University of Ottawa

School of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science CSI4142 Fundamentals of Data Science

Project Phase 3: OLAP Queries and BI Dashboard

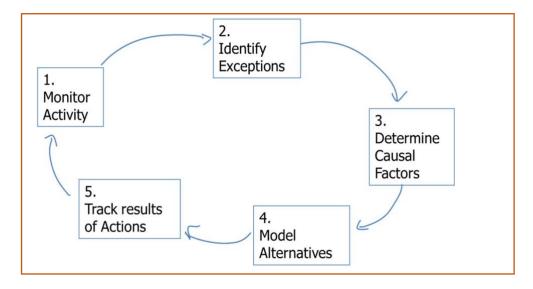
Due Date: April 5, 2024, 11:59pm

Instructions:

- A. This is a team assignment.
- B. Submit your documentation via BrightSpace using your team locker.
- C. For your source code, you may either submit a zipped file or provide a link to a GitHub repository. You are asked to submit the following details:
 - a. Scripts to execute the SQL queries.
 - b. Screen shots of your Business Intelligence (BI) Dashboard that show the functionality.

Part A. OLAP queries

Write OLAP queries exploring the data to answer questions posed during the typical analytical lifecycle as covered in class and as shown below.



You should include a total of 12 queries, in the categories as shown below. (The examples are shown to illustrate the concepts. Teams are free to use their own examples.)

Part 1. Standard OLAP operations - 9 queries in total

- **a. Drill down and roll up 2 queries:** by using concept hierarchies in your data mart, such as (name, region, continent) and (month, quarter, year, decade).
- **b.** Slice, where only one dimension is selected. **1 query**
- **c.** Dice, where one creates a sub-cube. **2 queries**
- **d. Combining OLAP operations.** In these queries, we combine the abovementioned operations. **4 queries**

For instance, we may explore the data characteristics i) during different time periods, ii) when certain events were taking place, iii) for different countries and regions, iv) while comparing age groups, or v) contrasting unemployment rates.

Part 2. Explorative operation – 3 queries

Identify general trends using advanced SQL operations. Give <u>one query</u> from each one of these categories.

- a. **Iceberg queries.** For instance, i) find the five years with the highest population growths, ii) find the five countries with the highest decreases in term of specific health conditions (e.g., tuberculosis) in subpopulations {children, male, female, total} when considering a particular decade.
- b. **Windowing queries.** For instance, display the ranking of the countries in terms of the literacy rates, as reported per gender, over the last five years.
- c. **Using the Window clause.** For instance, compare the number of hospital beds in Canada in 2019 to that of the previous and next years.

Note: Refer to the Module 4 Data Analytics lecture slides. The PostgreSQL syntax is available at:

https://www.postgresql.org/docs/current/queries-table-expressions.html

https://www.postgresql.org/docs/current/tutorial-window.html

https://www.postgresql.org/docs/current/sql-expressions.html#SYNTAX-WINDOW-

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Part B. BI dashboard and Information Visualization

Create a dashboard that allows the users to explore the data and to visualize trends. Specifically, users should be able to traverse concept hierarchies, including the ability to roll up and drill down, slice and dice, as well as execute Top N or Bottom N queries. Your interface should include graphs and charts. You may use any dashboard tool of your choice.