Sales Analysis Using SQL

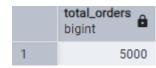


- My Database name is Superstore_db and below i list database table name and fields with data type.
- Table Used Orders
- row_id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY, order_id VARCHAR, order_date DATE, ship_date DATE, ship_mode VARCHAR, customer_id VARCHAR, customer_name VARCHAR, segment VARCHAR, country VARCHAR, city VARCHAR, state VARCHAR, postal_code VARCHAR, region VARCHAR, product_id VARCHAR, category VARCHAR, sub_category VARCHAR, product_name TEXT, sales NUMERIC, quantity INT, discount NUMERIC, profit NUMERIC

SQL Query Used

- 1) Total Orders.
 - a) SELECT COUNT(ORDER_ID) AS TOTAL_ORDERS FROM ORDERS;

i) Result

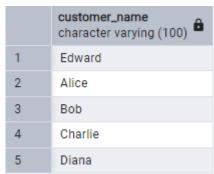


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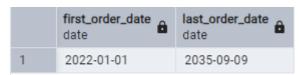
The query counts the total number of orders in the ORDERS table by counting the ORDER_ID values. The output 5000 means there are 5000 total orders in the table.

- 2) Unique Customer.
 - a) SELECT DISTINCT(customer_name) FROM orders;
 - i) Result



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- iii) Explanation:
- iv) The query retrieves all unique customer names from the orders table using DISTINCT. The output shows 5 unique customers: Edward, Alice, Bob, Charlie, and Diana.
- 3) Time Range of Order.
 - a) SELECT MIN(order_date) AS first_order_date,MAX(order_date) AS last_order_date FROM orders;
 - i) Result



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- iii) Explanation:
- iv) The query finds the earliest and latest order dates in the orders table using MIN and MAX. The result shows the order date range is from 01/01/2022 to 09/09/2035.
- 4) Most Ordered City
 - a) SELECT CITY, COUNT(QUANTITY) AS TOTAL_ORDER FROM ORDERS GROUP BY CITY ORDER BY TOTAL_ORDER DESC LIMIT 1;
 - i) Result



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- iii) Explanation:
- iv) The query groups orders by CITY, counts the total quantity per city, and sorts them in descending order. The top result shows New York City has the highest number of orders with 1028 orders.

5) Overall Total sales and Profit

- a) SELECT SUM(SALES) AS TOTAL_SALES, SUM(PROFIT) AS TOTAL PROFIT FROM ORDERS;
 - i) Result



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- iii) Explanation
- iv) This Query Return the total Sum of sales and total Sum of Profit

6) Average Profit

a) SELECT AVG(PROFIT) FROM ORDERS;



c) Explanation

In this query we Get Average Profit in order table

7) Category Earn more Profit

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- a) SELECT DISTINCT(CATEGORY), SUM(PROFIT) AS TOTAL_PROFIT FROM ORDERS GROUP BY CATEGORY ORDER BY TOTAL_PROFIT DESC LIMIT 1;
 - i) Result



- iii) Explanation:
- iv) The query calculates total profit for each product CATEGORY, then sorts them to find the most profitable one. The result shows Office Supplies earned the highest profit of 43,292.38.

8) Sub category Highest Avg Discount

- a) SELECT DISTINCT(SUB_CATEGORY), AVG(DISCOUNT) AS HIGHEST_AVG_DISCOUNT FROM ORDERS GROUP BY SUB_CATEGORY ORDER BY HIGHEST_AVG_DISCOUNT DESC LIMIT 1:
 - i) Result



- iii) Explanation:
- iv) The query calculates the average discount for each SUB_CATEGORY and sorts them in descending order. The result shows Chairs have the highest average discount of 0.1540 (or 15.40%).
- 9) Customer placed Most Order
 - a) SELECT CUSTOMER_NAME, COUNT(*) AS TOTAL_ORDERS FROM ORDERS GROUP BY CUSTOMER_NAME ORDER BY TOTAL_ORDERS DESC LIMIT 1;
 - i) Result



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- iii) Explanation:
- iv) This query counts the total number of orders placed by each customer using COUNT(*), groups by CUSTOMER_NAME, and returns the one with the highest count. The result shows Edward placed the most orders with a total of 1029 orders.
- 10) Highest spending customer
 - a) SELECT CUSTOMER_NAME, SUM(SALES) AS TOTAL_SPEND FROM ORDERS GROUP BY CUSTOMER NAME ORDER BY TOTAL_SPEND DESC LIMIT 1;
 - i) Result



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- **Explanation:** iii)
- The query calculates total sales per customer using iv) SUM(SALES) and identifies the one who spent the most. The result shows Edward is the highest spending customer with a total spend of 266,832.78.
- 11) Orders in each segment
 - a) SELECT SEGMENT, COUNT(ORDER_ID) AS TOTAL_ORDER FROM ORDERS GROUP BY SEGMENT ORDER BY TOTAL ORDER DESC;
 - Result i)

	segment character varying (50)	total_order bigint
1	Home Office	1689
2	Corporate	1683
3	Consumer	1628

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Explanation:

The query counts the number of orders (ORDER_ID) in each SEGMENT, then sorts them by total orders in descending order. The result shows:

• Home Office: 1689 orders

• Corporate: 1683 orders

• Consumer: 1628 orders

Home Office has the most orders among all segments.

12) Profit and sale By Region

a) SELECT REGION, SUM(SALES) AS TOTAL_SALES, SUM(PROFIT)
 AS TOTAL_PROFIT FROM ORDER GROUP BY REGION ORDER
 BY TOTAL_SALES, TOTAL_PROFIT;

i) Result

	region character varying (50)	total_sales numeric	total_profit numeric
1	South	313006.370000	30257.340000
2	East	322217.290000	32456.880000
3	Central	322304.640000	31998.270000
4	West	334403.870000	32616.440000

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Explanation:

The query sums up both sales and profit for each REGION, then orders the results by total sales and profit. Here's the regional breakdown:

• South: Sales - 313,006.37 | Profit - 30,257.32

• East: Sales – 322,217.29 | Profit – 32,456.88

• Central: Sales - 322,304.64 | Profit - 31,998.27

West: Sales – 334,403.87 | Profit – 32,616.44

The West region has the highest sales, while the East region has the highest profit.

13) Region gives Highest Profit per Sale

 a) SELECT REGION, ROUND(SUM(PROFIT)/SUM(SALES), 4) AS PROFIT_PER_SALES FROM ORDERS GROUP BY REGION ORDER BY PROFIT_PER_SALES DESC LIMIT 1;

i) Result



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iii) Explanation:

The query calculates the **profit per unit of sales** for each REGION by dividing total profit by total sales, rounded to 4 decimal places. The result shows the **East** region has the **highest profit per sale** with a ratio of **0.1007** (or **10.07%** profit on every dollar of sale).

14) Top 5 most Sold Product

a) SELECT PRODUCT_NAME, SUM(QUANTITY) AS TOTAL_SOLD FROM ORDERS GROUP BY PRODUCT_NAME ORDER BY TOTAL_SOLD DESC LIMIT 5;

i) Result

	product_name character varying (255)	total_sold bigint
1	Office Chair	6458
2	Phone Model X	6304
3	Binder Set	6297
4	Storage Box	5970

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Explanation:

The query calculates the total quantity sold for each product using SUM(QUANTITY) and lists the top 5 most sold products in descending order of sales.

From the image result, the top 4 products (based on total quantity sold) are:

- 1. Office Chair 6458 units
- 2. Phone Model X 6304 units
- 3. Binder Set 6297 units
- 4. Storage Box 5970 units

This output accurately reflects the best-selling products by volume, unlike earlier queries that sorted products alphabetically.

15) Category Sell the Most Unit

- a) SELECT CATEGORY, COUNT(PRODUCT_NAME) AS
 HIGHEST_UNIT FROM ORDERS GROUP BY CATEGORY ORDER
 BY HIGHEST_UNIT DESC LIMIT 1;
 - i) Result



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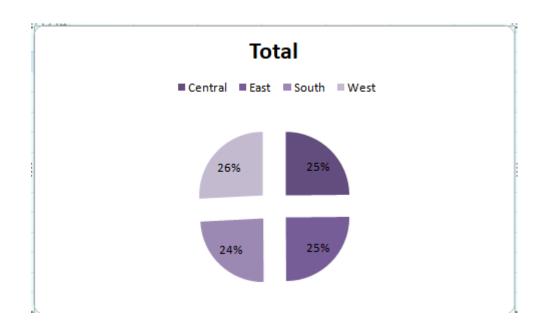
The query counts the number of times products from each CATEGORY appear in the ORDERS table (using COUNT (PRODUCT_NAME)), which roughly indicates how many units were sold per category.

The result shows Office Supplies as the category with the highest number of product entries sold, totaling 1,730 units.

***** CONCLUSION

> KEY BUSINESS TAKEAWAY

- The NEW YORK City placed Highest order.. 1028.
- The Maximum Order place in HOME OFFICE segment.1689
- Top Sold Product is STORAGE BOX , PHONE MODEL X
- The **EAST REGION** generated the highest Profit per sales
- WEST REGION Produced Maximum Profit and sales.



→ Total Sales Per Region