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# Online Retail Data Set

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**Abstract**: This is a transnational data set which contains all the transactions occurring between 01/12/2010 and 09/12/2011 for a UK-based and registered non-store online retail.

Data Set Characteristics:	Multivariate, Sequential, Time-Series	Number of Instances:	541909	Area:	Business
Attribute Characteristics:	Integer, Real	Number of Attributes:	8	Date Donated	2015-11-06
Associated Tasks:	Classification, Clustering	Missing Values?	N/A	Number of Web Hits:	179087

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#### **Data Set Information:**

This is a transnational data set which contains all the transactions occurring between 01/12/2010 and 09/12/2011 for a UK-based and registered non-store online retail. The company mainly sells unique all-occasion gifts. Many customers of the company are wholesalers.

#### **Attribute Information:**

InvoiceNo: Invoice number. Nominal, a 6-digit integral number uniquely assigned to each transaction. If this code starts with letter 'c', it indicates a cancellation.

StockCode: Product (item) code. Nominal, a 5-digit integral number uniquely assigned to each distinct product.

Description: Product (item) name. Nominal.

Quantity: The quantities of each product (item) per transaction. Numeric.

InvoiceDate: Invice Date and time. Numeric, the day and time when each transaction was generated.

UnitPrice: Unit price. Numeric, Product price per unit in sterling.

CustomerID: Customer number. Nominal, a 5-digit integral number uniquely assigned to each customer.

Country: Country name. Nominal, the name of the country where each customer resides.

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