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Voyage Vista : Illuminating Insights from Uber Expeditionary Analysis

Introduction:

> 1.1 Overview

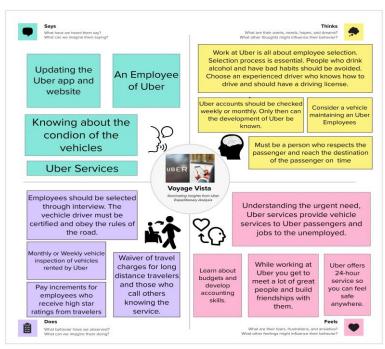
Uber is a multinational transportation network company that operates a ride-hailing platform. Uber provides a convenient way for individuals to request rides from drivers who use their own personal vehicles. Uber Driver Analysis refers to the Analyzing the number of trips taken by Uber drivers can provide insights into their overall activity and the demand for rides in specific areas. Daily, Weekly, or Monthly Analysis: Uber's data can be analyzed on a daily, weekly, monthly basis to understand the trends and patterns of trip volumes. This analysis can help identify peak hours or days of high demand and optimize driver availability during those times. Trips can be analyzed based on geographic regions or specific cities to identify areas with higher demand. This analysis can help Uber drivers decide where to focus their driving efforts for maximum efficiency and profitability. The Major of our project is to use data Analyzing techniques to find unknown patterns in the Uber Drives dataset. The research is carried out on Uber drives data collected from the year 2016.

> 1.2 Purpose

- **Transportation Innovation:** Uber aims to innovate and transform the way people move by providing convenient, on-demand transportation options.
- Economic Opportunities: It seeks to create economic opportunities for drivers by enabling them to earn income through the Uber platform.
- **Urban Mobility**: Uber strives to improve urban mobility by reducing congestion, pollution, and the need for personal car ownership.
- Global Accessibility: The company aims to make transportation more accessible and convenient for people around the world, regardless of their location.
- Igniting Opportunity: Uber's overarching goal is to ignite opportunities for both riders and drivers by facilitating efficient, reliable, and affordable transportation solutions.

Problem Definition & Design Thinking:

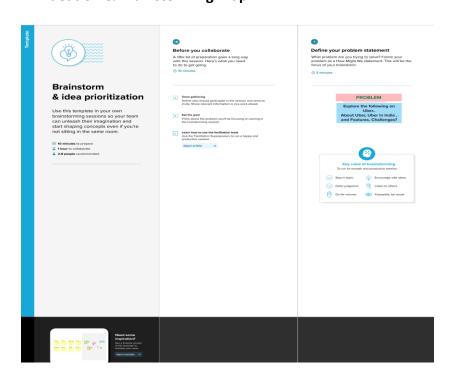
> 2.1 Empathy Map



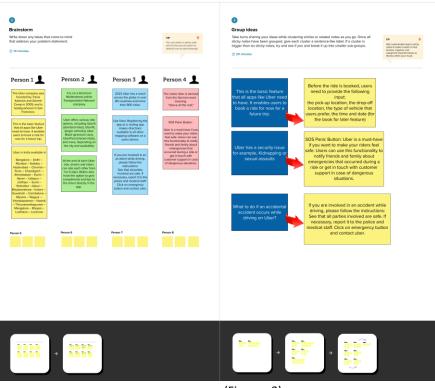
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Discussion: Using Empathy Map , We can analyse the thinking of uber in driver performance, safety and security , Earnings and income, Regulatory Impact.

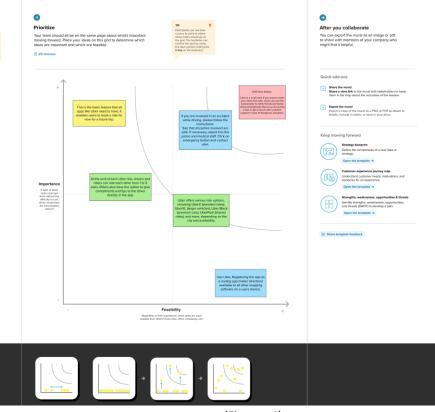
> 2.2 Ideation & Brainstorming Map



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(Figure: 3)



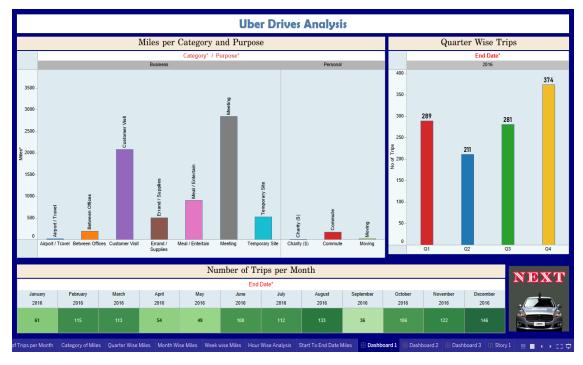
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Discussion: In this Brainstorming Map, we can create and understand the question. Using Anaysis , we get a solution for the questions

Result:

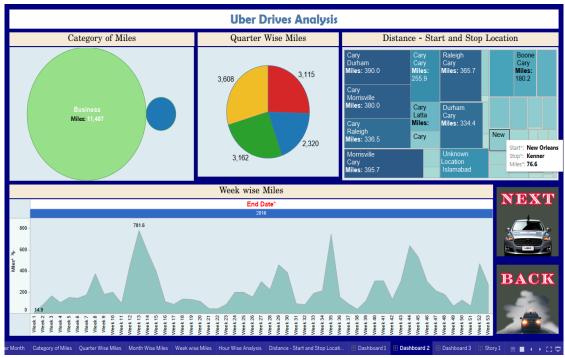
About Dashboard & Story Disscussion added in Conclusion. (Page-8)

Dashboard 1



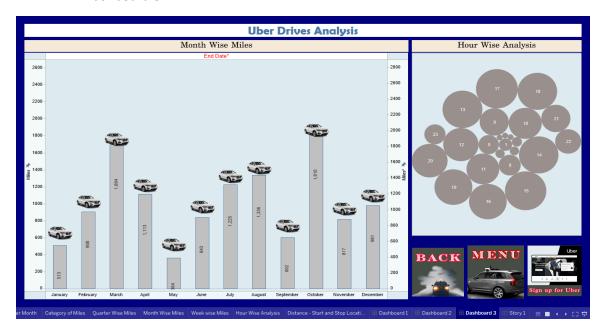
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Dashboard 2



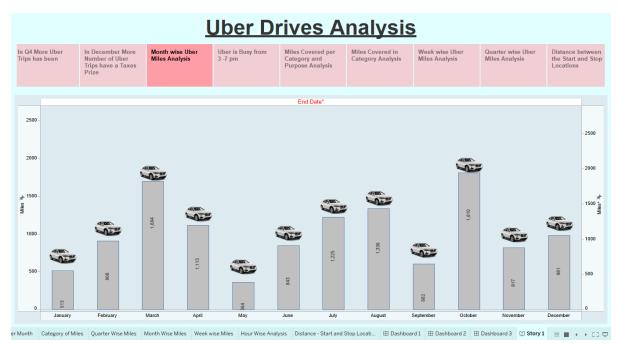
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Dashboard 3



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Story



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Tableau Public Link:

Dashboard Link -

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* Story Link -

Advantages & Disadvantages :

_Advantages and Disadvantages of taking Uber trips:

S.No	Advantages	Disadvantages	
1	Convenience :	Surge Pricing :	
	Easy and quick access to	Prices can significantly increase	
	rides with the Uber app.	during peak hours or high demand,	
		leading to higher costs.	
2	Cost-Efficient :	Safety Concerns :	
	Often cheaper than	Safety incidents with some Uber	
	traditional taxis in many locations.	rides have been reported.	
3	User-Friendly App :	Driver Ratings :	
	Intuitive app for booking,	Some drivers may have low ratings	
	tracking, and managing rides.	or provide subpar service.	
4	Wide Availability :	Uncertain Wait Times :	
	Uber operates in numerous	Wait times can vary, especially in	
	cities globally.	less populated areas or during busy times.	
5	Cashless Transactions:	Regulatory Issues :	
	Payments are typically made	Uber may face legal and regulatory	
	through the app, reducing the need	challenges in some regions.	
	for cash.		
6	Ride-Sharing Options:	Privacy Concerns :	
	Choices include standard	Uber collects user data, raising	
	rides, shared rides, and premium	privacy issues for some users.	
	options.		
7	Driver Accountability :	Cancellation Fees :	
	Riders can rate and provide	Cancelling rides too close to pickup	
	feedback on drivers, promoting	time may incur fees.	
	better service.		
8	Accessibility:	Limited Coverage :	
	Uber offers wheelchair-	Service may be limited or	
	accessible and car seat options in	unavailable in some areas.	
	some locations.		
9	Reduced DUI:	Vehicle Quality :	
	Provides a safe alternative to	Vehicle conditions may vary,	
	driving under the influence.	affecting comfort and cleanliness.	
10	Environmental Benefits:	Surge Pricing :	
	Encourages carpooling and	During peak times, prices can be	
	reduces private car usage.	significantly higher than usual.	

Applications:

In our **Naan Mudhalvan** program, we introduced Tableau as a mandatory subject. After installing Tableau, we initiated discussions on our designated topic, which was **Voyage Vista: Illuminating Insights from Uber Expeditionary Analysis.**

In this endeavor, I will delve into a dataset sourced from the **Smartinterz** website, specifically focusing on Uber trips and distances logged in the year 2016. The core aim of this analysis is to glean actionable insights into Uber's operational dynamics throughout that particular year. Through meticulous exploration of the dataset, my objective is to pinpoint recurring patterns and emerging trends. Ultimately, the purpose is to generate information of substantial value, serving as a navigational compass for decision-making processes. By conducting this comprehensive examination, I seek to paint a holistic picture of Uber's operational terrain during the year 2016. The insights unearthed during this analysis will not only enrich our understanding of Uber's strategies and performance during that timeframe but also serve as a strategic compass, guiding potential enhancements and refinements in their services.

Conclusion:

With Smartinterz's assistance, we conducted an analysis of 2016 Uber trips and distances data. This endeavor yielded valuable insights, allowing us to accumulate a substantial amount of knowledge from the dataset.

We have observed the Uber collections of 2016. They are as follows:

Observed Uber Collections	Using Tableau Graphs
Many people sign up to ride with Uber for various reasons, but	Bar graph & Bubble
I've discovered that the primary motive for undertaking long	chart
journeys is often driven by business necessity.	
Breaking down the year 2016 into four quarters and analyzing	
the miles traveled on Uber, it becomes evident that the fourth	Bar graph & Pie chart
quarter recorded the highest number of miles covered.	
In Uber's records for the year, December boasted the highest	Highlight Table & Bar
number of monthly trips. However, when it comes to measuring	graph
distance, October outpaced all other months, registering for a	
greater distance covered.	
According to the weekly survey, in a year consisting of 53 weeks,	
the 13th week stands out with the highest travel distance, while	Area Chart
the 1st week records the least distance traveled.	
Determine the least frequently booked time on Uber, and	
designate it as the peak/busy period. This time slot sees the	Bubble Chart
highest concentration of trip bookings, while other times of the	
day experience fe wer bookings.	

All Visualizations/ Graphs Uploaded in Tableau Public. (Page-4)

Future Scope:

In this section, we delved into Tableau and conducted group discussions. Through these discussions, we identified the need for Uber Taxi service. We sought input from our team on how to advance this service further. Here are the summarized responses gathered from our team members.

• Enhanced Safety Measures :

Stay updated with advanced safety technologies, like biometric driver identification and advanced driver assistance systems, to ensure the safety of passengers.

In-Car Entertainment and Connectivity:

Equip vehicles with entertainment and connectivity options to enhance the passenger experience, such as Wi-Fi, streaming services, and touchscreen displays.

Regulatory Compliance :

Stay informed about evolving regulations related to transportation services and ensure your business complies with local laws.

Mobile App Innovation :

Continuously enhance your mobile app with features like augmented reality for finding pick-up points, real-time traffic updates, and Al-driven personalization.

• Customer-Centric Approach:

Focus on delivering excellent customer service and soliciting feedback to continuously improve your service.

• Sustainability Initiatives :

Promote eco-friendly practices such as carbon offset programs, green vehicle choices, and reduced emissions to attract environmentally conscious customers.

Remember that innovation and adaptability are key to the long-term success of a taxi service in a rapidly changing transportation landscape. Continuously seek feedback from customers and monitor industry trends to stay competitive and relevant in the future.

Appendix:

A. Source Code (Dashboard):

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