#### Rewards Next Dashboard — Technical Documentation

# 1. Data Model (ERD)

The data model is a star schema with events transformed as fact table, linked to three dimensions:

- Customers transformed (customer id, demographics)
- Offers source (offer id, type, reward, difficulty, duration, channels)
- Date (calendar table with Year, Month, Quarter)

Additional Event Order table supports funnel ordering.

# 2. Power Query (ETL) Steps

- Load CSVs (customers, events, offers, data\_dictionary).
- Parse events.value JSON using Json.Document after replacing single quotes with double.
- Extract offer\_id\_extracted and transaction\_amount.
- Convert became\_member\_on to Date, fix data types.
- Replace null genders with 'Unknown', handle unrealistic ages.
- Expand offers.channels if needed into separate rows.
- Ensure transaction\_amount as Decimal Number.

#### 3. DAX Measures

- Total Sales = SUM(events\_transformed[transaction\_amount])
- Offers Sent = CALCULATE(COUNTROWS(events\_transformed), events\_transformed[event]
  "offer received")
- Offers Viewed = CALCULATE(COUNTROWS(events\_transformed), events\_transformed[event] = "offer viewed")
- Offers Completed = CALCULATE(COUNTROWS(events\_transformed), events\_transformed[event] = "offer completed")
- Redemption Rate = DIVIDE([Offers Completed], [Offers Sent], 0)
- Avg Transaction Amount = DIVIDE([Total Sales],
  CALCULATE(COUNTROWS(events\_transformed), events\_transformed[event] = "transaction"), 0)
- Transaction Count = CALCULATE(COUNTROWS(events\_transformed), events transformed[event] = "transaction")
- CompletedOfferFlag = IF(COUNTROWS(FILTER(RELATEDTABLE(events\_transformed), events\_transformed[event] = "offer completed")) > 0, "Completed", "Not Completed")
- Avg Spend Completed Customers =
   CALCULATE(AVERAGE(events\_transformed[transaction\_amount]),
   events\_transformed[event] = "transaction",
   KEEPFILTERS(customers\_transformed[CompletedOfferFlag] = "Completed"))

Avg Spend - Not Completed Customers =
 CALCULATE(AVERAGE(events\_transformed[transaction\_amount]),
 events\_transformed[event] = "transaction",
 KEEPFILTERS(customers\_transformed[CompletedOfferFlag] = "Not Completed"))

# 4. Report Pages

- Page 1: Overview KPI cards, sales & completions trend line.
- Page 2: Offer Funnel Funnel using EventOrder[event] sorted by EventStep.
- Page 3: Customer Segmentation Heatmap (AgeBand × IncomeBand), slicers for Gender
  & CompletedFlag, bar charts by demographics.
- Page 4: Offer Performance Bar charts (type, reward, channels), scatter (difficulty vs redemption).
- Page 5: Transaction Behavior Line chart (Completed vs Not Completed spend), KPI cards.

# **5. Optimization Notes**

- Remove unused columns (raw JSON).
- Disable Auto Date/Time; mark Date table explicitly.
- Keep single-direction relationships.
- Use Incremental Refresh if dataset grows.
- Avoid high-cardinality slicers.

#### 6. Validation Performed

- Spot check 100 customers offer completions vs DAX matched Power Query.
- Verified redemption measures align with manual counts.
- Checked transaction amount totals against raw CSV.
- Confirmed EventOrder sorting logic in Funnel.

#### 7. Deployment Instructions

- Save PBIX as Rewards Next Customer Engagement.pbix.
- Publish to Power BI Service workspace.
- Configure refresh schedule and data gateway (if local files).
- • Share App with marketing team, set permissions.
- Maintain datasets and extend with new offers when