Final Project Report

1. Introduction

1.1. Project overview:

This project focuses on analyzing global malnutrition trends using Power BI to gain insights into undernourishment across different countries, regions, and years. It helps identify critical patterns and supports data-driven decisions for combating malnutrition globally.

1.2. Objectives:

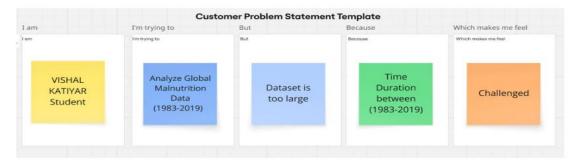
- 1. To analyze global malnutrition data across countries, years, and income levels.
- 2. To identify regions most affected by undernourishment and food insecurity.
- 3. To visualize trends and patterns in malnutrition using interactive Power BI dashboards.
- 4. To support policy-makers, researchers, and NGOs with data-driven insights.
- **5.** To highlight the correlation between income levels, food production, and undernourishment.

2. Project Initialization and Planning Phase

2.1. Define Problem Statement:

Malnutrition remains a critical global challenge, especially in low-income regions, but the lack of accessible, visual, and data-driven tools limits the ability of stakeholders to understand, monitor, and address this issue effectively.

Example:



| Problem Statement (PS) | I am (Customer) | I'm trying to | But | Because | Which makes me feel |
|---------------------------|--------------------------------|---|----------------------------|--|------------------------|
| PS-1 | VISHAL KATIYAR (STUDENT) | Analyze Global Malnutrition Data (1983- 2019) | Dataset is too large | Time Duration between (1983- 2019) | Challenged |

2.2. Project Proposal (Proposed Solution) : To develop an interactive Power BI dashboard that analyzes global malnutrition data by country, year, and income level, enabling users to identify trends, compare regions, and gain actionable insights for decision-making and policy formulation.

| Project Overview | |
|-------------------|---|
| Objective | To analyze global malnutrition trends using Power BI to uncover insights for awareness and informed decision-making. |
| Scope | This project covers the analysis of malnutrition data across countries and years using Power BI to visualize key indicators like undernourishment, stunting, and wasting. |
| Problem Statemer | nt |
| Description | Malnutrition remains a global challenge due to lack of accessible insights, which this project addresses through Power BI-based analysis and visualization. |
| Impact | This project helps raise awareness and support data-driven decisions to reduce malnutrition by providing clear, interactive insights through Power BI. |
| Proposed Solution | I |
| Approach | Use Power BI to clean, model, and visualize malnutrition data for identifying trends, patterns, and high-risk regions globally. |
| Key Features | The project features interactive dashboards with country-wise, year-wise, and income-based visual analysis of key malnutrition indicators. |

2.3. Initial Project Planning:

| Sprint | Functional | User Story | User Story / Task | Story | Priority | Team | Sprint | Sprint End |
|----------|---------------|------------|-------------------------------|--------|----------|---------|------------|------------|
| | Requirement | Number | | Points | | Members | Start Date | Date |
| | (Epic) | | | | | | | (Planned) |
| Sprint-1 | Data | GMTUPB- | Data Gathering | 3 | High | Vishal | 19/07/2025 | 23/07/2025 |
| | Collection | 2 | | | | Katiyar | | |
| Sprint-1 | Data | GMTUPB- | Data Loading | 1 | Medium | Vishal | 19/07/2025 | 23/07/2025 |
| _ | Preparation | 4 | _ | | | Katiyar | | |
| Sprint-1 | | GMTUPB- | Data Understanding | 4 | Medium | Vishal | 19/07/2025 | 23/07/2025 |
| | | 5 | | | | Katiyar | | |
| Sprint-1 | | GMTUPB- | Data Cleaning | 4 | High | Vishal | 19/07/2025 | 23/07/2025 |
| | | 6 | | | | Katiyar | | |
| Sprint-2 | Data | GMTUPB- | Card | 2 | Medium | Vishal | 24/07/2025 | 26/07/2025 |
| | Visualization | 8 | | | | Katiyar | | |
| Sprint-2 | | GMTUPB- | Stacked Area Chart | 3 | High | Vishal | 24/07/2025 | 26/07/2025 |
| | | 9 | | | | Katiyar | | |
| Sprint-2 | | GMTUPB- | Line and Stacked Column Chart | 4 | High | Vishal | 24/07/2025 | 26/07/2025 |
| _ | | 10 | | | | Katiyar | | |
| Sprint-2 | | GMTUPB- | Ribbon Chart | 3 | High | Vishal | 24/07/2025 | 26/07/2025 |
| _ | | 11 | | | _ | Katiyar | | |

| Sprint | Functional Requirement (Epic) | User Story Number | User Story / Task | Story Points | Priority | Team Members | Sprint Start Date | Sprint End Date (Planned) |
|----------|---|----------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|----------|-------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|
| Sprint-2 | | GMTUPB- 12 | Gauge Chart | 2 | Medium | Vishal Katiyar | 24/07/2025 | 26/07/2025 |
| Sprint-2 | Dashboard | GMTUPB- 14 | Dashboard Creation | 4 | High | Vishal Katiyar | 24/07/2025 | 26/07/2025 |
| Sprint-3 | Report | GMTUPB- 16 | Design of Report | 4 | High | Vishal Katiyar | 27/07/2025 | 30/07/2025 |
| Sprint-3 | Performance Testing | GMTUPB- 18 | Amount of Data Loaded | 2 | Medium | Vishal Katiyar | 27/07/2025 | 30/07/2025 |
| Sprint-3 | | GMTUPB- 19 | Utilization of filters | 2 | Medium | Vishal Katiyar | 27/07/2025 | 30/07/2025 |
| Sprint-3 | | GMTUPB- 20 | Number of Visualizations | 3 | High | Vishal Katiyar | 27/07/2025 | 30/07/2025 |
| Sprint-3 | Project Demonstratio n and Documentatio n | GMTUPB- 23 | Record Explanation Video | 3 | High | Vishal Katiyar | 27/07/2025 | 30/07/2025 |
| Sprint-3 | | GMTUPB- 24 | Create Documentation | 4 | High | Vishal Katiyar | 27/07/2025 | 30/07/2025 |

3. Data Collection and Preprocessing Phase

3.1. Data Collection Plan and Raw Data Sources Identified:

| Section | Description |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Project Overview | This project aims to analyze global malnutrition data using Power BI to uncover trends and patterns across countries, years, and income groups. |
| Data Collection Plan | This data collected by Kaggle and Smart internz. |
| Raw Data Sources Identified | Data is collect from Kaggle and Smart Internz. Malnutrition across the globe |

Raw Data Sources Template

| Source Name | Description | Location/URL | Format | Size | Access Permissions |
|----------------|---|-------------------------------|--------|------|-----------------------|
| Kaggle | Global Malnutrition Trends Data, Includes rows 924 and columns 20 | Malnutrition across the globe | CSV | 2 MB | Public |

3.2. Data Quality Report:

| Data Source | Data Quality Issue | Severity | Resolution Plan |
|----------------|--|----------|--|
| Kaggle | I faced such issues like null values, Duplicate values and Data types. | Moderate | I analyze dataset, then remove null values , duplicate values and change the data types according to values. |

3.3. Data Exploration and Preprocessing:

| Section | Description |
|---------------------------------|---|
| Data Overview | This project aims to analyze global malnutrition data using Power BI to uncover trends and patterns across countries, years, and income groups. |
| Data Cleaning | Handle missing values, duplicates, and correct errors also change data type according to their values like in Underweight, overweight and Stunning etc. |
| Data Transformation | Use of Power Query for filtering like underweight, Overweight and Stunning and remove some columns like source column and Author etc. |
| Data Type Conversion | Rectifying Datatype in Severe Wasting. |
| Column Splitting and Merging | NIL |
| Data Modeling | Define relationships between tables many to one. |
| Save Processed Data | Change the name to Malnutrition and CountryDetails. |

4. Data Visualization:

4.1. Framing Business Questions:

1. What is the Count of under 5 Population in Malnutrition trends?

Visualization: Card showing Count of under 5 population.

2. How many Survey Sample in Malnutrition Trends Dataset?

Visualization: Card describes Sum of Survey Samples.

3. How many Total underweight in Malnutrition Trends?

Visualization: Card describe Sum of Underweight.

4. What is the overweight's by country?

Visualization: Stacked Area Chart Showing Sum of Overweight by country.

5. What is the Sum of LDC, Sum of LIFD, Sum of LLDC or SISD2 and Average of Stunning by Income Analysis?

Visualization: Line and Stacked Column Chart Showing Sum of LDC, Sum of LIFD, Sum of LLDC or SISD2 and Average of Stunning by Income Analysis.

6. What is the Sum of Overweight and Sum of Underweight by Income Analysis?

Visualization: Ribbon Chart showing Sum of Overweight and Sum of Underweight by Income Analysis.

7. What is Sum of income classification?

Visualization: Gauge Chart showing sum of income classification.

8. What is the size of Dataset?

Visualization: Excel Sheet Showing Global Malnutrition Trends Data. o Size: 924 rows and 20 columns.

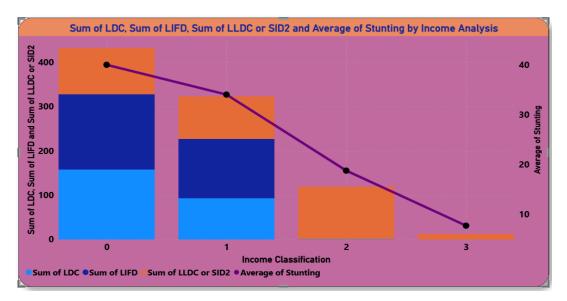
4.2. Developing Visualizations:

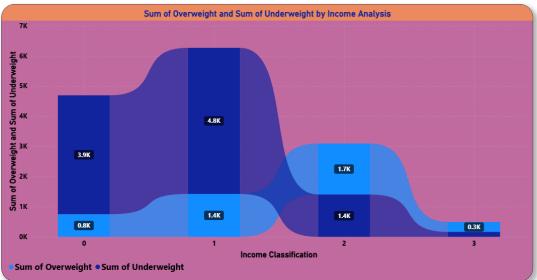


317M Sum of Survey Sample (N)

10.34K
Sum of Underweight









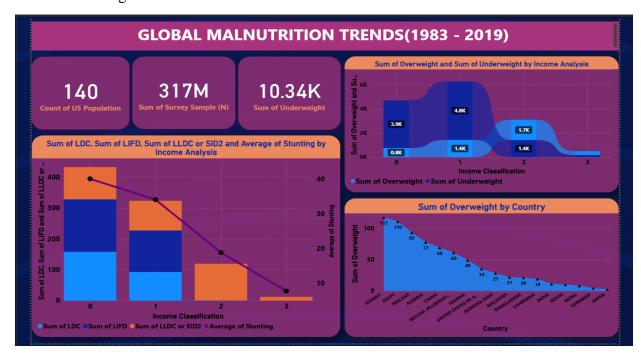
| ISO code | Country • | Survey Year | Year 🔻 | Income Classification | LDC | • | LIFD 💌 | LLDC or SID2 | Survey Sample (N) | Severe Wasting | Wasting |
|----------|---------------|-------------|--------|-----------------------|-----|---|--------|--------------|-------------------|----------------|---------|
| CMR | CAMEROON | 1991 | 1991 | | | 0 | | 0 | 2421 | 1.1 | |
| CMR | CAMEROON | 1998 | 1998 | | | 0 | | 0 | 2070 | 1.8 | |
| CMR | CAMEROON | 2004 | 2004 | | | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3867 | 2.3 | |
| CMR | CAMEROON | 2006 | 2006 | 1 | | 0 | 1 | 0 | 6077 | 2.6 | |
| CMR | CAMEROON | 2011 | 2011 | | | 0 | 1 | 0 | 6014 | 2 | |
| CMR | CAMEROON | 2014 | 2014 | 1 | | 0 | 1 | 0 | 6776 | 1.3 | |
| COG | CONGO (THE) | 2005 | 2005 | 1 | | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4697 | 3 | |
| COG | CONGO (THE) | 2011-12 | 2011 | 1 | | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4648 | 1.7 | |
| COG | CONGO (THE) | 2014-15 | 2014 | 1 | | 0 | 1 | 0 | 8757 | 2.6 | |
| CIV | COTE D'IVOIRE | 1994 | 1994 | 1 | | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3486 | 2.2 | |
| CIV | COTE D'IVOIRE | 1998-99 | 1998 | | | 0 | | 0 | 1690 | 1.9 | |
| CIV | COTE D'IVOIRE | 2006 | 2006 | | | 0 | | 0 | 8482 | 3.1 | |
| CIV | COTE D'IVOIRE | 2007 | 2007 | | | 0 | | 0 | 854 | 5.4 | |
| CIV | COTE D'IVOIRE | 2011-12 | 2012 | | | 0 | | 0 | 3680 | 1.8 | |
| CIV | COTE D'IVOIRE | 2016 | 2016 | | | 0 | | 0 | 8809 | 1.2 | |
| EGY | EGYPT | 1988 | 1988 | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2077 | 0.6 | |
| EGY | EGYPT | 1991 | 1991 | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3614 | 2.3 | |
| EGY | EGYPT | 1992-93 | 1993 | 1 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7644 | 1.8 | |
| EGY | EGYPT | 1995-96 | 1995 | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10226 | 2.3 | |
| EGY | EGYPT | 2003 | 2003 | 1 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5940 | 1.8 | |
| EGY | EGYPT | 2005 | 2005 | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12828 | 2.5 | |
| EGY | EGYPT | 2008 | 2008 | 1 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10047 | 3.8 | |

5. Dashboard:

5.1. Dashboard Design File:

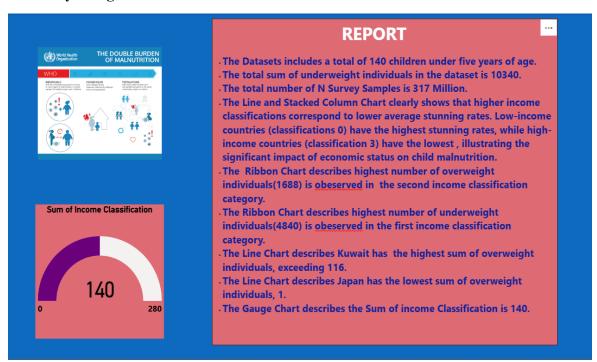
Here are five potential outcomes from the dashboard image provided:

- 1- The dataset includes a total of 140 children under five years of age.
- 2- The total sum of underweight individuals in the dataset is 10,340.
- **3-** The total number of N Survey Samples is 317 million.
- **4-** The Line Chart describes that Kuwait has the highest sum of overweight individuals, exceeding 116.
- 5- The Gauge Chart describes the sum of income classification is 140.



6. Report:

6.1. Story Design File:



Observations drawn from reports in Power BI can provide valuable insights into business performance and trends.

- 1. Malnutrition by Income Classification: The Line and Stacked Column Chart reveals that low-income countries (classification 0) have the highest stunting rates, while high-income countries (classification 3) show the lowest, highlighting the economic impact on child nutrition.
- **2. Underweight Distribution:** The Ribbon Chart indicates that the highest number of underweight individuals (4,840) is seen in the first income classification, showing a concentration of undernutrition in lower economic groups.
- **3. Overweight Patterns:** The second income classification category reports the highest number of overweight individuals (1,688), as per the Ribbon Chart, suggesting changing nutritional problems in mid-income countries.
- **4.** Country-Specific Insights: a. Kuwait has the highest count of overweight individuals (116), as seen in the Line Chart. b. Japan has the lowest, with only 1 overweight individual, reflecting strong national health practices.
- **5. Total Data Summary:** a. The dataset includes data on 140 children under five years. b. A total of 10,340 underweight cases and 317 million survey samples were analyzed. c. The Gauge Chart reflects a sum of income classifications totaling 140.

7. Performance Testing:

7.1 Utilization of Data filters: Country Filter: Allows users to view malnutrition statistics for a specific country. Income Group Filter: Helps identify the impact of income levels (Low, Lower-Middle, Upper-Middle, High) on malnutrition. Dynamic Visual Interactions: Filters were used with slicers and cross-highlighting to make visual components responsive to user selections, enhancing dashboard usability. 7.2 No of Visualization: Card Stacked Area Chart Line and Stacked Column Chart Ribbon Chart Gauge Chart

8. Conclusion/Observation:

The Global Malnutrition Analysis Dashboard successfully highlights critical patterns in undernourishment across countries, regions, and income groups. Through interactive visualizations, it becomes evident that malnutrition is significantly more prevalent in low-income countries, particularly in regions such as Sub-Saharan Africa and South Asia.

The year-wise trend analysis reveals that while some regions have shown gradual improvement, others remain highly vulnerable. Furthermore, a clear correlation is observed between income levels and the prevalence of food insecurity and undernourishment.

By using filters and dynamic visuals, the dashboard enables policymakers, researchers, and NGOs to focus on specific areas, helping them make informed decisions to address food insecurity. The project demonstrates how data visualization can turn raw data into actionable insights.

9. Future Scope:

| ☐ Integration of More Recent Datasets: Incorporating the latest data (post-2023) to keep the dashboard relevant and up-to-date. |
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| ☐ Inclusion of Additional Indicators: Adding other health and nutrition indicators like child stunting, wasting, obesity, and micronutrient deficiencies. |
| ☐ Predictive Analytics: Using machine learning or statistical forecasting to predict future malnutrition trends. |
| ☐ Mobile/Cloud Deployment: Publishing the dashboard on Power BI Service or embedding it into websites/apps for broader accessibility. |
| ☐ Comparative Analysis with Other Global Goals: Linking malnutrition data with SDG indicators (e.g., poverty, education, clean water) for a holistic view. |
| ☐ Localization Features: Allowing users to translate the dashboard into different languages for global usability. |

10. Appendix:

Project Demo Link:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1zZtwBSajEzsLRVEwGjHhVDKNwlUWxJXH/view?usp=sharing