Power BI Assignment Topic: Stacked Column Chart – Dominating Sub-Categories
Objective: Determine which Sub-Category dominates sales in each Category using a Stacked Column Chart in Power BI.
Step 1: Load Data 1. Open Power BI Desktop. 2. Click Get Data \rightarrow Excel/CSV \rightarrow Select the Sample Superstore dataset. 3. Load the dataset.
Step 2: Create a Stacked Column Chart 1. Go to the Visualizations pane → select Stacked Column Chart. 2. Drag fields as follows: - Axis: Category - Legend: Sub-Category - Values: Sales
Step 3: Analyze Dominating Sub-Categories 1. Turn on Data Labels in the Format pane. 2. Hover over each stack or observe the largest segment in each Category.
Example from Sample Superstore data: Category Dominating Sub-Category Technology Phones Furniture Chairs Office Supplies Paper
Step 4: Optional – Sort by Sales - Click the chart options (three dots) \rightarrow Sort by \rightarrow Sales (descending).
Step 5: Optional – Verification Table 1. Insert a Table visual. 2. Drag Category, Sub-Category, and Sales. 3. Sort Sales descending within each Category to see top Sub-Category.
Deliverables: - Stacked Column Chart showing Category vs Sales by Sub-Category Highlight or note the dominating Sub-Category for each Category.
End of Assignment.