

# Project Documentation

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## 3. Data Collection & Preprocessing

- **Data Sources:** Data was sourced from global agricultural databases focusing on annual production volumes in tonnes.
- **Raw Data Identified:**
  - **Cereal Dataset:** Covers Rice, Wheat, and Maize.
  - **Beverage Dataset:** Covers Tea and Green Coffee production.
  - **Fruit Dataset:** Includes Grapes, Apples, Bananas, Avocados, and Oranges.
- **Preprocessing:** Data was curated to ensure integrity and categorized by "Entity" (Region) and "Year" to facilitate time-series and geographical analysis.

## 4. Business Questions & Visualizations

The analysis was structured around eight key business scenarios to answer specific production questions:

Scenario	Business Question	Visualization Type
1 & 2	What is the total global production volume for Rice and Wheat?	KPI Cards
3	How does current Tea production compare to historical scales?	Gauge Chart
4	Which regions lead in Green Coffee production?	Bar Chart
5	How have Wheat, Maize, and Rice	Area Chart

	production levels evolved over time?	
6	What is the regional distribution of major fruit production?	Stacked Bar Chart
7	How has Maize production evolved annually?	Donut Chart
8	Which fruit holds the highest total global production volume?	Bar Chart

## 5. Dashboard Design Strategy

- **Layout Structure:** The dashboard was designed with a top-to-bottom hierarchy, placing high-level totals (Cards/Gauges) at the top for immediate visibility, followed by trend analysis (Area Charts) in the center, and regional comparisons (Bar Charts) at the base.
- **Interactivity:** Key design features include interactive slicers for filtering by Year and Entity to allow for granular data exploration.

## 6. Key Findings & Strategic Outcomes

- **Staple Dominance:** Wheat production reached 203 billion tonnes, while rice reached 206 billion tonnes, representing the highest volumes in the study.
- **Growth Trends:** Maize production showed consistent growth, particularly from the late 1980s onward.
- **Market Leadership:** Grapes are the leading fruit commodity at 30 billion tonnes.
- **Regional Insight:** Africa emerged as the primary producer for green coffee, while Europe and Asia are key contributors to global fruit production.

## 7. Final Recommendations

1. **Supply Chain Focus:** Optimize logistics for high-growth staples like Wheat and Maize based on historical trajectories.
2. **Regional Sourcing:** Strengthen partnerships in Africa for Coffee and Asia/Europe for high-volume fruit sectors like Grapes and Apples.
3. **Future Forecasting:** Utilize the established Power BI framework to update production data annually for proactive market positioning.

## 8. Project Deliverables Inventory

- **Raw Data Report:** Detailed catalog of source datasets.
- **Power BI Dashboard (.pbix):** Interactive visual analytics tool.

- **Dashboard Design Template:** Blueprint for UI/UX layout.
- **Final Data Analysis (DA) Report:** This comprehensive documentation of project results.