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# CUSTOMER RFM ANALYTICAL REPORT

## 1. Project Overview

The project aims to analyze data utilizing MySQL Server to [transform data from Online Transactional Processing \(OLTP\) to Online Analytical Processing \(OLAP\)](#). Subsequently, it focuses on constructing an RFM (Recency, Frequency, Monetary) model to categorize customers into groups using the Customer 360 approach and RFM model.

### 1.1 What is Customer 360?

**Customer 360** is a [business management](#) and [customer analysis strategy](#) in which all information about each customer is gathered into a common platform. This platform contains comprehensive data about various aspects of the customer, from demographic details to communication methods to the customer's relationships with the business. Consolidating customer information and data into a single source helps companies gain a holistic, multidimensional view of their customer base. By understanding customers better, companies can [develop specific strategies](#) tailored [to each customer segment](#), enhance customer experience, and improve the competitiveness of the business in the market.



## BENEFITS OF CUSTOMER360 PLATFORM

1. **Demographic:** This entails personal information about customers such as age, gender, address, occupation, education, family, etc. Demographic data helps businesses [better understand their customer base](#) and [categorize them into different target groups](#).
2. **Behavioural:** This includes information about customer behaviour such as purchasing habits, frequency of purchases, preferred products or services, and time and manner of interaction with the business. Behavioural data helps companies [gain a deeper understanding of customer needs and preferences](#), enabling the creation of effective interaction and marketing strategies.
3. **Transaction:** This refers to information about customer purchase transactions or financial transactions, such as purchase history, quantity of purchases, transaction value, payment methods, etc. Transaction data [helps businesses assess performance](#), [predict purchasing trends](#), and [optimize sales strategies](#).
4. **Interaction:** This encompasses information about interactions between customers and the business through channels such as phone, email, website, social media, etc. Interaction data helps companies to understand [how customers interact](#) and [respond to marketing strategies](#) and services, thereby [improving the customer experience](#) when using the business's products or services.

## 1.2 RFM Model

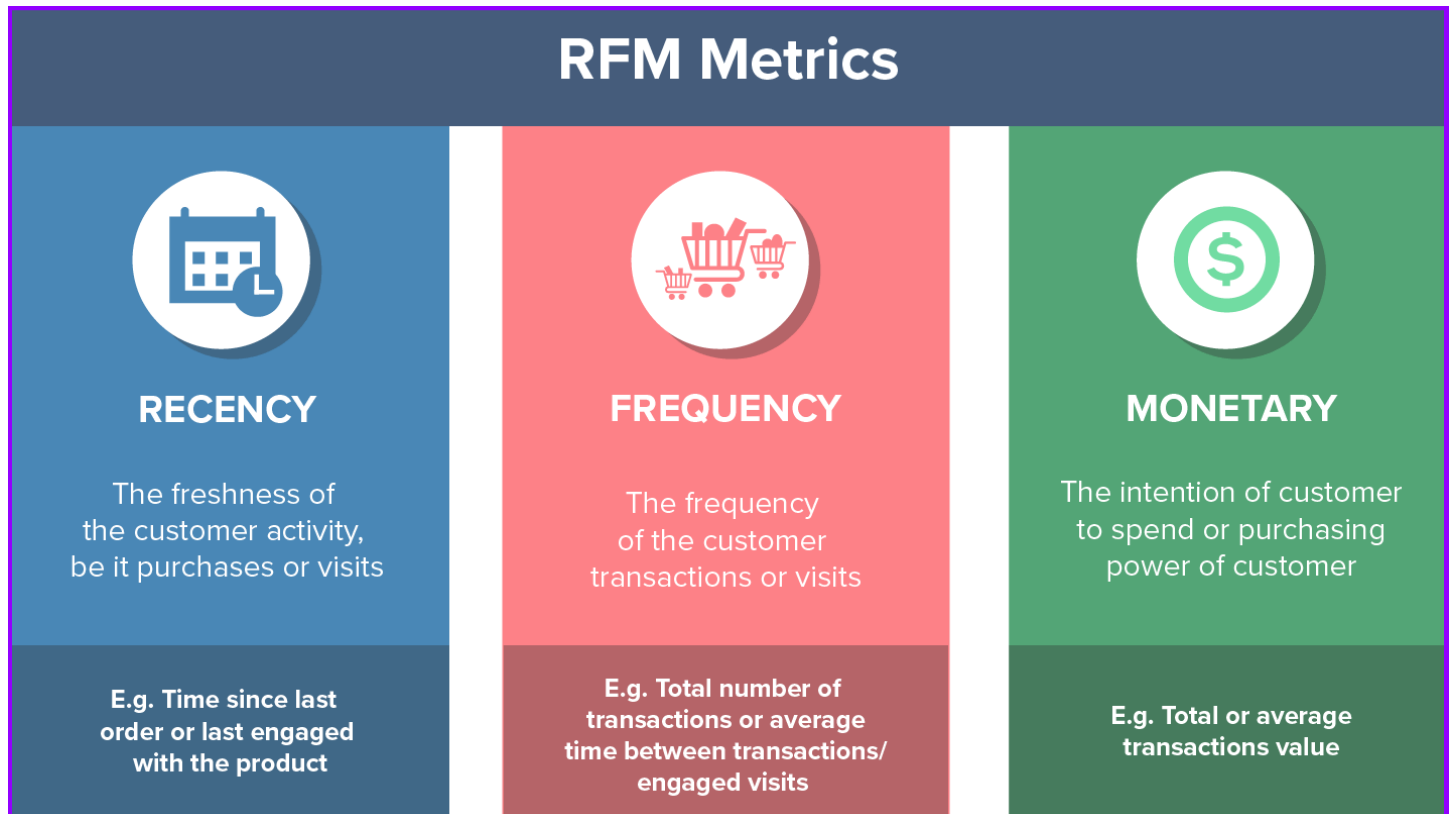
**RFM** is a [customer segmentation model](#) based on the Customer360 philosophy. Data on the transaction history between customers and businesses is collected and analyzed based on three

key factors: Recency, Frequency, and Monetary.

## RFM Metrics

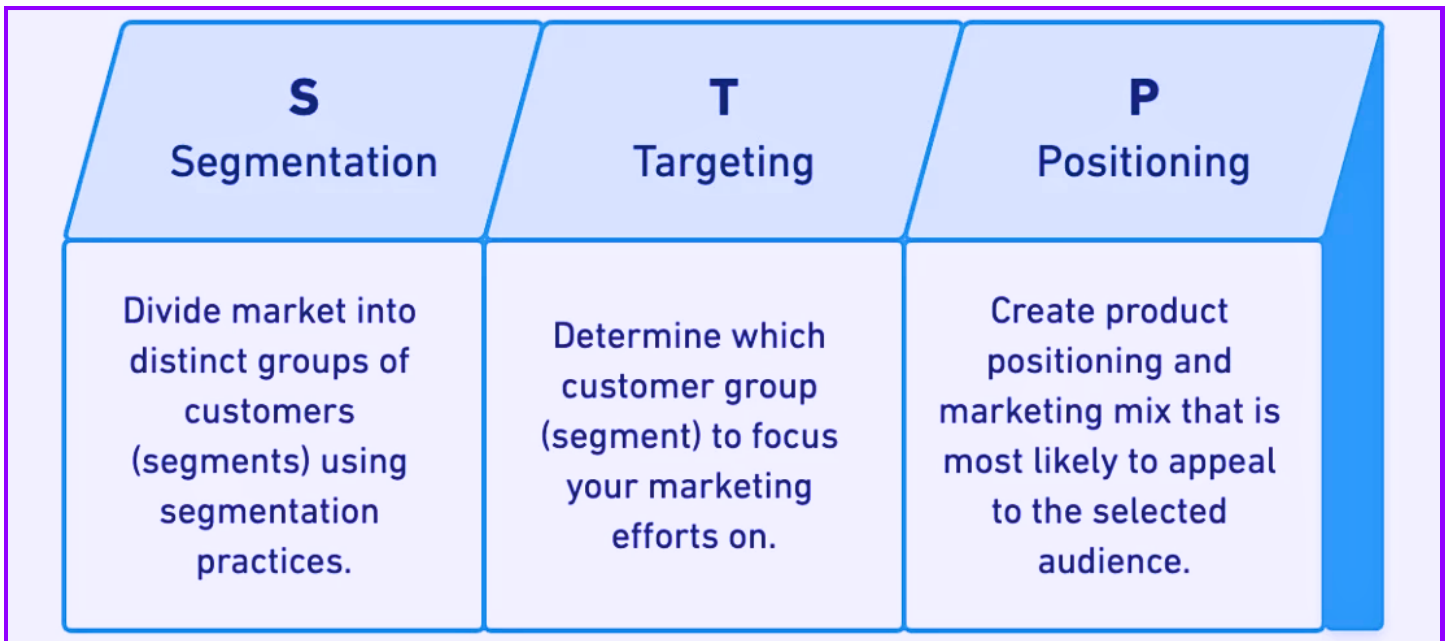
- **Recency:** The most recent time a customer purchased or used a service.
- **Frequency:** How often a customer makes purchases or uses services.
- **Monetary:** The amount of money a customer has spent on purchases or services.

Recency, Frequency, and Monetary are three crucial factors in quantifying customer behaviour and interactions with the business. Among these, Frequency and Monetary are determinants of the Customer Lifetime Value, while Recency influences Customer Retention.



## Benefits of RFM Metris

The RFM model helps businesses enhance customer retention by aiding them in understanding fundamental marketing principles:



The RFM model allows businesses to gain crucial insights into customers that they can act upon, thereby shaping business strategies around these insights. This model enables companies to understand the significance of their brand to current customers, assisting them in managing customer perceptions and converting positive emotions into purchasing actions.

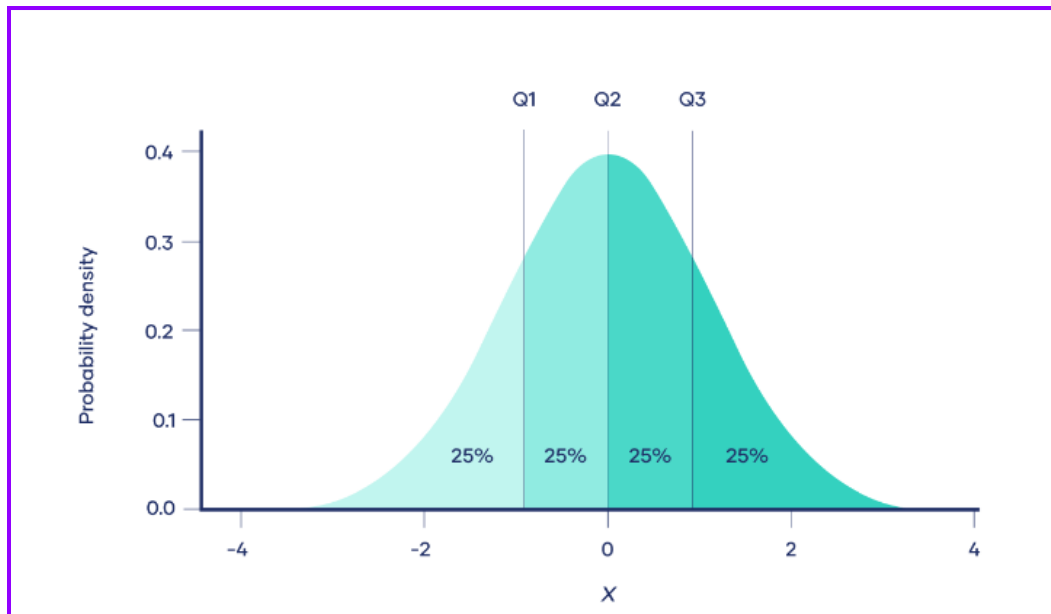
## **RFM scoring utilizes quartiles in statistical probability.**

**Quartiles in statistical probability** involve dividing data into four equal parts based on their order. Specifically, quartiles divide the data into four sections with the same number of observations, meaning each section contains 25% of the total observations.

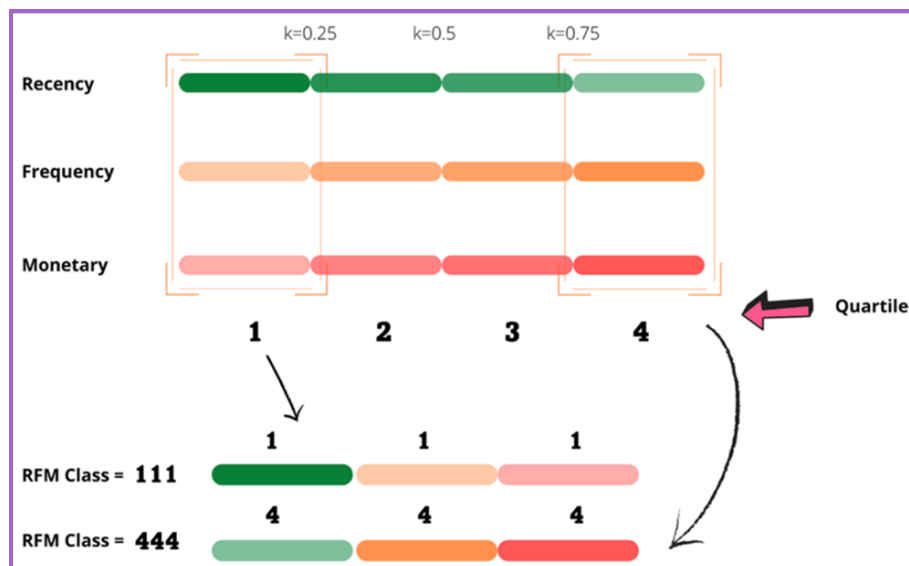
Quartiles consist of **three values**: the first quartile (Q1), the second quartile (Q2), and the third quartile (Q3). These three values divide a dataset (sorted in ascending order) into four parts with equal observations.

Assuming the dataset has  $n$  observations:

- The first quartile is calculated using  $Q1 = 25 * (n+1) / 100$ .
- The second quartile, the median, is  $Q2 = (n+1)/2$ .
- The third quartile is calculated using the formula  $Q3 = 75 * (n+1) / 100$ .



For each variable (R, F, M), we categorize into groups from 1 to 4, with group 4 representing the highest values and group 1 representing the lowest values. Specifically for R, a score of 4 indicates recently purchased, while 1 signifies a long absence of transactions with the business.



## Customer Segmentation Based on RFM Score

Each customer will be assessed based on three key factors: Recency (R), Frequency (F), and Monetary Value (M). Each factor is evaluated compared to the entire customer base and is assigned a score ranging from 1 to 4. A score of 1 indicates the lowest level, while a score of 4 represents the highest level relative to the overall customer base. These individual scores are subsequently amalgamated into a unified RFM index, which serves as the basis for customer classification.

Customer Segment	Activity	RFM group
<b>Champions</b>	Bought recently, buy often and spend the most!	444, 443, 434, 344
<b>Loyal Customers</b>	Spend good money with us often. Responsive to promotions.	442, 441, 432, 431, 433, 343, 342, 341
<b>Potential Loyalist</b>	Recent customers, but spent a good amount and bought more than once.	424, 423, 324, 323, 413, 414, 343, 334
<b>Recent Customers</b>	Bought most recently, but not often.	333, 332, 331, 313
<b>Promising Customers</b>	Recent shoppers, but haven't spent much.	422, 421, 412, 411, 311, 321, 312, 322
<b>Customers Needing Attention</b>	Above average recency, frequency and monetary values. May not have bought very recently though.	333, 332, 331, 313
<b>About To Sleep / New Customer</b>	Below average recency, frequency and monetary values. Will lose them if not reactivated.	422, 421, 412, 411, 311, 321, 312, 322
<b>At Risk / Price Sensitive</b>	Spent big money and purchased often. But long time ago.	131, 132, 141, 142, 231, 232, 241, 242
<b>Can't Lose Them</b>	Made biggest purchases, and often. But haven't returned for a long time.	244, 234, 243, 233, 224, 214, 213, 134, 144, 143, 133
<b>Hibernating</b>	Last purchase was long back. Low spenders and low number of orders.	223, 221, 222, 211, 212, 124
<b>Lost</b>	Lowest recency, frequency and monetary scores.	111, 112, 113, 114, 121, 122, 123

## 1.3 How to do RFM Analysis?

## Steps to Implement RFM Analysis and Segmentation



## 2.RFM ANALYSIS

### 2.1 Data Overview:

The data is compiled from 113773 customers, with 1040158 transactions, purchase data spanning from June 1, 2022, to August 31, 2022, stored in 2 tables:

- **Customer\_Registered Table:**

Column name	Data type	Meaning
ID	Bigint	Index of customer
Contract	Varchar	ID of Contract
LocationID	Int	ID of Location
BranchCode	Tinyint	ID of Branch
Status	Tinyint	Example: 0 - 1 - 2
Created_date	Datetime	Register Date
Stop_date	Datetime	Cancel Date

- **Customer\_Transaction table:**

Column name	Data type	Meaning
ID	Bigint	Index of customer
CustomerID	Varchar	ID of customer
Purchase_Date	Datetime	Date of Transaction
GMV	Bigint	Revenue of Transaction

## 2.2 Data Cleansing

In this phase, we conduct data cleansing to eliminate potential noise:

- Omit customers with ID=0, indicating test accounts in the system.
- Exclude records lacking information on created\_date or with empty created\_date fields.
- Remove customers with stop\_date != NULL, indicating discontinued service usage.
- Filter out transactions without revenue generation, i.e., GMV equals 0.

## 2.3 RFM Segmentation

To segment RFM effectively, we follow these steps:

1. Step 1: Calculate each customer's R, F, and M values.
  - R: Determine the recency of the last purchase, measured as the days between the current date and the customer's most recent purchase.
  - F: Assess the frequency of purchases, calculated as the total number of orders the customer has made over the contract age. Contract age is computed from the registration date to the current date, ensuring an unbiased assessment of usage time across different customers.
  - M: Evaluate the monetary value spent by the customer on purchasing products or utilizing business services. This metric is also computed based on the customer's contract age.
2. Step 2: Assign scores to R, F, M using quartiles.
3. Step 3: Determine RFM segments by amalgamating R, F, M scores.

After using IQR( Interquartile Range) Method for Calculation RFM score, each customer's RFM score is categorized as follows:

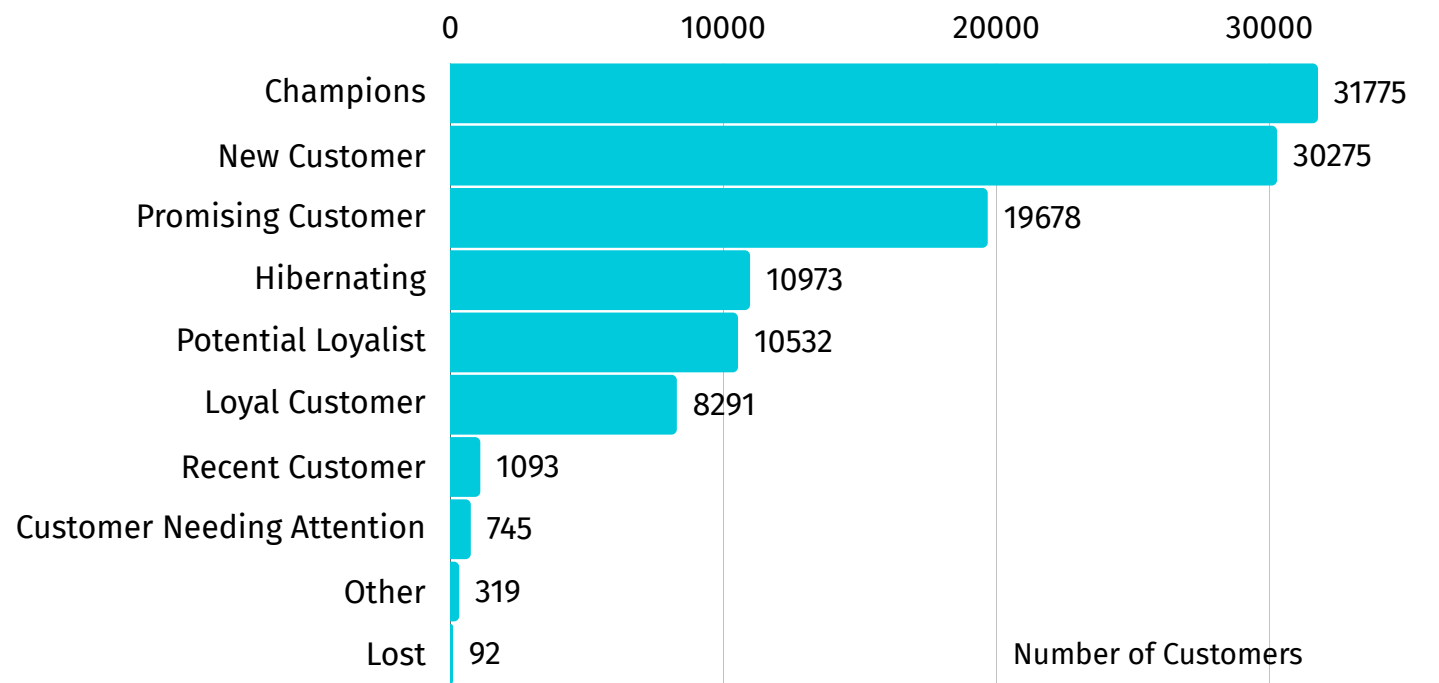


Score (IQR)	1	2	3	4
Recency	>= 92 days	62 to 91 days	32 to 61 days	<= 31 days
Frequency(per year) (For only GMV >0)	0.00 to 0.13	0.14 to 0.19	0.20 to 0.24	0.25 to 2.00
Monetary(per year)	=< 15833 VND	15833 to 18750 VND	18750 to 23750VND	>= 23750 VND

## 2.4 VISUALIZATION AND ANALYTICS

Utilize **PowerBI** to present dashboards and analyze the obtained results. Details regarding the analysis outcomes are elaborated in the subsequent section.

### Segments Distribution



## 2.5 Actionable Tips:

Customer Segment	Actionable Tip
Champions	Reward them. They can be early adopters for new products. They will promote your brand.
Loyal Customer	Upsell them higher-value products. Ask them for reviews. Increase engagement with them.
Potentail Loyalist	Offer loyalty/membership programs, introduce other products.
Recent Customer	Provide onboarding support, create early success for them, start building a relationship.
Promising Customer	Create brand awareness, offer free trials.
Customers Needing Attention	Create time-limited offers, recommend based on previous purchases. Re-engage them.
Hibernating	Share valuable resources, introduce popular products/renewals at a discounted price, reconnect with them.
At Risk	Send personal emails to reconnect, offer renewal, provide helpful resources.
Can't lose them	Win them back with renewal or newer products, don't let them become churned, have a conversation with them.
Hibernating	Offer related products and special discounts. Re-establish brand value.
Lost	Rekindle interest with outreach campaigns, ignore if not.

## 2.6 Comments:

### Customer Distribution Analysis:

1. The largest customer segment is "Champions", with 31,775 individuals, indicating a robust base of brand advocates.
2. Conversely, the "Lost" segment comprises only 92 individuals, suggesting a relatively minor loss in terms of customer base.
3. "Hibernating" customers, totalling 10,973, represent a significant portion of the customer base, necessitating targeted re-engagement efforts.

### Customer Engagement and Potential Value:

1. The "Champions" segment presents an opportunity to leverage their influence for new product launches and brand promotion.
2. "Loyal Customers" (8,291) and "Potential Loyalists" (10,532) are valuable segments likely to respond positively to upselling and loyalty programs, respectively.

### Risk Mitigation Strategies:

1. For "Customers Needing Attention" (745), time-limited offers and personalized recommendations based on previous purchases could help re-engage them.
2. "At Risk" customers require urgent attention, necessitating personalized outreach and renewal offers to prevent churn.

## Resource Allocation and Prioritization:

1. Allocating resources towards onboarding support for "Recent Customers" (1,093) can enhance early success and foster long-term relationships.
2. "Promising Customers" (19,678) represent a substantial opportunity for brand awareness initiatives and free trials to convert them into loyal patrons.

## Re-engagement Strategies:

1. "Hibernating" customers may respond well to discounts and the reintroduction of popular products to reignite their interest.
2. Although small, the "Lost" segment still presents an opportunity for rekindling interest through targeted outreach campaigns.

## Segment Specific Campaigns:

1. Tailoring marketing campaigns and offers based on customer segments can lead to higher conversion rates and improved customer satisfaction.
2. Implementing customer feedback loops and monitoring engagement metrics can help refine strategies over time for each segment.

**In summary, a nuanced approach that considers each customer segment's unique characteristics and behaviors is essential for maximizing retention, driving growth, and fostering lasting customer relationships.**



# Thank you!

## Appendix:

-- CLEAN DATA

-- 1. Omit customers with ID=0

```
DELETE FROM [dbo].[Customer_Transaction]
```

```
WHERE CustomerID = 0;
```

```
DELETE FROM [dbo].[Customer_Registered]
```

```
WHERE ID = 0;
```

```
-- 2. Exclude records lacking information on created_date or with empty created_date fields.
```

```
DELETE FROM [dbo].[Customer_Registered]
```

```
WHERE created_date IS NULL OR created_date = '';
```

```
-- 3. Remove customers with stop_date != NULL, indicating discontinued service usage.
```

```
DELETE FROM [dbo].[Customer_Registered]
```

```
WHERE stopdate IS NOT NULL;
```

```
-- 4. Filter out transactions without revenue generation, i.e., GMV equals 0.
```

```
DELETE FROM [dbo].[Customer_Transaction]
```

```
WHERE gmv = 0;
```

```
-- ANALYTICS
```

```
-- OVERVIEW
```

```
-- 1. CUSTOMER AND TRANSACTION:
```

```
-- Number of customers
```

```
SELECT COUNT(DISTINCT CustomerID) AS NumberOfCustomers
```

```
FROM [dbo].[Customer_Transaction];
```

```
-- Number of transactions
```

```
SELECT COUNT(*) AS NumberOfTransactions
```

```
FROM [dbo].[Customer_Transaction];
```

```
-- Average number of transactions per customer
```

```
SELECT
```

```
    MIN(NumberOfTransactions) AS MinTransactions,
```

```
    MAX(NumberOfTransactions) AS MaxTransactions,
```

```
    AVG(NumberOfTransactions) AS AvgTransactions
```

```
FROM (
```

```
    SELECT
```

```
        CustomerID,
```

```
        COUNT(*) AS NumberOfTransactions
```

```
    FROM [dbo].[Customer_Transaction]
```

```
    GROUP BY CustomerID
```

```
) AS TransactionCounts;
```

```
-- TRANSACTION MONTHLY
```

```
SELECT
```

```
    YEAR(Purchase_Date) AS Year,
```

```
    MONTH(Purchase_Date) AS Month,
```

```
    COUNT(Transaction_ID) AS NumberOfTransactions
```

```
FROM
```

```
    [dbo].[Customer_Transaction]
```

```
GROUP BY
```

```
    YEAR(Purchase_Date),
```

```
    MONTH(Purchase_Date)
```

```
ORDER BY
```

```
    YEAR(Purchase_Date),
```

```
MONTH(Purchase_Date);
```

```
-- GMV
```

```
-- Calculate the average GMV (Gross Merchandise Volume)
```

```
SELECT AVG(CAST(GMV AS BIGINT)) AS AverageGMV
```

```
FROM [dbo].[Customer_Transaction];
```

```
-- TIME
```

```
-- Select first date and last date
```

```
SELECT
```

```
    MIN(Purchase_Date) AS min_Date,
```

```
    MAX(Purchase_Date) AS max_date
```

```
FROM
```

```
    [dbo].[Customer_Transaction];
```

```
-- RFM MODELS
```

```
-- Drop temporary tables if they exist to avoid conflicts
```

```
IF OBJECT_ID('tempdb..#calculation') IS NOT NULL
```

```
    DROP TABLE #calculation;
```

```
IF OBJECT_ID('tempdb..#result') IS NOT NULL
```

```
    DROP TABLE #result;
```

```
IF OBJECT_ID('tempdb..#customer_segmentation') IS NOT NULL
```

```
    DROP TABLE #customer_segmentation;
```

```
-- Perform calculations and store intermediate results
```

SELECT

CustomerID,

DATEDIFF(DAY, MAX(CAST(Purchase\_Date AS DATE)), '2022-09-01') AS recency,

ROUND(

CAST(COUNT(DISTINCT CAST(Purchase\_Date AS DATE)) AS FLOAT) /

CAST(DATEDIFF(YEAR, CAST(created\_date AS DATE), '2022-09-01') AS FLOAT), 2

) AS frequency,

SUM(gmv) / DATEDIFF(YEAR, CAST(created\_date AS DATE), '2022-09-01') AS monetary,

ROW\_NUMBER() OVER (ORDER BY DATEDIFF(DAY, MAX(CAST(Purchase\_Date AS DATE)), '2022-09-01')) AS rn\_recency,

ROW\_NUMBER() OVER (ORDER BY ROUND(

CAST(COUNT(DISTINCT CAST(Purchase\_Date AS DATE)) AS FLOAT) /

CAST(DATEDIFF(YEAR, CAST(created\_date AS DATE), '2022-09-01') AS FLOAT), 2

)) AS rn\_frequency,

ROW\_NUMBER() OVER (ORDER BY SUM(gmv)) AS rn\_monetary

INTO #calculation

FROM

[dbo].[Customer\_Transaction] T

JOIN

[dbo].[Customer\_Registered] R ON T.CustomerID = R.ID

GROUP BY

CustomerID, created\_date;

-- Check count of records in the calculation table

SELECT

COUNT(\*)

FROM

#calculation;

-- Perform RFM grouping and mapping

SELECT

\*,

CASE

WHEN recency < (SELECT recency FROM #calculation WHERE rn\_recency = (SELECT CAST(COUNT(DISTINCT customerid) \* 0.25 AS INT) FROM #calculation)) AND recency >= (SELECT recency FROM #calculation WHERE rn\_recency = 1)) THEN '1'

WHEN recency >= (SELECT recency FROM #calculation WHERE rn\_recency = (SELECT CAST(COUNT(DISTINCT customerid) \* 0.25 AS INT) FROM #calculation)) AND recency < (SELECT recency FROM #calculation WHERE rn\_recency = (SELECT CAST(COUNT(DISTINCT customerid) \* 0.5 AS INT) FROM #calculation)) THEN '2'

WHEN recency >= (SELECT recency FROM #calculation WHERE rn\_recency = (SELECT CAST(COUNT(DISTINCT customerid) \* 0.5 AS INT) FROM #calculation)) AND recency < (SELECT recency FROM #calculation WHERE rn\_recency = (SELECT CAST(COUNT(DISTINCT customerid) \* 0.75 AS INT) FROM #calculation)) THEN '3'

ELSE '4'

END AS R,

CASE

WHEN frequency < (SELECT frequency FROM #calculation WHERE rn\_frequency = (SELECT CAST(COUNT(DISTINCT customerid) \* 0.25 AS INT) FROM #calculation)) AND frequency >= (SELECT frequency FROM #calculation WHERE rn\_frequency = 1) THEN '1'

WHEN frequency >= (SELECT frequency FROM #calculation WHERE rn\_frequency = (SELECT CAST(COUNT(DISTINCT customerid) \* 0.25 AS INT) FROM #calculation)) AND frequency < (SELECT frequency FROM #calculation WHERE rn\_frequency = (SELECT CAST(COUNT(DISTINCT customerid) \* 0.5 AS INT) FROM #calculation)) THEN '2'

WHEN frequency >= (SELECT frequency FROM #calculation WHERE rn\_frequency = (SELECT CAST(COUNT(DISTINCT customerid) \* 0.5 AS INT) FROM #calculation)) AND frequency < (SELECT frequency FROM #calculation WHERE rn\_frequency = (SELECT CAST(COUNT(DISTINCT customerid) \* 0.75 AS INT) FROM #calculation)) THEN '3'

ELSE '4'

END AS F,

CASE



```
    WHEN monetary < (SELECT monetary FROM #calculation WHERE rn_monetary = (SELECT
CAST(COUNT(DISTINCT customerid) * 0.25 AS INT) FROM #calculation)) AND monetary >= (SELECT
monetary FROM #calculation WHERE rn_monetary = 1) THEN '1'
```

```
    WHEN monetary >= (SELECT monetary FROM #calculation WHERE rn_monetary = (SELECT
CAST(COUNT(DISTINCT customerid) * 0.25 AS INT) FROM #calculation)) AND monetary < (SELECT
monetary FROM #calculation WHERE rn_monetary = (SELECT CAST(COUNT(DISTINCT customerid) *
0.5 AS INT) FROM #calculation)) THEN '2'
```

```
    WHEN monetary >= (SELECT monetary FROM #calculation WHERE rn_monetary = (SELECT
CAST(COUNT(DISTINCT customerid) * 0.5 AS INT) FROM #calculation)) AND monetary < (SELECT
monetary FROM #calculation WHERE rn_monetary = (SELECT CAST(COUNT(DISTINCT customerid) *
0.75 AS INT) FROM #calculation)) THEN '3'
```

```
    ELSE '4'
```

```
END AS M
```

```
INTO #result
```

```
FROM
```

```
    #calculation;
```

```
-- Display the results with concatenated RFM group
```

```
SELECT
```

```
    *,
```

```
    CONCAT(R, F, M) AS [group]
```

```
INTO
```

```
    #customer_segmentation
```

```
FROM
```

```
    #result;
```

```
-- Mapping data to customer segments
```

```
SELECT
```

```
    CONCAT(R, F, M) AS [group],
```

```
    COUNT(*) AS total_client,
```

CASE

WHEN CONCAT(R, F, M) IN ('444', '443', '434', '344') THEN 'champions'

WHEN CONCAT(R, F, M) IN ('442', '441', '432', '431', '433', '343', '342', '341') THEN 'loyal customer'

WHEN CONCAT(R, F, M) IN ('424', '423', '324', '323', '413', '414', '343', '334') THEN 'potential loyalist'

WHEN CONCAT(R, F, M) IN ('333', '332', '331', '313') THEN 'recent customer'

WHEN CONCAT(R, F, M) IN ('422', '421', '412', '411', '311', '321', '312', '322', '314') THEN 'promising customers'

WHEN CONCAT(R, F, M) IN ('142', '231', '232', '241') THEN 'customer needing attention'

WHEN CONCAT(R, F, M) IN ('244', '234', '243', '233', '224', '144', '143', '133') THEN 'new customer'

WHEN CONCAT(R, F, M) IN ('131', '132', '141', '242') THEN 'at risk customer'

WHEN CONCAT(R, F, M) IN ('214', '213', '134') THEN 'cant lose them'

WHEN CONCAT(R, F, M) IN ('223', '221', '222', '211', '212', '124') THEN 'hibernating'

WHEN CONCAT(R, F, M) IN ('111', '112', '113', '114', '121', '122', '123', '222') THEN 'lost'

ELSE 'other'

END AS customer\_type

INTO

#customer\_segmentation

FROM

#result

GROUP BY

CONCAT(R, F, M)

ORDER BY

total\_client;

-- Display final customer segmentation

SELECT

\*

FROM

#customer\_segmentation;

-- CREATE TABLE CUSTOMER\_SEGMENTATION

SELECT \* INTO Customer\_Segmentation FROM #customer\_segmentation;

-- Calculate total customers per customer type

SELECT

SUM(total\_client) AS TOTAL\_CUSTOMER,

customer\_type

FROM

Customer\_Segmentation

GROUP BY

customer\_type

ORDER BY

SUM(total\_client) DESC;

-- Calculate Quartile R, F, và M

WITH CTE AS (

SELECT

[recency],

ROUND([frequency] \* 12, 4) AS frequency\_scaled, -- Multiply Frequency by 12

[monetary],

ROW\_NUMBER() OVER (ORDER BY [recency]) AS R\_RowNum,

ROW\_NUMBER() OVER (ORDER BY [frequency]) AS F\_RowNum,

ROW\_NUMBER() OVER (ORDER BY [monetary]) AS M\_RowNum,

COUNT(\*) OVER () AS TotalRows

FROM

#calculation

)

SELECT

(SELECT [recency] FROM CTE WHERE R\_RowNum = CEILING(TotalRows \* 0.25)) AS  
R\_25th\_Percentile,

(SELECT [recency] FROM CTE WHERE R\_RowNum = CEILING(TotalRows \* 0.50)) AS  
R\_50th\_Percentile,

(SELECT [recency] FROM CTE WHERE R\_RowNum = CEILING(TotalRows \* 0.75)) AS  
R\_75th\_Percentile,

(SELECT [frequency\_scaled] FROM CTE WHERE F\_RowNum = CEILING(TotalRows \* 0.25)) AS  
F\_25th\_Percentile, -- Use frequency\_scaled instead of frequency

(SELECT [frequency\_scaled] FROM CTE WHERE F\_RowNum = CEILING(TotalRows \* 0.50)) AS  
F\_50th\_Percentile,

(SELECT [frequency\_scaled] FROM CTE WHERE F\_RowNum = CEILING(TotalRows \* 0.75)) AS  
F\_75th\_Percentile,

(SELECT [monetary] FROM CTE WHERE M\_RowNum = CEILING(TotalRows \* 0.25)) AS  
M\_25th\_Percentile,

(SELECT [monetary] FROM CTE WHERE M\_RowNum = CEILING(TotalRows \* 0.50)) AS  
M\_50th\_Percentile,

(SELECT [monetary] FROM CTE WHERE M\_RowNum = CEILING(TotalRows \* 0.75)) AS  
M\_75th\_Percentile;

