Project Brief: Marketing Campaign Performance Analysis

Project Overview

This project aims to analyze this data to gain insights into the effectiveness of our campaigns, optimize our ad spend, and improve future marketing strategies.

Objectives:

- Evaluate Campaign Performance: Assess the overall performance of each campaign in terms of reach, engagement, and conversions.
- Channel Effectiveness: Determine which advertising channels are driving the best results.
- Geographical Insights: Identify the cities that show the highest engagement and conversion rates.
- Device Performance: Understand how ads perform across different devices.
- Ad-Level Analysis: Analyze the performance of individual ads to identify high-performing creatives.
- ROI Calculation: Calculate the return on investment (ROI) for each campaign.
- Time Series Analysis: Track the performance trends over time to identify patterns and seasonal effects.

Key Questions to Answer

Campaign Performance: (1) Which campaign generated the highest number of impressions, clicks, and conversions? (2) What is the average cost-per-click (CPC) and click-through rate (CTR) for each campaign?

SQL QUERY

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--Which campaign generated the highest number of impressions, clicks, and conversions?

SELECT TOP 1 campaign,
    MAX(Impressions) AS HighestImp, MAX(Clicks) AS HighestClk,
    MAX(Conversions) AS HighestConv

FROM [Marketing Data]

GROUP BY Campaign

ORDER BY Campaign ASC;

-- What is the average cost-per-click (CPC) and click-through rate (CTR) for each campaign?

SELECT campaign,
    AVG(daily_average_cpc), AVG(CTR) AS C_T_R

FROM [Marketing Data]

GROUP BY Campaign;
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Channel Effectiveness: (1) Which channel has the highest ROI? (2) How do impressions, clicks, and conversions vary across different channels?

SQL QUERY

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-- Which channel has the highest ROI? (CHANNEL REVENUE - COST OF Ad / COST OF Ad)

SELECT TOP 1 Channel,
   ROUND (SUM(total_conversion_value_gbp - Spend_GBP), 2) /
   NULLIF(SUM(Spend_GBP), 0) AS AmtSpent

FROM [Marketing Data]
GROUP BY Channel
ORDER BY AmtSpent DESC;

/* How do impressions, clicks, and conversions vary across different channels?
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SELECT Channel,
  ROUND (100.0 * SUM(Clicks) / NULLIF(SUM(Impressions),0), 2) AS CTR,
  ROUND (100.0 * SUM(Conversions) / NULLIF (SUM (clicks), 0), 2) AS CVR,
  ROUND (100.0 * SUM(Conversions) / NULLIF (SUM (impressions), 0),2) AS CPI
FROM [Marketing Data]
GROUP BY Channel;
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Geographical Insights: (1) Which cities have the highest engagement rates (likes, shares, comments)? (2) What is the conversion rate by city?

SQL QUERY

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-- Which cities have the highest engagement rates (likes, shares, comments)?

SELECT City_Location,
   SUM(Likes_reactions + Comments + Shares) AS Engagement_Rates

FROM [Marketing Data]

GROUP BY City_Location

ORDER BY Engagement_Rates DESC;

-- What is the conversion rate by city?

SELECT City_location,
   ROUND(100.0 * SUM(Conversions) / NULLIF(SUM(Clicks), 0),2) AS CVR

FROM [Marketing Data]

GROUP BY City_Location

ORDER BY CVR DESC;
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Device Performance: (1) How do ad performances compare across different devices (mobile, desktop, tablet)? (2) Which device type generates the highest conversion rates?

SQL QUERY

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-- How do ad performances compare across different devices (mobile, desktop)?

SELECT Device,
   ROUND(100.0 * SUM(clicks) / NULLIF(SUM(Impressions), 0),2) AS CTRPercentage,
   CAST(100.0 * SUM(Conversions) / NULLIF(SUM(Clicks), 0) AS DECIMAL (10,2)) AS Engment%,
   CAST(100.0 * SUM(Spend_gbp) / NULLIF(SUM(clicks),0) AS DECIMAL (10,2)) AS CPA
   CAST(SUM(Spend_gbp) / NULLIF(SUM(conversions), 0) AS DECIMAL (10,2)) AS Conv_rate

FROM [Marketing Data]

GROUP BY Device;

-- Which device type generates the highest conversion rates?

SELECT TOP 1 Device,
   SUM(Conversions) AS HighConversion

FROM [Marketing Data]

GROUP BY Device

ORDER BY HighConversion DESC;
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Ad-Level Analysis: (1) Which specific ads are performing best in terms of engagement and conversions? (2) What are the common characteristics of high-performing ads?

SQL QUERY

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-- Which specific ads are performing best in terms of engagement and conversions?
SELECT Channel,
ROUND(100.0 * SUM(clicks) / NULLIF(SUM(impressions) ,0),2) AS C T R,
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ROUND(100.0 * SUM(likes_reactions + shares + clicks) / NULLIF(SUM(impressions), 0),2) AS
EngRate,
ROUND(100.0 * SUM(Spend_gbp) / NULLIF(SUM( likes_reactions + shares + clicks),0),2) AS
CpEng,
ROUND(100.0 * SUM(conversions) / NULLIF(SUM(clicks),0),2) AS CVRate,
SUM(Spend_gbp) / NULLIF(SUM(conversions),0) AS CPCV,
CAST(100.0 * SUM(total_conversion_value_gbp) / NULLIF(SUM(spend_GBP),0)AS DECIMAL (10,2)
) AS ROADS
FROM [Marketing Data]
GROUP BY Channel;
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ROI Calculation: (1) What is the ROI for each campaign, and how does it compare across different channels and devices? (2) How does spend correlate with conversion value across different campaigns?

SQL QUERY

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-- What is the ROI for each campaign, and how does it compare across different channels
and devices?
WITH CampaignROI AS ( SELECT channel, Device,
       SUM(Spend GBP) AS AdSpend,
       SUM(total conversion value gbp - spend gbp) AS CampaignNetProfit
FROM [Marketing Data]
GROUP BY Channel, Device ) SELECT Channel, Device,
       ROUND(100.0 * SUM(CampaignNetProfit) / SUM(Adspend),2) AS ROI
FROM CampaignROI
GROUP BY Channel, Device
ORDER BY Channel ASC;
-- How does spend correlate with conversion value across different campaigns?
SELECT Channel,
       COUNT(conversions) AS DeviceCNV,
       SUM(Spend gbp) / NULLIF(SUM(conversions),0) AS CostPerConversion,
       ROUND(100.0 * SUM(Spend_gbp) / NULLIF(SUM(conversions),0),2) AS ConversionRate
FROM [Marketing Data]
GROUP BY Channel
ORDER BY ConversionRate DESC;
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Time Series Analysis: Are there any noticeable trends or seasonal effects in ad performance over time?

SQL QUERY

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-- Are there any noticeable trends or seasonal effects in ad performance over time?

SELECT

DATEPART(YEAR, Date) AS Year,
DATENAME(MONTH, Date) AS MonthName,

SUM(Spend_gbp) AS TotalSpend,

SUM(Conversions) AS TotalConversions,

SUM(Total_conversion_value_gbp) AS TotalRevenue,

CASE WHEN SUM(Clicks) > 0

THEN ROUND(SUM(Conversions) * 100.0 / SUM(Clicks) ,2)

ELSE 0 END AS ConversionRate,

CASE WHEN SUM(Spend_gbp) > 0

THEN CAST(SUM(Total_conversion_value_gbp) / SUM(Spend_gbp) AS DECIMAL (10,2))

ELSE 0 END AS ROAS

FROM [Marketing Data]

GROUP BY DATEPART(YEAR, Date), DATENAME(MONTH, Date)

ORDER BY MonthName, ConversionRate DESC;
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INSIGHTS

- The fall campaign performs best across all key metrics. It significantly outperforms spring and summer campaigns with Impressions: 6,434,259, Clicks: 85,120, Conversions: 14,886.
- Fall has the highest CTR (1.35%) but also the highest CPC (£0.93). Spring offers the most cost-efficient clicks at £0.86 CPC. Summer has the lowest CTR (1.13%) with CPC nearly as high as Fall (£0.92)
- Pinterest dominates with an exceptional 2150.68% ROI, significantly outperforming Instagram (980.15%) and Facebook (475.85%). This suggests Pinterest delivers far more conversion value relative to spend.
- Facebook delivers the most impressions but has the lowest conversion rate (CVR) of 18.77%.
 Instagram achieves the highest CTR (1.42%) and second-highest CVR (22.71%). Pinterest has the lowest CTR but highest CVR (26.83%), making the ROI standout.
- London shows the highest overall engagement with 285,706 total interactions, followed by Manchester (278,159) and Birmingham (237,874).
- Birmingham has the highest conversion rate at 28.79%, and outperforms Manchester (22.86%) and London (17.61%). This suggests Birmingham audiences are more likely to convert after clicking.
- Desktop generates more conversions (21,310 vs 18,942) and has higher CTR (1.53% vs 1.05%).
 Mobile is slightly more efficient with lower CPA (£20.42 vs £23.99) and CPC (£0.83 vs £0.97).
 Conversion rates are nearly identical (4%) across devices.
- Desktop with higher conversion value (£949,684) but also higher spend (£86,187)
- Mobile has lower absolute conversion value (£782,016) but more efficient spend (£76,994)
- Pinterest continues to show exceptional ROI performance. Instagram delivers strong middleground performance. Facebook has the lowest ROI among the three channels.
- There's a strong positive correlation between spend and conversion value, but with diminishing returns at higher spend levels. Pinterest shows the most efficient spend-to-conversion ratio.
- Fall consistently outperforms other seasons across all metrics. Spring shows steady performance with efficient CPC. Summer has the weakest performance with lower CTR and higher CPC.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Invest more in Pinterest for its exceptional ROI performance.
- Grant more budget to Fall campaigns when consumer responsiveness peaks.
- Optimize Birmingham-targeted ads to leverage the higher conversion rates.
- Maintain balanced device spending as both desktop and mobile perform well.
- Study high-performing ad characteristics and do the same for other campaigns.
- Monitor seasonal trends to expect performance fluctuations.
- Test London engagement strategies in other cities to boost interaction rates.