The Insight: The Large Hawaiian pizza (\$16.50) is significantly cheaper than similar Classic pizzas (\$20.50). Raising its price to match the category average could instantly boost profits.

▼ High-End Options

The Stat: \$35.95 for One Pizza.

The Insight: The XXL Greek Pizza and Small Brie Carre (\$23.65) are priced well above average. These "luxury" items are crucial for driving up the total value of large orders.

📊 Top Sellers

The Stat: 2 Clear Winners.

The Insight: In the Chicken category, revenue is concentrated in just two pizzas: Thai Chicken and Southwest Chicken. Future marketing should prioritize these best-sellers over lower-performing items.

⌚ Customer Habits

The Stat: Distinct Preferences by Size.

The Insight: Solo diners (Small size) prefer heavy meat pizzas, while groups (Large size) prefer distinct flavors like Thai Chicken. Website images should change based on the selected size to match these preferences.

► Quality Over Quantity

The Stat: 3 Items > \$40,000 Revenue.

The Insight: Even though Chicken pizzas sell fewer units than Classics, they make the most money. The Thai, BBQ, and California Chicken pizzas are the only items earning over \$40k, making them the most valuable products on the menu.