# Project 3 Data Science PGC

# Initial Stage: Importing Excel Files into Power BI

Step 1: Open Power BI

- 1. Launch Power BI Desktop.
- 2. Click **File > New** to start a blank project.

## Step 2: Import the Dataset

- 1. Go to the **Home** tab and click **Get Data**.
- 2. Select Excel and click Connect.
- 3. Browse and open:
  - a. Flight\_Information.xlsx (Flight details)
  - b. Passenger\_Information.xlsx (Passenger records)
  - c. **Ticket\_Information.xlsx** (Booking data)

## Step 3: Load Data

- 1. Select the sheets to import.
- 2. Click Load to import or Transform Data to clean before loading.

# Step 4: Verify Data

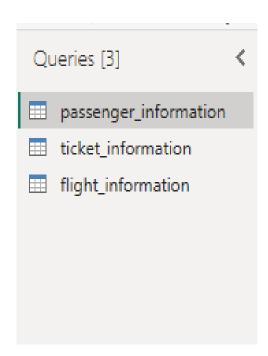
- 1. Check the **Fields** pane for imported tables.
- 2. Click the **Data** view to preview and confirm the data.

# Task 1: Data Preparation & Cleaning

This task focuses on using **Power Query Editor** in Power BI to clean and transform data for analysis. Follow these steps:

# Step 1: Extract and Load Data into Power Query

- 1. Open Power Query Editor:
  - o Click "Transform Data" after importing datasets.
- 2. Select Datasets:
  - **o** Choose the required datasets:
    - ✓ Flight\_Information
    - Passenger\_Information
    - ▼ Ticket\_Information



## Step 2: Remove Unnecessary Columns

#### 1. Select Dataset:

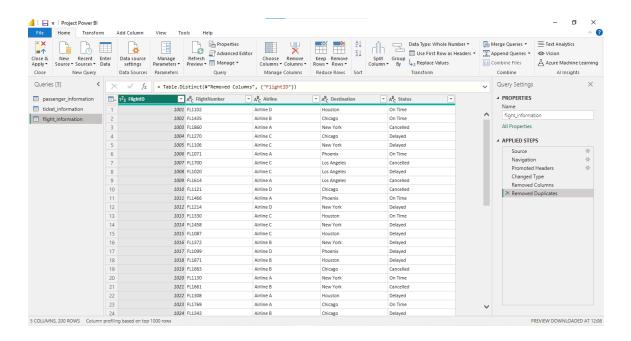
- **a.** In the **Queries** pane, choose the dataset to clean:
  - ▼ Flight Information
  - Passenger\_Information
  - Ticket Information

## 2. Select Required Columns:

a. Hold Ctrl and click on the columns you want to keep.

#### 3. Remove Other Columns:

- a. Right-click on a selected column and choose "Remove Other Columns", or
- b. Go to Home > Choose Columns > Remove Other Columns.



## **Step 3: Data Cleaning and Transformation**

## A. Removing Duplicates

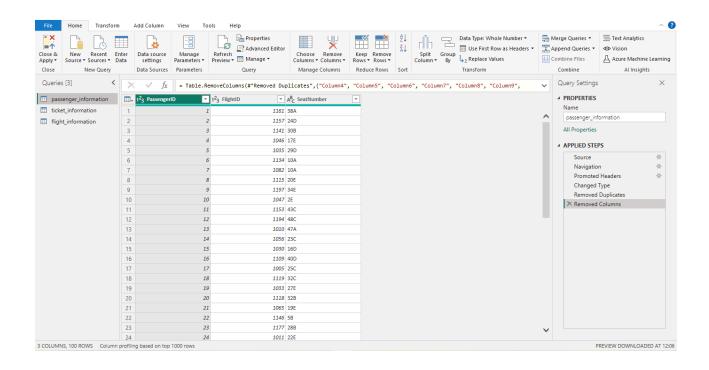
- 1. Select Relevant Columns in Power Query.
- 2. Click "Remove Duplicates" from the Home tab.
- 3. Confirm to eliminate duplicate records.

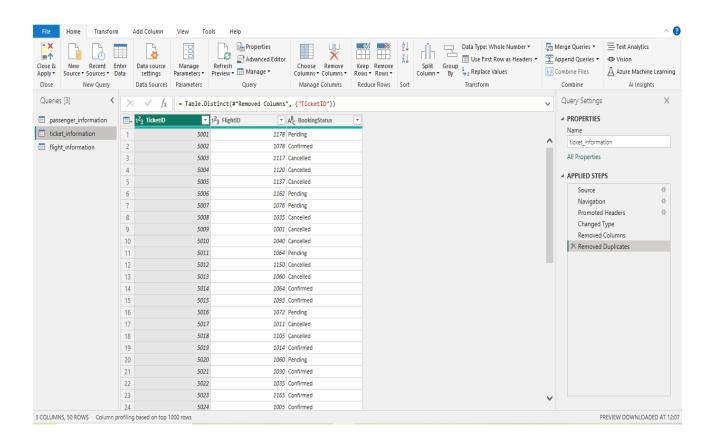
## B. Handling Missing Values

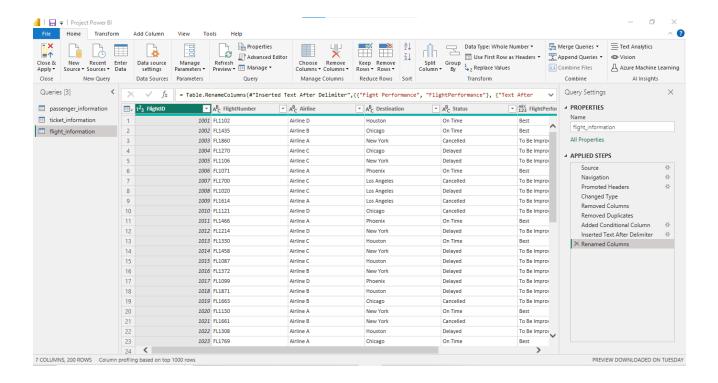
- 1. **Identify columns** with missing values.
- 2. Choose an appropriate action:
  - a. Use "Replace Values" to fill in missing data.
  - b. Use "Remove Rows" to delete incomplete records.
- 3. For **numerical columns**, replace nulls with default values (e.g., 0 or average).

## C. Check and Update Data Types

- 1. Open Power Query Editor:
  - a. Click "Transform Data" in Power Bl.
  - b. Select the required dataset from the **Queries** pane.
- 2. Select All Columns:
  - a. Press **Ctrl + A** to highlight all columns.
- 3. Detect & Update Data Types:
  - a. Go to the **Transform** tab.
  - b. Click "Detect Data Type" to let Power Query automatically update column types.

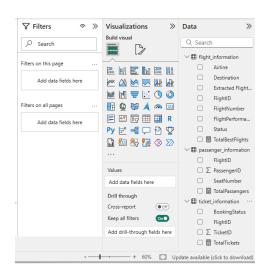






## Step 4: Apply and Load Cleaned Data

- 1. Apply Changes:
  - a. Click "Close & Apply" to load the cleaned data into Power Bl.
- 2. Verify Data:
  - a. Check the **Data View** pane to ensure the cleaned data is correctly reflected.



# Task 2: Data Modeling

## **Step 1: Define Relationships**

## Relationship 1:

- **Tables:** Flight\_Information Passenger\_Information
- **Key**: FlightID
- Cardinality: One-to-Many (1:\*)
  - o One flight has multiple passengers.
  - o Each passenger is linked to a specific flight.

# Relationship 2:

- **Tables:** Flight Information Ticket Information
- Key: FlightID
- Cardinality: One-to-Many (1:\*)
  - o One flight has multiple ticket bookings.
  - o Each ticket is associated with a flight.

## Step 2: Create Relationships in Power BI

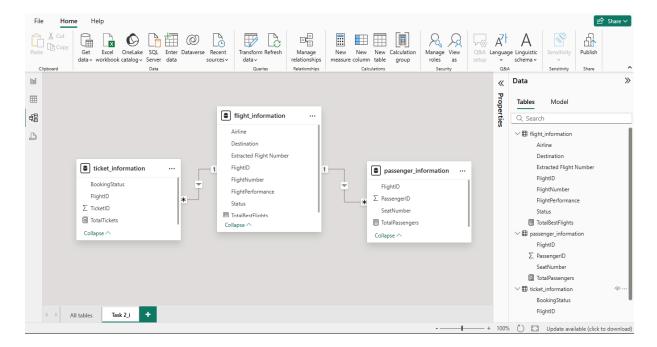
- 1. Open Power BI Desktop
  - a. Click on Model View (diagram icon on the left).
- 2. Drag and Drop to Create Relationships
  - a. Drag FlightID from Flight\_Information to FlightID in Passenger\_Information.
  - b. Drag FlightID from Flight\_Information to FlightID in Ticket\_Information.
- 3. Set Cardinality
  - a. Ensure One-to-Many (1:\*) cardinality.
  - b. Set the **relationship direction to Single** for better data integrity.

## Step 3: Configure and Validate Relationships

- 1. Cardinality Check
  - a. Verify relationships follow **One-to-Many (1:\*)** structure.
  - b. Set **cross-filter direction to Single** for better performance.
- 2. Referential Integrity
  - Ensure there are no orphaned records in Passenger\_Information and Ticket\_Information.

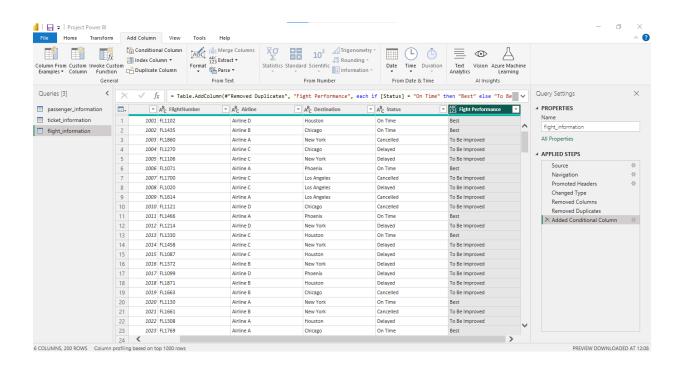
# Step 4: Visualizing Data Model

- 1. Switch to Model View
  - a. Open **Model View** to check if relationships are correctly displayed.
- 2. Organize Tables
  - a. Arrange tables for better visibility and a clean layout.
- 3. Add Annotations (Optional)
  - a. Label relationships to describe the links between datasets.



## Step 1: Add a Conditional Column to Classify Flights

- 1. Open Power Query Editor
  - a. Click "Transform Data" to access Power Query Editor.
- 2. Select the Flight\_Information Table
  - a. Choose the Flight\_Information dataset where the Status column is present.
- 3. Add a Conditional Column
  - a. Go to Add Column -> Conditional Column.
  - b. Configure the logic:
    - i. Column Name: Flight Category
    - ii. Condition:
      - 1. If Status = "On Time" → Best
      - 2. If Status = "Delayed" or "Cancelled" → To Be Improved
  - c. Click **OK** to apply changes.

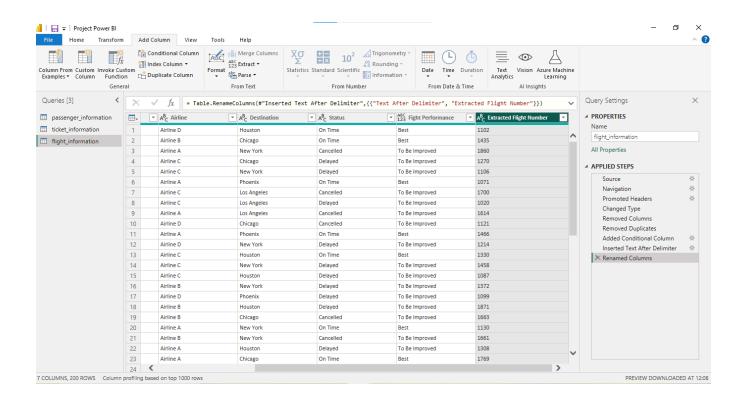


## Step 2: Extract Flight Number Using "Column from Examples"

- 1. Select Flight\_Information Table
  - a. Choose the Flight Information dataset.
  - b. Select the FlightNumber column.
- 2. Add Column from Examples
  - a. Go to Add Column > Column from Examples > From Selection.
  - b. Type examples of the desired output:
    - i. For FL1102, enter 1102.
    - ii. For FL1435, enter 1435.
  - c. Power BI will detect the pattern and generate the new column.

#### 3. Rename Column

a. Rename the new column to Flight\_Number\_Extracted.



# Task 4: Calculations Using DAX

Perform key calculations using **DAX (Data Analysis Expressions)** to extract insights.

## 1. Total Passengers for a Specific Flight

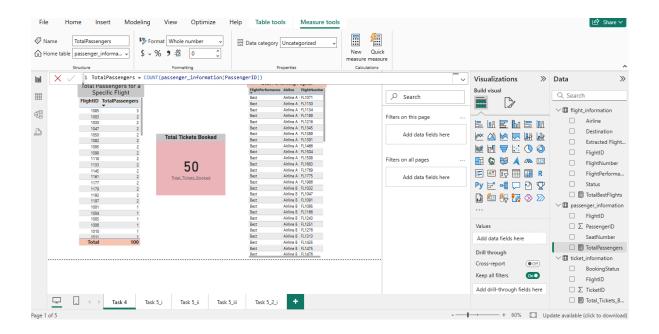
#### Goal:

Count the number of passengers associated with a specific FlightID.

#### **DAX Formula**

TotalPassengers = COUNT(passenger\_information[PassengerID])

This measure calculates the total number of passengers by counting unique **PassengerID** values.



## 2. Total Tickets Booked

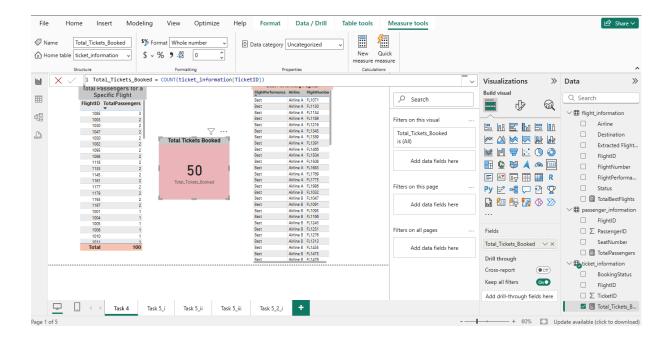
#### Goal:

Count the total number of tickets booked across all flights.

## **DAX Formula**

## Total\_Tickets\_Booked = COUNT(ticket\_information[TicketID])

This measure calculates the total number of tickets by counting unique **TicketID** values.



# 3. Filtered Table Showing "Best" Flights Only

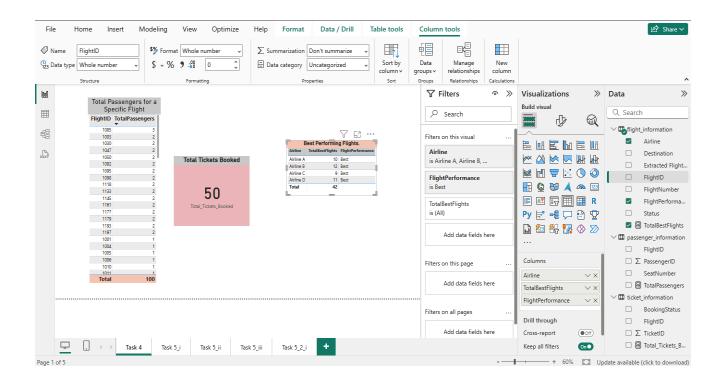
## Goal

Filter the Flight\_Information table to show only flights classified as "Best".

## **DAX Formula**

```
TotalBestFlights =
CALCULATE( COUNT(passenger_information[FlightID]), FILTER(Flight_Information,
flight_information[FlightPerformance] = "Best") )
```

This measure counts the number of passengers for flights categorized as **"Best"** in the **Flight\_Information** table.



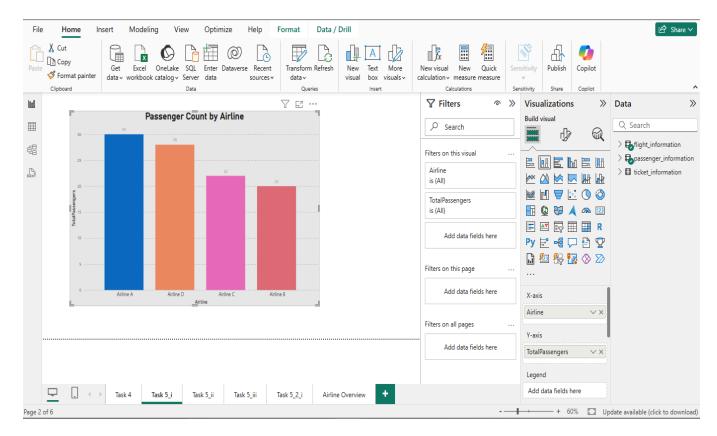
## Task 5: Visualization and Interactive Features

Enhance the Power BI report with visualizations and interactive elements for better insights.

## **Step 1: Create Required Visuals**

## 1. Passenger Count by Airline

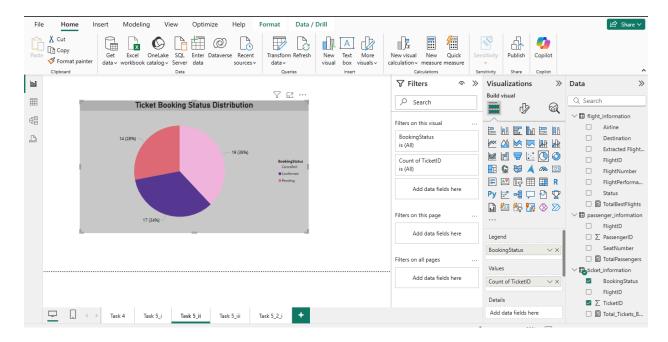
- Visual Type: Clustered Column Chart or Pie Chart
- Steps:
  - o Select "Clustered Column Chart" or "Pie Chart" from the Visualizations pane.
  - o Drag Airline from Flight\_Information to Axis/Legend.
  - o Drag TotalPassenger from Passenger\_Information to Values.
  - o Change aggregation to Count.
- Customization:
- Title: "Passenger Count by Airline"
- Use distinct colors for better visibility



## **Step 2: Create Additional Required Visuals**

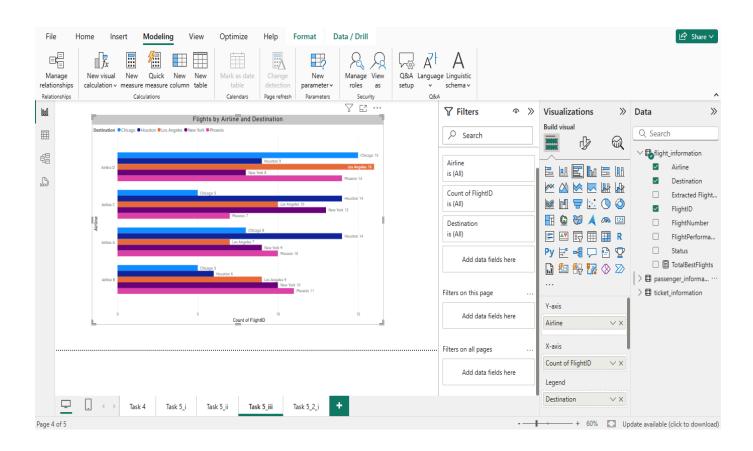
## 2. Ticket Booking Statuses

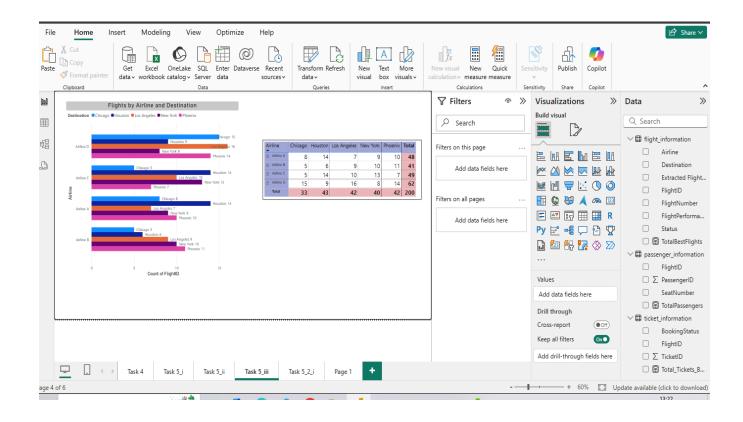
- Visual Type: Pie Chart
- Steps:
  - o Select "Pie Chart" from the Visualizations pane.
  - o Drag BookingStatus from Ticket\_Information to Legend/Axis.
  - Drag TicketID from Ticket\_Information to Values and set aggregation to Count.
- Customization:
- ▼ Title: "Ticket Booking Status Distribution"
- Apply contrasting colors for different statuses
- Enable data labels for quick insights



## 3. Flights by Airline and Destination

- Visual Type: Stacked Column Chart
- Steps:
  - o Select "Stacked Column Chart" from the Visualizations pane.
  - o Drag Airline from Flight\_Information to Axis.
  - o Drag Destination from Flight\_Information to Legend.
  - Drag FlightID from Flight\_Information to Values and set aggregation to Count.
- Customization:
- ▼ Title: "Flights by Airline and Destination"
- ✓ Use stacked bars for easy comparison
- Enable filters for interactive analysis





## Step 3: Add Interactive Features

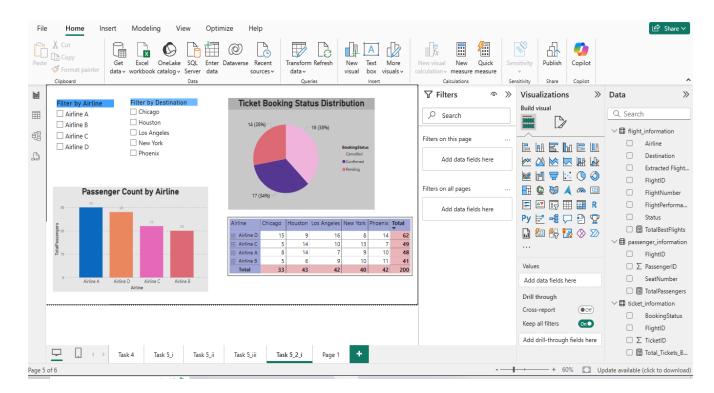
- Destination and Airline Filters:
  - Visual Type: Slicer

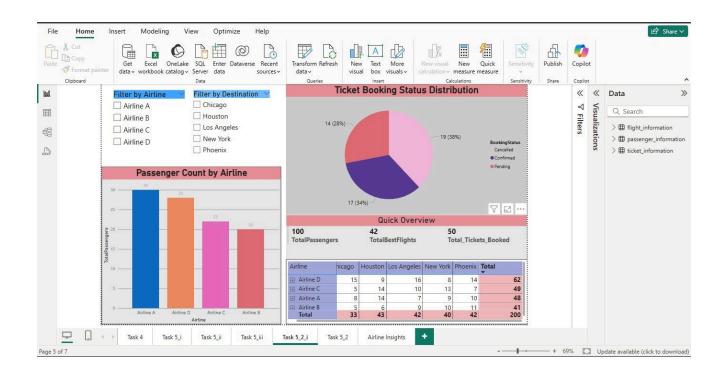
## Steps:

- Select "Slicer" from the Visualizations pane.
- **Drag Destination** from **Flight\_Information** to the slicer.
- Add another slicer and drag Airline into it.
- **Enable Multi-Select** to allow selecting multiple destinations or airlines.

#### **Customization:**

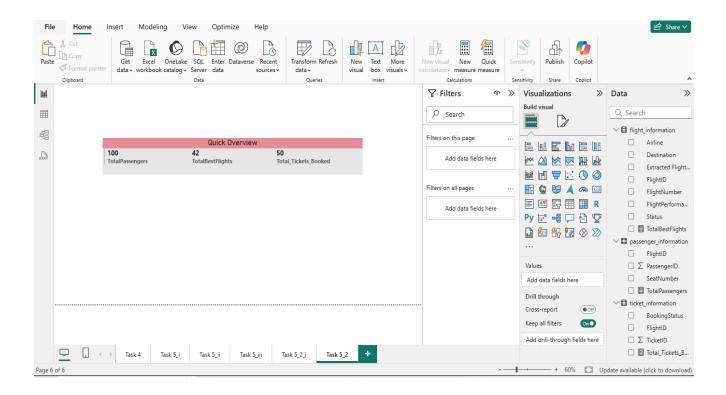
- Add title: "Filter by Destination" and "Filter by Airline".
- Enable multi-selection for better user control
- Apply dropdown or list format for better readability
- These filters will allow users to **dynamically explore data** based on their selected destinations and airlines.





## **Quick Views:**

- Select Visualization
  - o Choose "Card" from the Visualizations pane.
- Add Key Metrics
  - o Include Total Passengers, Best Flights, and Total Tickets.
- Format Data
  - o Display numerical values & percentages clearly.
- Customize for Clarity
  - o Title: "Quick Overview"
  - o Use **colors & icons** for better presentation.



## Step 4: Create Airline-Specific Pages with Interactive Features

#### Goal:

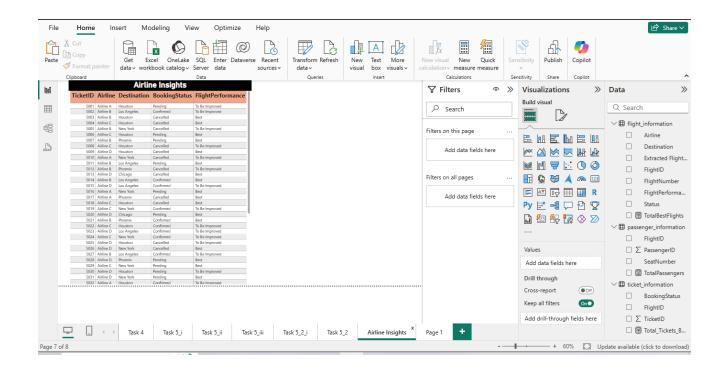
- Create an "Airline Insights" page for flight details.
- Add a back button for easy navigation.
- ✓ Use bookmarks & interactive buttons for airline-specific views.

## Step 4.1: Create Airline Insights Page

- 1. Add a New Page:
  - a. Click "+" to create a new page.
  - b. Rename it to "Airline Insights".
- 2. Add a Table for Flight Details:
  - a. Select "Table" from the Visualizations pane.
  - b. Drag these fields into the table:
    - i. **TicketID** (from Ticket Information)
    - ii. Airline (from Flight Information)
    - iii. **Destination** (from Flight\_Information)
    - iv. **BookingStatus** (from Ticket\_Information)
    - v. **Status** (from Flight Information)
    - vi. **Flight\_Category** (from Flight\_Information)

#### 3. Customize the Table:

- a. Enable **sorting** for columns.
- b. Apply **conditional formatting** for key details.
- c. Add a title: "Airline Insights".



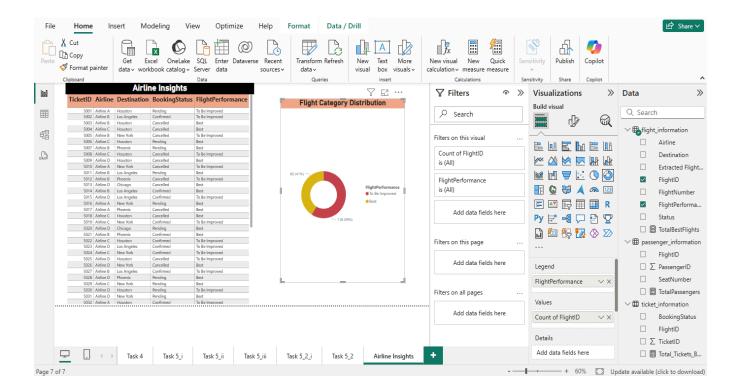
## Step 4.2: Add a Pie Chart for Flight Category Distribution

#### 1. Insert a Donut Chart:

- a. Select "Donut Chart" from the Visualizations pane.
- b. Drag Flight\_Category to the Legend.
- c. Drag TicketID to Values and set aggregation to Count.

## 2. Customize the Pie Chart:

- a. Add title: "Flight Category Distribution".
- b. Enable data labels for clarity.
- c. Use **distinct colors** for better visualization.



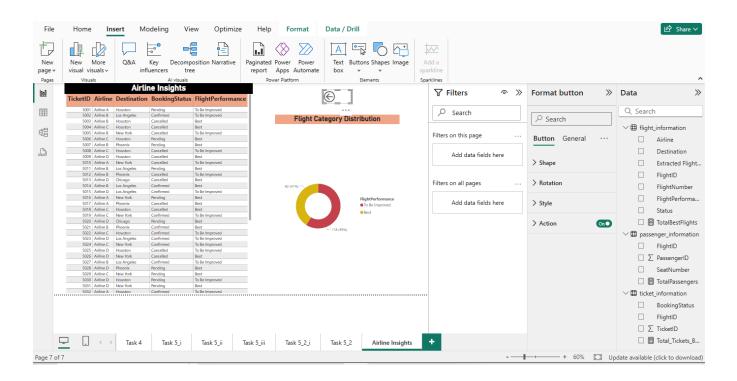
## Step 4.3: Add a Back Button for Navigation

## 1. Insert Back Button:

- a. Go to "Insert" → "Buttons" → Select "Back".
- b. Position it at the **top or bottom** of the page.

## 2. Set Button Action:

- a. Click the button and open the "Format" pane.
- b. Under "Action", set it to "Back".
- c. This allows users to return to the **main page** easily.

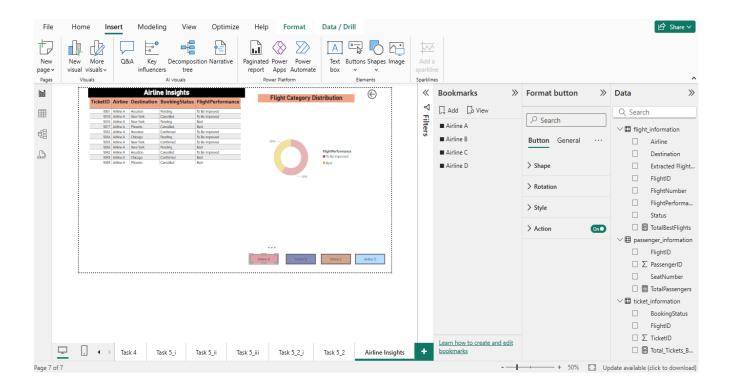


## Step 4.4: Add Filters and Create Bookmarks for Airlines

- 1. Add a Filter for Airline:
  - a. Drag Airline to the Filters Pane.
  - b. Set the filter to "All" by default.

## 2. Create Airline-Specific Bookmarks:

- a. Filter the page for a specific airline.
- b. Create a Bookmark:
  - i. Go to "View" → Open "Bookmarks Pane".
  - ii. Click "Add", then rename it (e.g., Airline A, Airline B, Airline C, Airline D).
- c. Repeat the process for each airline.



## Step 4.5: Add Bookmark Buttons for Navigation

## 1. Go to Main Page:

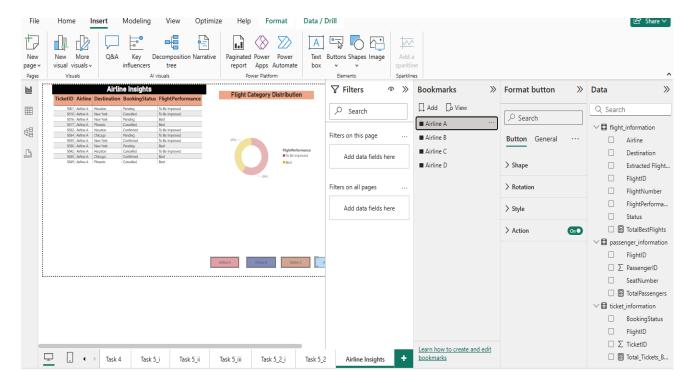
a. Switch to the Main Page where you want to add airline-specific buttons.

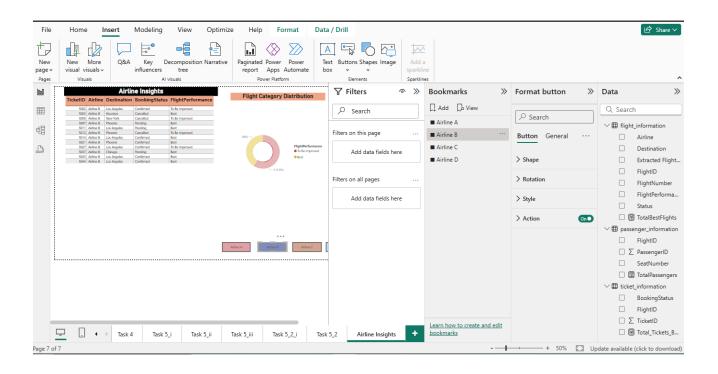
#### 2. Insert Buttons for Each Bookmark:

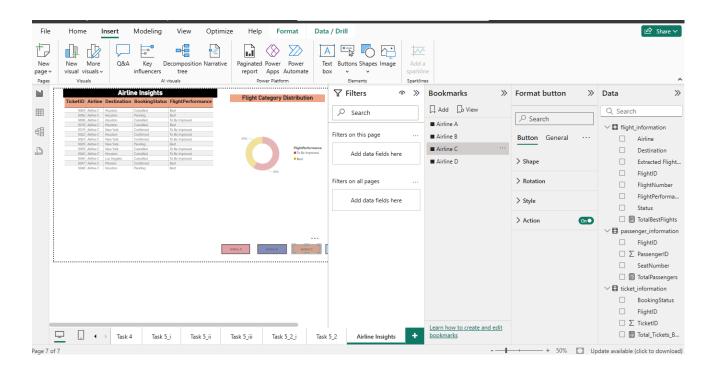
- a. Go to "Insert" → "Buttons" → Select "Blank".
- b. Create four buttons labeled:
  - i. Airline A
  - ii. Airline B
  - iii. Airline C
  - iv. Airline D

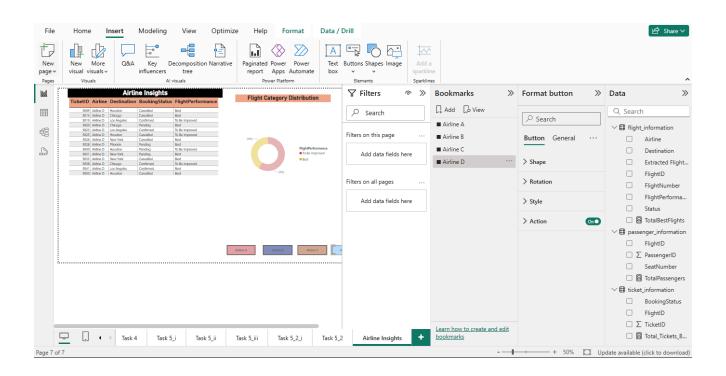
#### 3. Set Button Actions:

- a. Select each button and open the "Format" pane.
- b. Enable "Action" and set the action type to "Bookmark".
- c. Link each button to its corresponding bookmark.









# Task 6: Final Dashboard and Power BI Service Configuration

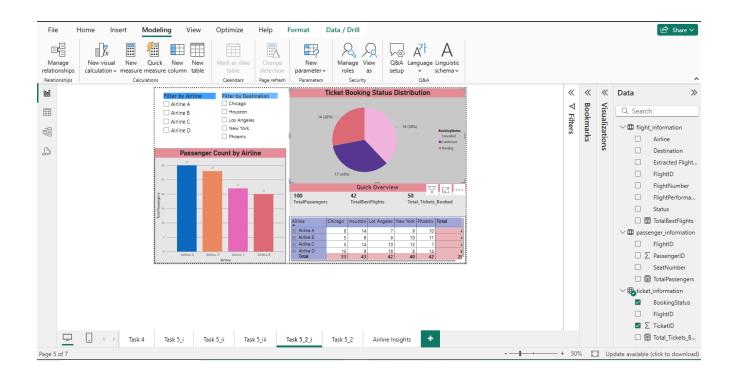
## Part 1: Design a Comprehensive Dashboard

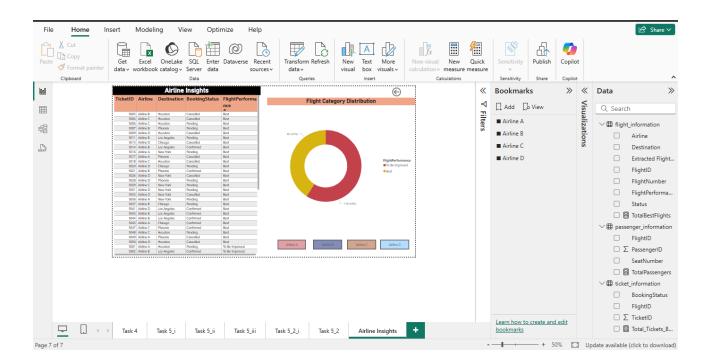
## Step 1: Create a Final Dashboard

- 1. Open Power BI Desktop:
  - a. Launch Power BI and ensure all required visuals are added.
- 2. Add Key Visuals:
  - a. Passenger Count by Airline:
    - i. Chart Type: Bar/Column Chart
    - ii. X-axis: Airline
    - iii. Y-axis: Count of PassengerID
  - b. Ticket Booking Statuses:
    - i. Chart Type: Pie/Donut Chart
    - ii. Legend: BookingStatus
    - iii. Values: Count of TicketID
  - c. Flights by Airline and Destination:
    - i. Chart Type: Matrix/Table
    - ii. Rows: Airline
    - iii. Columns: Destination
    - iv. Values: Count of FlightID
  - d. Flight Category Count:
    - i. **Chart Type:** Pie Chart
    - ii. **Legend:** FlightPerformance
    - iii. Values: Count of TicketID
  - e. Flight Insights Table:
    - i. Chart Type: Table
    - ii. Columns: TicketID, Airline, Destination, BookingStatus, Status, Flight Category

## **Step 2: Customize Dashboard Layout**

- 1. Set Page Size:
  - a. Go to Format Pane → Canvas Settings.
  - b. Choose 16:9 for a standard layout.
- 2. Add Titles & Tooltips:
  - a. Assign clear titles to each visual.
  - b. Enable tooltips for additional insights.
- 3. Apply Consistent Theme:
  - a. Use a **uniform color scheme** that aligns with the airline's branding.





## Part 2: Configure Row-Level Security (RLS) for Airline

## Step 1: Create Role for Airline D

## 1. Open Power BI Desktop:

a. Go to Model View (third icon on the left).

#### 2. Define Role:

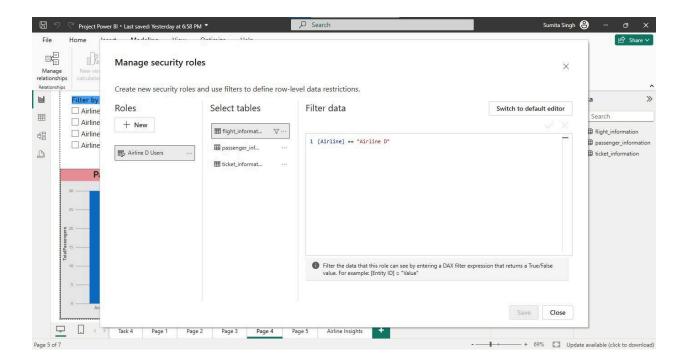
- a. Click Manage Roles from the ribbon.
- b. Click Create and name the role as Airline\_D\_Role.

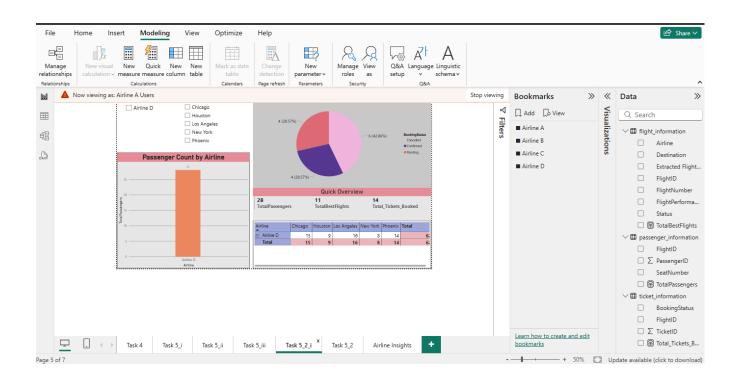
## 3. Set Filter Condition:

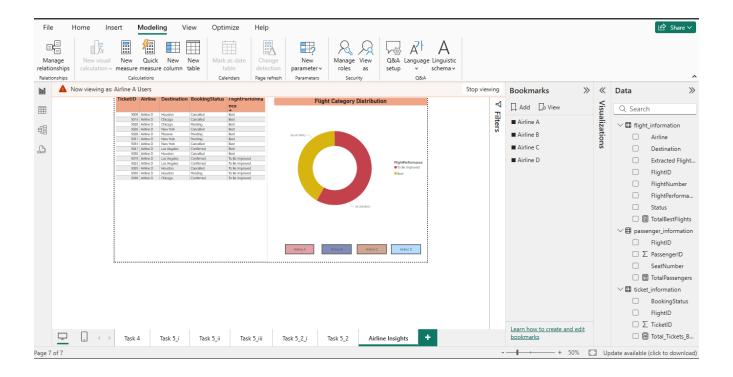
- a. Select the **Flight\_Information** table.
- b. Apply this **DAX expression**:

#### 4. Save and Validate:

- a. Click **Save** after applying the condition.
- b. Click on View As Role to test and ensure only Airline D data is visible.







## Step 2: Assign User to Role in Power BI Service

# 1. Publish the Report:

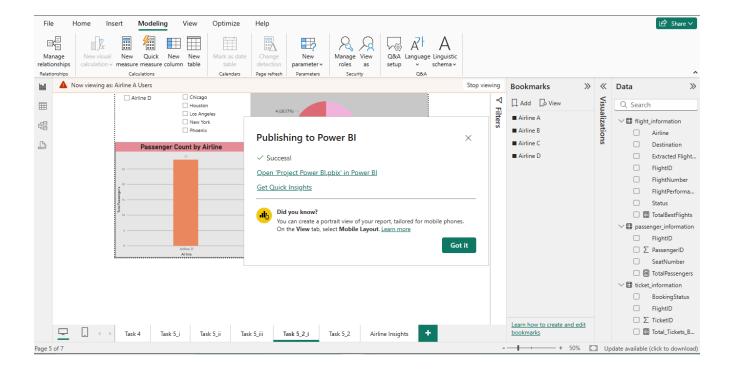
- Click **Publish** from the **Home** tab.
- Select the desired workspace in Power BI Service.

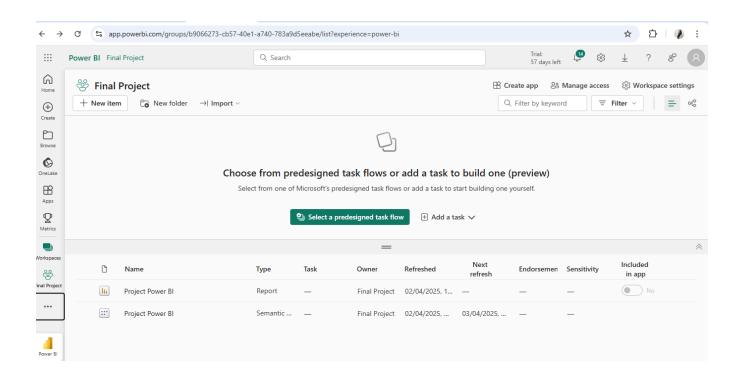
## 2. Open Report in Power BI Service:

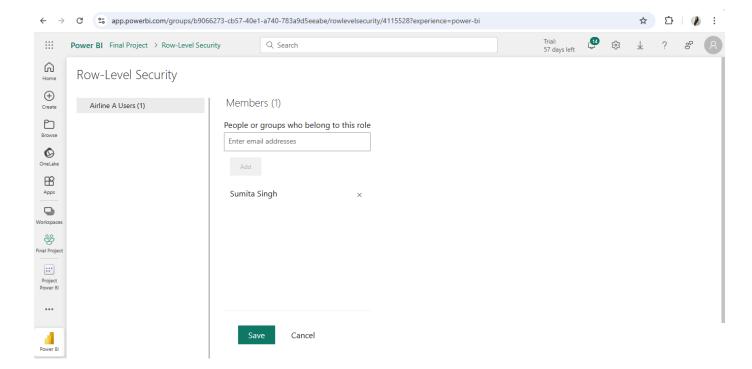
- Go to Power BI Service.
- Open the published dataset.

## 3. Configure Security:

- Click on the More Options (···) beside the dataset.
- Select Security.
- Assign the role Airline\_A\_Role to the intended user(s).
- Add their email IDs and click OK.







## Part 3: Schedule Data Refresh at 5 PM Daily

## Step 1: Configure Scheduled Refresh

## 1. Go to Dataset Settings:

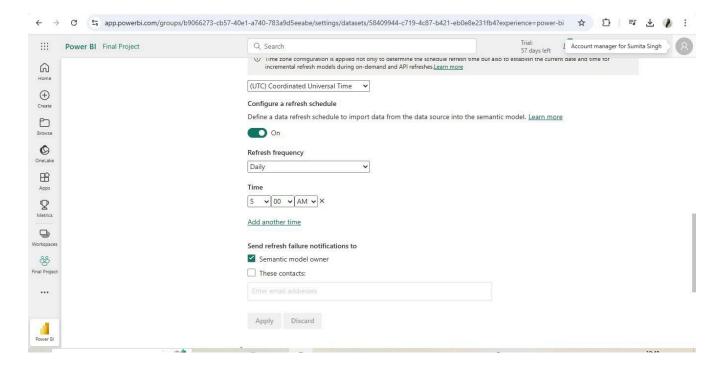
- a. Open Power BI Service.
- b. Click on More Options (···) next to the dataset.
- c. Select Settings.

#### 2. Set Data Source Credentials:

- a. Expand Data Source Credentials.
- b. Set up the necessary authentication for the data connection.

#### 3. Schedule Refresh:

- a. Expand Scheduled Refresh.
- b. Enable "Keep data updated".
- c. Set the refresh time to 5:00 PM.
- d. Select the **desired time zone**.
- e. Click Apply.



# **Project Explanation Video:**

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