## **Project 9: Profitability Analysis by Region**

Analyze profitability across different regions to optimize regional sales strategies.

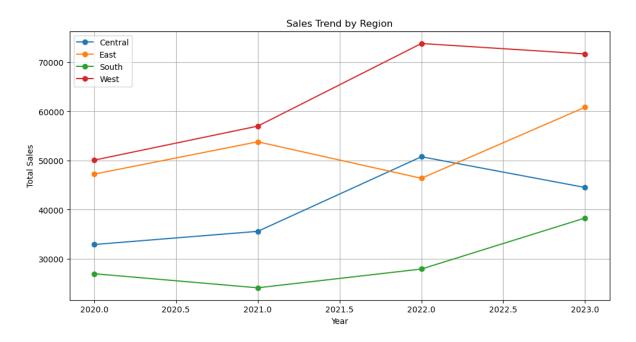
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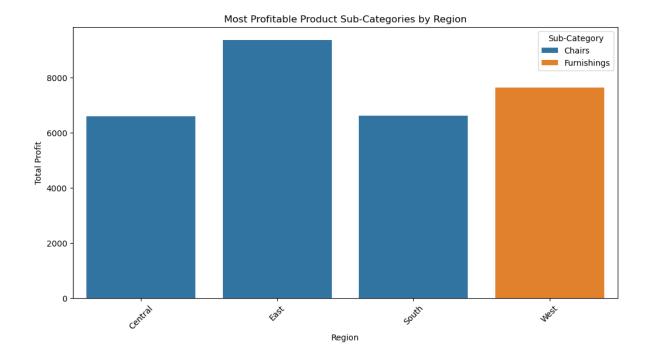
#### Potential Causes of Declining Sales:

	region	total_sales	${\tt avg\_discount}$	$avg\_quantity$	avg_profit
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#### Analyze which product categories and sub-categories are most profitable in each region.

Most Profitable Product Sub-Categories in Each Region:

	region	sub_category	profit
1	Central	Chairs	6592.7221
5	East	Chairs	9357.7706
9	South	Chairs	6612.0893
14	West	Furnishings	7641.2704



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Recommended Regions for Increased Marketing Investment:

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