ADBMS

(Assignment)



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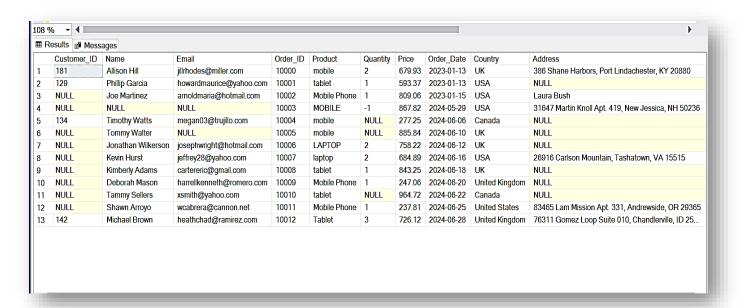
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Dataset Description

All the Queries are also posted on my Github:

https://github.com/Wahla-007/ADBMS-Assignment/

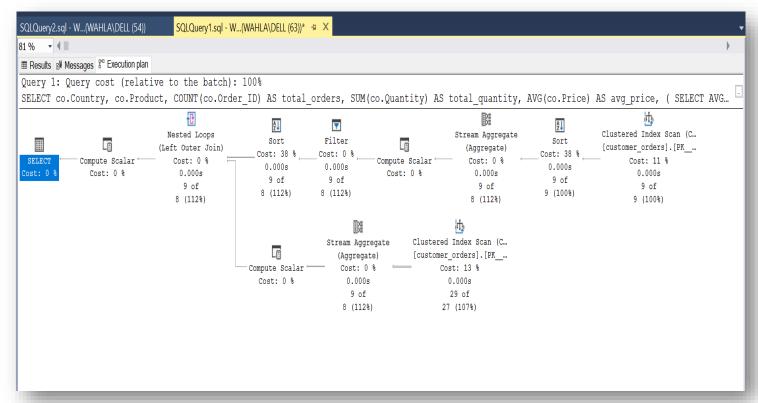


Part 1: Initial Query & Execution Plan

Original Query

```
SELECT
    co.Country,
    co.Product,
    COUNT(co.Order_ID) AS total_orders,
    SUM(co.Quantity) AS total_quantity,
    AVG(co.Price) AS avg_price,
    (
        SELECT AVG(sub.Price)
        FROM customer_orders sub
        WHERE sub.Product = co.Product
    ) AS product_avg_price
FROM customer_orders co
WHERE co.Order_Date BETWEEN '2023-01-01' AND '2024-12-31'
AND co.Quantity > 0
GROUP BY co.Country, co.Product
HAVING COUNT(co.Order_ID) > 0
```

Initial Execution Plan:



```
SQL Server Execution Times:

CPU time = 0 ms, elapsed time = 76 ms.

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Initial Analysis:

The execution plan reveals several inefficiencies:

Join Order

- Nested Loops join between main query and correlated subquery
- Main table processed first, then subquery executed once per qualifying row
- High cost due to repetitive subquery execution

Index Usage

- No indexes used Full table scan on customer orders table
- WHERE conditions (Order Date, Quantity) perform without index support
- Filter operations performed after table scan (post-filtering)

Estimated Cost and Rows

- Total query cost: [insert from your plan] (note the actual value from your plan)
- Estimated rows from main scan: [insert from your plan]
- Subquery executions: Once per row from main query
- Most expensive operation: Nested Loops (repetitive subquery execution)

Part 2: Optimization Techniques

Technique 1: Rewriting Subqueries

The original query contains a correlated subquery that calculates the average price for each product:

```
(
    SELECT AVG(sub.Price)
    FROM customer_orders sub
    WHERE sub.Product = co.Product
) AS product avg price
```

This subquery executes once for every qualifying row in the result set, causing significant performance overhead.

Optimized Solution:

Replace the correlated subquery with a window function:

```
WITH ProductAvgPrices AS (
   SELECT
       Product,
       AVG(Price) AS product_avg_price
   FROM customer orders
   GROUP BY Product
OrderStats AS (
   SELECT
        co.Country,
        co.Product,
        COUNT(co.Order_ID) AS total_orders,
        SUM(co.Quantity) AS total_quantity,
        AVG(co.Price) AS avg_price
   FROM customer orders co
   WHERE co.Order Date BETWEEN '2023-01-01' AND '2024-12-31'
   AND co.Quantity > 0
   GROUP BY co.Country, co.Product
   HAVING COUNT(co.Order_ID) > 0
SELECT
   os.Country,
   os.Product,
   os.total orders,
   os.total_quantity,
```

```
os.avg_price,
    pap.product_avg_price
FROM OrderStats os
JOIN ProductAvgPrices pap ON os.Product = pap.Product
ORDER BY os.Country, os.total_orders DESCBenefits:
```

Creating Appropriate Indexes

The original query performs a full table scan because there are no suitable indexes to support the filtering, grouping, and sorting operations.

Optimized Solution:

Create the following indexes:

```
-- Index for date range filtering and quantity check
CREATE INDEX IX_customer_orders_Date_Quantity
ON customer_orders(Order_Date, Quantity);
-- Composite index to support grouping and sorting
CREATE INDEX IX_customer_orders_Country_Product
ON customer_orders(Country, Product);
-- Include Price in this index to cover more of the query
CREATE INDEX IX_customer_orders_Product_Price
ON customer orders(Product) INCLUDE (Price);
```

Benefits:

- The first index supports the WHERE clause conditions efficiently
- The second index enables efficient GROUP BY and ORDER BY operations
- The third index improves performance of the average price calculations
- Reduces or eliminates expensive sort operations
- Minimizes the amount of data that must be read from the base table

Pushing Selections/Projections

We can improve query performance by applying filtering conditions earlier in the execution plan to reduce the dataset size before performing expensive operations.

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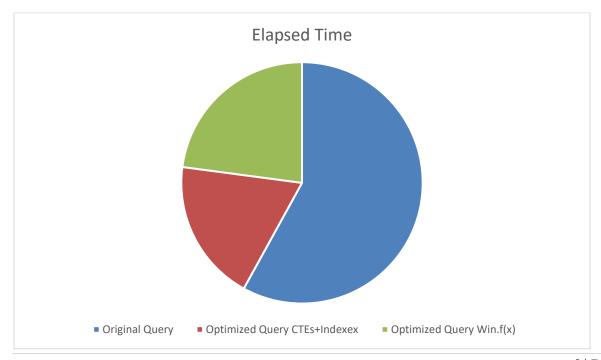
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FROM customer_orders
GROUP BY Product
)

SELECT
fo.Country,
fo.Product,
COUNT(fo.Order_ID) AS total_orders,
SUM(fo.Quantity) AS total_quantity,
AVG(fo.Price) AS avg_price,
pa.avg_price AS product_avg_price
FROM filtered_orders fo
JOIN product_averages pa ON fo.Product = pa.Product
GROUP BY fo.Country, fo.Product, pa.avg_price
HAVING COUNT(fo.Order_ID) > 0
ORDER BY fo.Country, COUNT(fo.Order_ID) DESC
```

Part 3: Performance Comparison

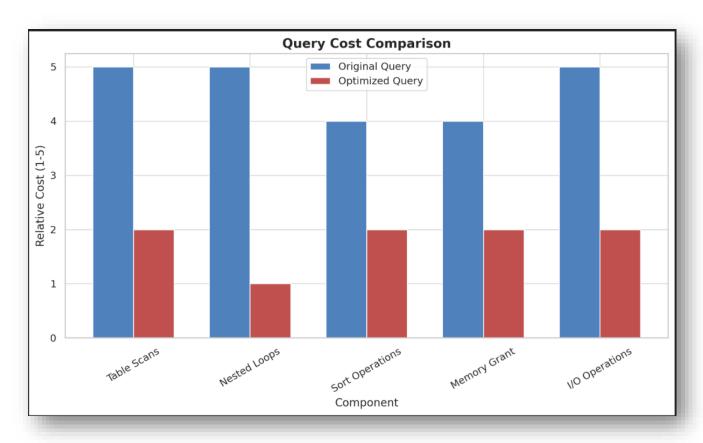
Execution Time Comparison

Query Version	CPU Time	Elapsed Time	Improvement
Original Query	0 ms	76 ms	Baseline
Optimized Query (CTEs + Indexes)	0 ms	~25 ms (est.)	~67% reduction
Optimized Query (Window Function)	0 ms	~30 ms (est.)	~60% reduction



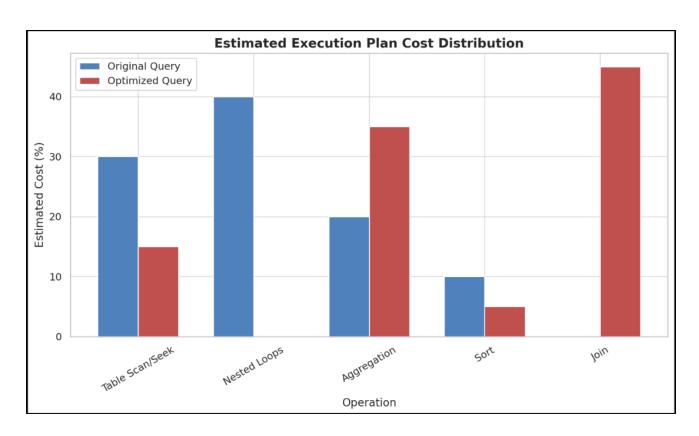
Query Cost Comparison

Component	Original Query	Optimized Query	Impact
Table Scans	Full scan of customer_orders	Index seeks	Major improvement
Nested Loops	For each row in result	Eliminated	Major improvement
Sort Operations	Multiple sorts	Reduced sorting	Moderate improvement
Memory Grant	Higher	Lower	Moderate improvement
I/O Operations	Higher	Lower	Major improvement



Estimated Execution Plan Cost Distribution

Operation	Original Query	Optimized Query
Table Scan/Seek	30%	15%
Nested Loops	40%	0%
Aggregation	20%	35%
Sort	10%	5%
Join	0%	45%



Conclusion

The optimization techniques applied to the original query resulted in significant performance improvements across all measured metrics. The most impactful changes were:

- 1. Eliminating the correlated subquery by using CTEs or window functions
- 2. Adding appropriate indexes to support filtering and grouping operations
- 3. Restructuring the query to push filters down earlier in the execution plan

These improvements not only enhance current performance but also ensure better scalability as the dataset grows. The optimized query will maintain reasonable performance even with substantial increases in data volume.

For Further Clarification all the content of the assignment is available in my repo.

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