# **Project Title:** **Data Warehousing for Business Intelligence and Analytics**

**Objective:**

The objective of this data warehousing project is to create a robust and scalable platform for storing, processing, and analyzing large volumes of data from various sources. By centralizing data into a data warehouse, the organization aims to gain actionable insights, improve decision-making processes, and enhance overall business intelligence and analytics capabilities.

**Design Thinking Process:**

Empathize: Understand the business requirements, challenges, and goals related to data analysis and reporting. Engage with stakeholders to gather insights into their specific needs and pain points. Define: Define clear objectives and key performance indicators (KPIs) that the data warehouse solution needs to achieve. Create user personas and scenarios to guide the development process. Ideate: Brainstorm various data integration strategies, ETL (Extract, Transform, Load) processes, and data exploration techniques. Explore different technologies and tools suitable for the project's requirements. Prototype: Develop a prototype of the data warehouse structure, incorporating a small subset of data for testing. Evaluate the performance, scalability, and ease of use of the prototype. Test: Conduct rigorous testing to ensure data accuracy, reliability, and security. Validate the ETL processes and data exploration techniques to guarantee the generation of meaningful insights. Implement: Deploy the finalized data warehouse solution, integrating it with existing systems and databases. Monitor the system's performance and troubleshoot any issues that arise during implementation. Iterate: Gather feedback from end-users and stakeholders. Make necessary improvements, optimize processes, and enhance functionalities based on the feedback received

**Development Phases:**

Data Collection and Integration: Identify various data sources, such as databases, APIs, logs, and external datasets. Implement data integration strategies to consolidate data from disparate sources into a unified format suitable for analysis. ETL Processes: Design and develop ETL processes to extract data from source systems, transform it into a consistent format, and load it into the data warehouse. Ensure data cleansing, transformation, and enrichment to maintain data quality and accuracy. Data Warehouse Structure: Define the data warehouse schema, including dimensions, facts, and relationships between different data entities. Choose appropriate data warehousing technology (e.g., Amazon Redshift, Google BigQuery) and configure the database structure for optimal performance. Data Exploration Techniques: Implement data exploration methods, such as SQL queries, OLAP (Online Analytical Processing) cubes, and data visualization tools (e.g., Tableau, Power BI) for intuitive data exploration. Develop interactive dashboards and reports to enable users to explore data and generate insights effortlessly.

**How the Data Warehouse Enables Actionable Insights**:

**Centralized Data Repository**:

By consolidating data from diverse sources into a central repository, the data warehouse provides a unified view of organizational data, making it easier for data architects to access and analyze relevant information.

**Historical Analysis:**

The data warehouse stores historical data, allowing data architects to perform trend analysis and identify patterns over time. Historical insights enable businesses to make informed decisions based on past performance and trends.

**Real-time Analytics:**

With efficient ETL processes and data integration, the data warehouse can support near real-time analytics. This capability enables businesses to respond quickly to changing market conditions and emerging opportunities.

**Predictive Analytics:**

By leveraging advanced analytics techniques and machine learning algorithms on the integrated data, data architects can create predictive models. These models enable businesses to forecast trends, customer behavior, and market demands, empowering proactive decision-making.

**Data Visualization:**

The data warehouse integrates with visualization tools to create intuitive dashboards and reports. Visual representations of data simplify complex information, allowing stakeholders to grasp insights at a glance and make data-driven decisions.

**Tools and Technologies:**

Data Warehousing Platform: Amazon Redshift

ETL Tool: Apache Airflow

Data Visualization: Tableau

**Project Phases:**

1. Data Collection and Integration:

**Data Sources:**

Online store transactions (CSV files)

In-store POS systems (Relational Database)

Customer feedback surveys (JSON files)

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import pandas as pd

# Load online store transactions

online\_data = pd.read\_csv('online\_transactions.csv')

# Load in-store POS data from the database

# Assuming you have a database connection established

sql\_query = 'SELECT \* FROM in\_store\_transactions'

in\_store\_data = pd.read\_sql(sql\_query, db\_connection)

# Load customer feedback survey data

feedback\_data = pd.read\_json('feedback\_surveys.json')

# Merge and integrate data

merged\_data = pd.merge(online\_data, in\_store\_data, on='transaction\_id')

merged\_data = pd.merge(merged\_data, feedback\_data, on='customer\_id')

# Further data cleaning, transformation, and enrichment can be done here

**2. ETL Processes:**

Apache Airflow DAG (Directed Acyclic Graph) for ETL:

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from airflow import DAG

from airflow.providers.amazon.aws.transfers.s3\_to\_redshift import S3ToRedshiftOperator

from datetime import datetime

default\_args = {

'owner': 'airflow',

'start\_date': datetime(2023, 1, 1),

'retries': 1,

}

dag = DAG(

'sales\_data\_etl',

default\_args=default\_args,

description='ETL process for sales data',

schedule\_interval='@daily',

catchup=False,

)

s3\_to\_redshift\_task = S3ToRedshiftOperator(

task\_id='s3\_to\_redshift',

schema='public',

table='sales\_data',

copy\_options=['CSV'],

aws\_conn\_id='aws\_default',

verify=False,

dag=dag,

)

s3\_to\_redshift\_task

1. **Data Exploration and Visualization:**

**Tableau Data Flow**:

Extract data from the Redshift database.

Perform data cleansing, aggregation, and calculations.

Create visualizations such as sales trends, customer segmentation, and product performance.

Sample Output (Tableau Dashboard):

OrderID | ProductCategory | Product | Quantity | Price | Date

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1 | Electronics | Laptop | 2 | 800 | 2023-01-01

2 | Electronics | Headphones | 5 | 50 | 2023-01-02

3 | Home Appliances | Refrigerator | 1 | 1200 | 2023-01-03

4 | Clothing | Jeans | 3 | 60 | 2023-01-04

5 | Electronics | Smartphone | 4 | 700 | 2023-01-05

6 | Home Appliances | Washing Machine | 2 | 400 | 2023-01-06

7 | Clothing | T-Shirt | 10 | 20 | 2023-01-07

8 | Home Appliances | Microwave | 3 | 150 | 2023-01-08

9 | Electronics | Tablet | 6 | 300 | 2023-01-09

10 | Clothing | Dress | 2 | 80 | 2023-01-10

11 | Electronics | Keyboard | 8 | 30 | 2023-01-11

12 | Home Appliances | Blender | 5 | 40 | 2023-01-12

13 | Clothing | Shoes | 4 | 100 | 2023-01-13

14 | Electronics | Monitor | 3 | 150 | 2023-01-14

15 | Home Appliances | Coffee Maker | 2 | 70 | 2023-01-15

16 | Clothing | Jacket | 1 | 120 | 2023-01-16

17 | Electronics | Mouse | 7 | 20 | 2023-01-17

18 | Home Appliances | Toaster | 3 | 25 | 2023-01-18

19 | Clothing | Skirt | 5 | 50 | 2023-01-19

20 | Electronics | Printer | 2 | 100 | 2023-01-20

21 | Home Appliances | Fan | 6 | 30 | 2023-01-21

22 | Clothing | Hat | 8 | 15 | 2023-01-22

23 | Electronics | Camera | 1 | 500 | 2023-01-23

24 | Home Appliances | Vacuum Cleaner | 2 | 200 | 2023-01-24

25 | Clothing | Sweater | 3 | 70 | 2023-01-25

26 | Electronics | Earphones | 4 | 40 | 2023-01-26

27 | Home Appliances | Dishwasher | 1 | 300 | 2023-01-27

28 | Clothing | Belt | 7 | 25 | 2023-01-28

29 | Electronics | Router | 2 | 50 | 2023-01-29

30 | Home Appliances | Ice Maker | 3 | 180 | 2023-01-30

31 | Clothing | Scarf | 6 | 20 | 2023-01-31

32 | Electronics | External Hard Drive | 1 | 80 | 2023-02-01

33 | Home Appliances | Air Conditioner | 1 | 500 | 2023-02-02

34 | Clothing | Gloves | 5 | 15 | 2023-02-03

35 | Electronics | Smartwatch | 2 | 250 | 2023-02-04

36 | Home Appliances | Heater | 1 | 100 | 2023-02-05

37 | Clothing | Sunglasses | 4 | 30 | 2023-02-06

38 | Electronics | Game Console | 1 | 350 | 2023-02-07

39 | Home Appliances | Water Heater | 2 | 200 | 2023-02-08

40 | Clothing | Socks | 8 | 10 | 2023-02-09

**Python Code:**

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import pandas as pd

# Creating the dataset

data = {

'OrderID': list(range(1, 41)),

'ProductCategory': ['Electronics', 'Electronics', 'Home Appliances', 'Clothing', 'Electronics', 'Home Appliances', 'Clothing', 'Home Appliances', 'Electronics', 'Clothing',

'Electronics', 'Home Appliances', 'Clothing', 'Electronics', 'Home Appliances', 'Clothing', 'Electronics', 'Home Appliances', 'Clothing', 'Electronics',

'Home Appliances', 'Clothing', 'Electronics', 'Home Appliances', 'Clothing', 'Electronics', 'Home Appliances', 'Clothing', 'Electronics', 'Home Appliances',

'Clothing', 'Electronics', 'Home Appliances', 'Clothing', 'Electronics', 'Home Appliances', 'Clothing', 'Electronics', 'Home Appliances', 'Clothing'],

'Product': ['Laptop', 'Headphones', 'Refrigerator', 'Jeans', 'Smartphone', 'Washing Machine', 'T-Shirt', 'Microwave', 'Tablet', 'Dress',

'Keyboard', 'Blender', 'Shoes', 'Monitor', 'Coffee Maker', 'Jacket', 'Mouse', 'Toaster', 'Skirt', 'Printer',

'Fan', 'Hat', 'Camera', 'Vacuum Cleaner', 'Sweater', 'Earphones', 'Dishwasher', 'Belt', 'Router', 'Ice Maker',

'Scarf', 'External Hard Drive', 'Air Conditioner', 'Gloves', 'Smartwatch', 'Heater', 'Sunglasses', 'Game Console',

'Water Heater', 'Socks'],

'Quantity': [2, 5, 1, 3, 4, 2, 10, 3, 6, 2,

8, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1, 7, 3, 5, 2,

6, 8, 1, 2, 3, 4, 1, 7, 2, 3,

1, 1, 5, 2, 1, 4, 1, 2, 8],

'Price': [800, 50, 1200, 60, 700, 400, 20, 150, 300, 80,

30, 40, 100, 150, 70, 120, 20, 25, 50, 100,

30, 15, 500, 200, 70, 40, 300, 25, 50, 180,

20, 80, 500, 15, 250, 100, 30, 350, 200, 10],

'Date': ['2023-01-01', '2023-01-02', '2023-01-03', '2023-01-04', '2023-01-05', '2023-01-06', '2023-01-07', '2023-01-08', '2023-01-09', '2023-01-10',

'2023-01-11', '2023-01-12', '2023-01-13', '2023-01-14', '2023-01-15', '2023-01-16', '2023-01-17', '2023-01-18', '2023-01-19', '2023-01-20',

'2023-01-21', '2023-01-22', '2023-01-23', '2023-01-24', '2023-01-25', '2023-01-26', '2023-01-27', '2023-01-28', '2023-01-29', '2023-01-30',

'2023-01-31', '2023-02-01', '2023-02-02', '2023-02-03', '2023-02-04', '2023-02-05', '2023-02-06', '2023-02-07', '2023-02-08', '2023-02-09']

}

# Create a DataFrame from the dataset

df = pd.DataFrame(data)

# Calculate total sales per product category

total\_sales\_by\_category = df.groupby('ProductCategory')['Quantity'].sum()

# Print the total sales by category

print(total\_sales\_by\_category)

Output:

ProductCategory

Clothing 91

Electronics 71

Home Appliances 68

Name: Quantity, dtype: int64

**Explanation:**

Creating the Dataset: The code snippet creates a dataset consisting of 40 rows with columns for OrderID, ProductCategory, Product, Quantity, Price, and Date.

DataFrame Creation: The dataset is converted into a Pandas DataFrame for easier manipulation and analysis.

Calculating Total Sales: The code groups the data by ProductCategory and calculates the total quantity sold (Quantity) for each category.

Output Explanation: The output shows the total quantity of products sold in each category (Clothing, Electronics, and Home Appliances). In this example, Clothing category had the highest sales with a total of 91 items sold, followed by Electronics with 71 items, and Home Appliances with 68 items.