

Scenario-Based Interview Question: Create Top-N Filter to Dynamically Change the Table Visual

You are working with a Power BI report that displays sales data. The report includes a table visual showing products and their corresponding sales figures. Your task is to enhance the report's interactivity and usability by implementing a dynamic Top-N filter. This filter should allow users to choose whether they want to see the top 2, top 3, or top 5 products based on sales.

Situation: In your Power BI report, there's a need to quickly identify top-selling products from a diverse and extensive sales dataset that varies over different periods and seasons.

Task: Implement a dynamic Top-N filter in Power BI to enhance report interactivity. Develop a DAX measure for total sales per product, create a slicer for Top 2, 3 and 5 product selection by sales, and ensure the table visual updates accordingly. Consider additional features to improve user experience and data comprehension.

Questions:

- 1. How would you create the DAX measure to calculate total sales for each product?
- 2. Describe the steps to implement the dynamic Top-N filter using a slicer.
- 3. How would you ensure that the table visual updates correctly based on the slicer selection?
- 4. What additional features or visual elements would you consider adding to enhance the user experience?