Project Summary: Comparison of Region Based on Sales

Objective:

The goal of this project is to create an interactive **dashboard** that allows upper management to compare **sales performance** between two selected regions using the **Sample Superstore** dataset. This will help in identifying trends, key performance indicators (KPIs), and areas for improvement.

Key Steps Involved:

1. Data Preparation:

- o Load the Sample Superstore dataset into Tableau.
- o Group data by **Customer Name** and **Order ID** for better organization.
- Create a Location hierarchy (Country → State → City).

2. Parameter Creation:

- o Define two parameters:
 - Primary Region (User-selected region for comparison).
 - Secondary Region (Another region for comparison).

3. Calculated Fields for Metrics:

- o **First Order Date** → { FIXED [Region]: MIN([Order Date]) }
- Total Sales → SUM([Sales])
- Average Sales per Order → SUM([Sales]) / COUNTD([Order ID])
- No. of Customers → COUNTD([Customer Name])
- No. of Orders → COUNTD([Order ID])
- No. of Products Sold → COUNTD([Product Name])

4. Data Visualization:

- Line Graph: Sales trend over time for both regions.
- o Bar Chart: Key metrics comparison (Total Sales, Orders, Customers, etc.).
- o Filters & Interactivity: Users can switch between regions using dropdowns.

5. Dashboard Design:

- Side-by-side comparison of key metrics.
- Filters for Primary and Secondary Regions.
- o Partitioned layout for easy visualization.

Expected Outcome:

- A fully interactive dashboard that allows users to compare sales trends and KPIs between two regions.
- Insights into which region performs better and suggestions for **improvement strategies**.