## Data Warehouse Design Proposal

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## **Data Model Concept Proposal**

Based on a dimensional star schema, supporting fast analytical queries and actionable business insights.

#### **Fact Tables**

- Fact\_Orders: Tracks sales, pricing, and quantities
- Fact\_Delivery: Captures delivery schedules, actuals, and delays



Fact Tables are closely linked to dimension tables, and store the key business metrics

#### **Dimension Tables**

- Dim\_Customer: Customer details and types
- Dim\_Product: Product names and base prices
- Dim\_Delivery: Delivery dates and times
- Dim\_Order: Order dates and status



**Dimension Tables provide descriptive context for facts** 

## **Fact Tables**

Orders & Deliveries

#### Fact\_Orders

- Order ID, Customer ID, Product
  ID
- Quantity Ordered, Gross/Net Price
- Total = Quantity × Net Price

#### Fact\_Delivery

- Delivery ID, Scheduled/Actual
  Dates
- Delay in Minutes
- On-Time Delivery (Yes/No)

#### **Business Insights**

- Most sold products
- Average prices
- Revenue per customer
- Logistics performance



## **Dimension Tables**







#### **Dim\_Customer**

ner Dim\_Product

Dim\_Delivery

Customer ID, Name, Type Material ID, Product Name, Base Price Delivery ID, Date, Time, Day of Week



#### Dim\_Order

Order ID, Order Date, Status

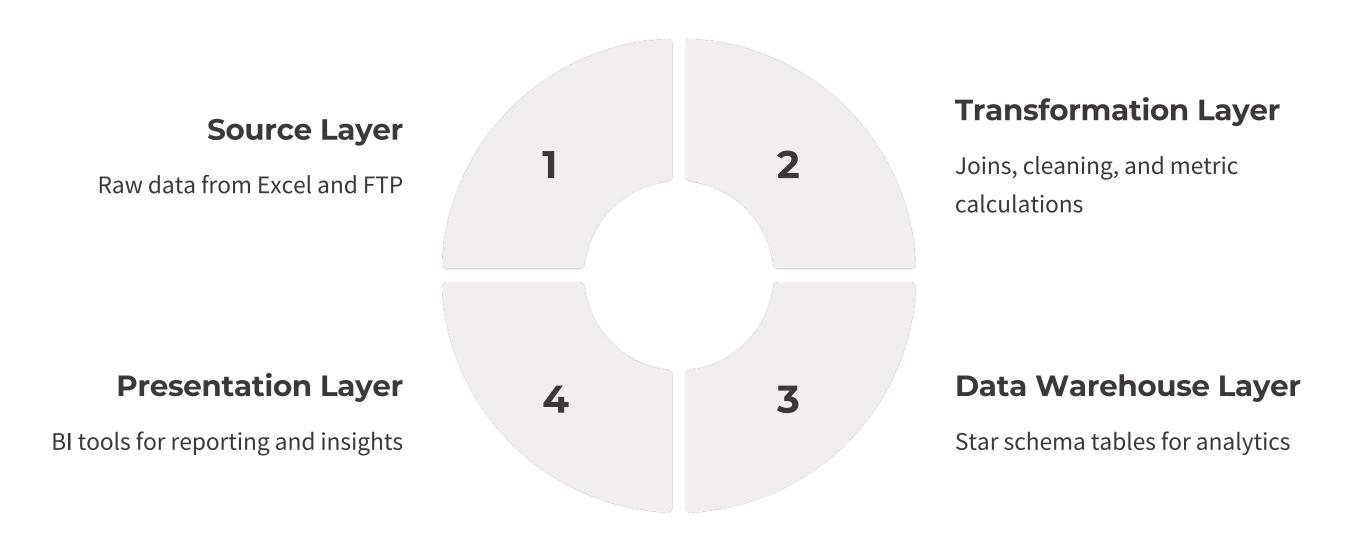


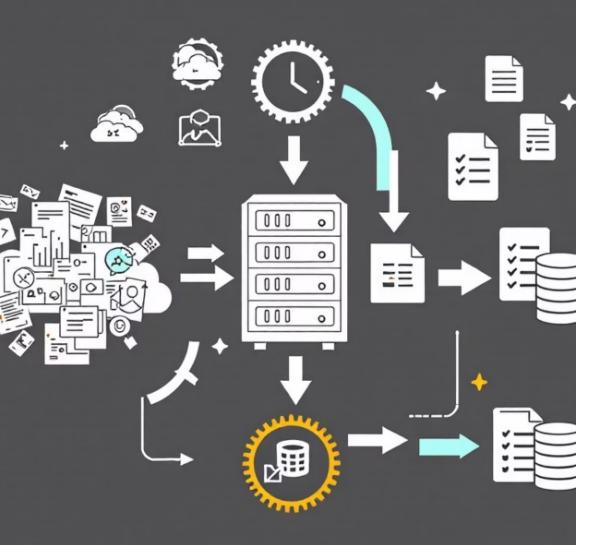






## Layered Data Warehouse Architecture





# Data Integration & Transformation

**Raw Ingestion** Collect Excel and FTP data **Data Cleaning** Normalize formats, resolve inconsistencies **Joins & Calculations** Link orders, deliveries, and confirmations **Star Schema Build** Populate fact and dimension tables



## **Key Challenges in Implementation**

**Data Integration** 

Combining Excel and FTP data with different formats

**Order-Delivery Linking** 

Handling deliveries with multiple order lines and partial fulfillment

**Date/Time Consistency** 

Resolving mixed date formats across systems

**Pricing & Missing Data** 

Ensuring accurate net price and addressing incomplete records

## **Open Questions & Next Steps**

#### **Data Refresh Frequency?**

Determine ETL schedule: daily, hourly, or event-based

#### **BI Tool Selection?**

Choose platform for dashboards and reporting

#### **Business Logic Decisions?**

Define handling of partial/undelivered orders and regional analysis

#### **Route Optimization?**

Create methods to improve delivery efficiency

