#### 1. Name three types of visuals you can create in Power BI.

- Bar/Column Chart
- Line Chart
- Pie/Donut Chart (also tables, maps, cards, KPIs, etc.)

#### 2. How do you add a slicer to a report?

- Go to Visualizations panel → Slicer
- Drag a field (e.g., Quarter) into the slicer.

#### 3. What is the difference between a bar chart and a column chart?

- Bar Chart: Horizontal bars, categories on vertical axis.
- Column Chart: Vertical bars, categories on horizontal axis.

# 4. How do you change the color of a visual background?

• Select the visual  $\rightarrow$  Format (paint roller)  $\rightarrow$  Background  $\rightarrow$  On  $\rightarrow$  Pick color.

### 5. What does "drill-down" mean in a visual?

It lets users **navigate hierarchical data** (e.g., from Region  $\rightarrow$  Product  $\rightarrow$  Quarter) directly within the chart.

# 6. Create a bar chart showing SalesAmount by Region.

• Insert **Bar Chart**  $\rightarrow$  Axis = Region  $\rightarrow$  Values = Sales Amount.

#### 7. Add a slicer for Quarter to filter all visuals on the page.

• Insert Slicer  $\rightarrow$  Field = Quarter.

### 8. Format the bar chart to show data labels.

• Select bar chart  $\rightarrow$  Format  $\rightarrow$  Data labels  $\rightarrow$  On.

#### 9. Use a line chart to show SalesAmount trends over Quarter.

• Insert Line Chart  $\rightarrow$  Axis = Quarter  $\rightarrow$  Values = Sales Amount.

### 10. Add a tooltip to display Product details when hovering over bars.

• Select bar chart  $\rightarrow$  **Tooltip fields**  $\rightarrow$  Add Product.

## 11. Sync slicers across multiple report pages.

• Select slicer  $\rightarrow$  View  $\rightarrow$  Sync slicers pane  $\rightarrow$  Enable for chosen pages.

#### 12. Create a custom visual with dynamic measure selection (e.g., Sales vs. Profit).

• Use a **Field Parameter** or **DAX SWITCH**() measure:

```
SelectedMeasure =
SWITCH(
    SELECTEDVALUE(MeasureTable[MeasureName]),
    "Sales", SUM(Sales_Interactive[SalesAmount]),
    "Profit", SUM(Sales_Interactive[Profit]),
    BLANK()
)
```

### 13. Implement a hierarchy for Region > Product > Quarter drill-down.

- In **Fields pane**, drag Product under Region, then Quarter under Product → Creates hierarchy.
- Use this hierarchy in visuals to enable drill-down.

#### 14. Use bookmarks to toggle between two visuals in the same space.

- Place Visual A and Visual B in the same spot.
- Create a **Bookmark** for each (show/hide visuals).
- Add buttons  $\rightarrow$  Assign bookmarks to toggle.

## 15. Optimize a slow-rendering report with 10+ visuals.

- Reduce unnecessary visuals on a page.
- Use **Aggregations** and pre-aggregated tables.
- Disable auto-date hierarchy if not needed.
- Limit high-cardinality fields.
- Enable **Performance Analyzer** to debug bottlenecks.