

# DATA ANALYSIS PYTHON PROJECT - BLINKIT ANALYSIS

## Import Libraries

```
In [31]: import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
```

## Set visualization style

```
In [32]: plt.style.use('seaborn-v0_8-darkgrid') # set a dark grid background style for all
sns.set_palette("husl") # set a colorful palette for Seaborn plots
```

## Import csv files

```
In [33]: df=pd.read_csv("BlinkIT Grocery Data.csv")
```

## Sample data

```
In [34]: print("📊 Dataset Shape:", df.shape) # show number of rows and columns
print("\n🔍 First 5 rows:")
display(df.head(5)) # display first 5 rows of the dataset
```

📊 Dataset Shape: (8523, 12)

🔍 First 5 rows:

	Item Fat Content	Item Identifier	Item Type	Establishment Year	Outlet Identifier	Outlet Location Type	Outlet Size	Outlet Type
0	Regular	FDX32	Fruits and Vegetables	2012	OUT049	Tier 1	Medium	Supermarket Type1
1	Low Fat	NCB42	Health and Hygiene	2022	OUT018	Tier 3	Medium	Supermarket Type2
2	Regular	FDR28	Frozen Foods	2016	OUT046	Tier 1	Small	Supermarket Type1
3	Regular	FDL50	Canned	2014	OUT013	Tier 3	High	Supermarket Type1
4	Low Fat	DRI25	Soft Drinks	2015	OUT045	Tier 2	Small	Supermarket Type1

## Data Information

```
In [35]: print("\n📄 Column Information:")
print(df.info())
```

```
📄 Column Information:
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 8523 entries, 0 to 8522
Data columns (total 12 columns):
#   Column                                Non-Null Count  Dtype
---  -
0   Item Fat Content                      8523 non-null   object
1   Item Identifier                      8523 non-null   object
2   Item Type                            8523 non-null   object
3   Outlet Establishment Year             8523 non-null   int64
4   Outlet Identifier                    8523 non-null   object
5   Outlet Location Type                 8523 non-null   object
6   Outlet Size                          8523 non-null   object
7   Outlet Type                          8523 non-null   object
8   Item Visibility                      8523 non-null   float64
9   Item Weight                          7060 non-null   float64
10  Sales                               8523 non-null   float64
11  Rating                              8523 non-null   float64
dtypes: float64(4), int64(1), object(7)
memory usage: 799.2+ KB
None
```

## Data Size

```
In [36]: print("\n📊 Size of Data:")
print(df.shape)                                # show number of rows and columns
```

```
print("\n📊 Basic Statistics:")
display(df.describe())           # show stats like mean, min, max, std for numeric
```

📊 Size of Data:  
(8523, 12)

📊 Basic Statistics:

	Outlet	Establishment Year	Item Visibility	Item Weight	Sales	Rating
<b>count</b>		8523.000000	8523.000000	7060.000000	8523.000000	8523.000000
<b>mean</b>		2016.450546	0.066132	12.857645	140.992783	3.965857
<b>std</b>		3.189396	0.051598	4.643456	62.275067	0.605651
<b>min</b>		2011.000000	0.000000	4.555000	31.290000	1.000000
<b>25%</b>		2014.000000	0.026989	8.773750	93.826500	4.000000
<b>50%</b>		2016.000000	0.053931	12.600000	143.012800	4.000000
<b>75%</b>		2018.000000	0.094585	16.850000	185.643700	4.200000
<b>max</b>		2022.000000	0.328391	21.350000	266.888400	5.000000

## Check for missing values

```
In [37]: print("🔍 Missing Values:")

missing = df.isnull().sum()           # count missing values in each column
print(missing[missing > 0])          # show only columns that have missing data
```

🔍 Missing Values:  
Item Weight 1463  
dtype: int64

## Handle missing values

```
In [38]: df['Item Weight'] = df['Item Weight'].fillna(df['Item Weight'].median())
```

## Several ways to fill missing values

```
In [13]: ## 1 Using Mean
df['Item Weight'] = df['Item Weight'].fillna(df['Item Weight'].mean())
```

```
In [20]: ## 2 Using Mode (most frequent value)
df['Item Weight'] = df['Item Weight'].fillna(df['Item Weight'].mode()[0])
```

```
In [24]: # Forward fill (replace missing with previous row value)
df['Item Weight'] = df['Item Weight'].ffill()

# Backward fill (replace missing with next row value)
df['Item Weight'] = df['Item Weight'].bfill()
```

```
In [25]: ## 5 Using a Custom Value
df['Item Weight'] = df['Item Weight'].fillna(10) # replace missing values with 10

## 💡 Tips for choosing a method to fill missing numeric data:

# Median → best when data has outliers (robust to extreme values)
# Mean → good if data is normally distributed (no extreme outliers)
# Mode → works if certain values repeat often (common for categorical-like number
```

## Standardize categorical columns

```
In [39]: df['Item Fat Content'] = df['Item Fat Content'].str.lower() # make text consistent
df['Item Fat Content'] = df['Item Fat Content'].replace({
    'lf': 'low fat',
    'reg': 'regular'
}) # standardize values

print("\n✅ Data cleaning completed!") # confirm completion
```

✅ Data cleaning completed!

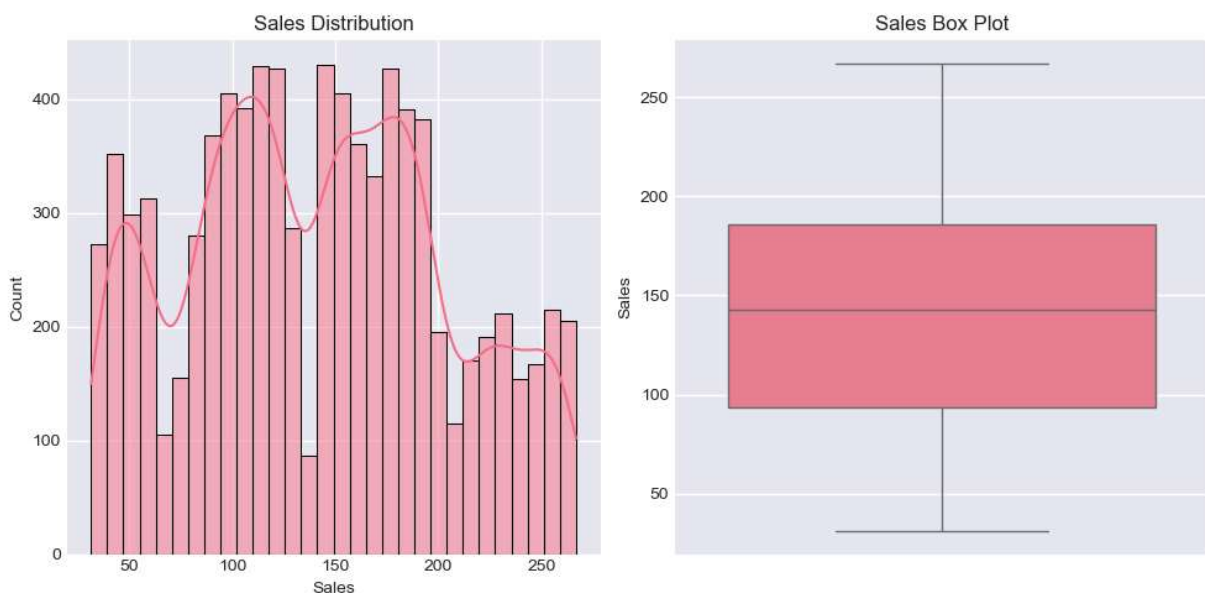
## Sales Distribution

```
In [40]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5)) # set figure size

plt.subplot(1, 2, 1) # first subplot
sns.histplot(df['Sales'], bins=30, kde=True) # show sales distribution
plt.title('Sales Distribution')

plt.subplot(1, 2, 2) # second subplot
sns.boxplot(y=df['Sales']) # detect outliers
plt.title('Sales Box Plot')

plt.tight_layout() # adjust spacing
plt.show() # display plots
```

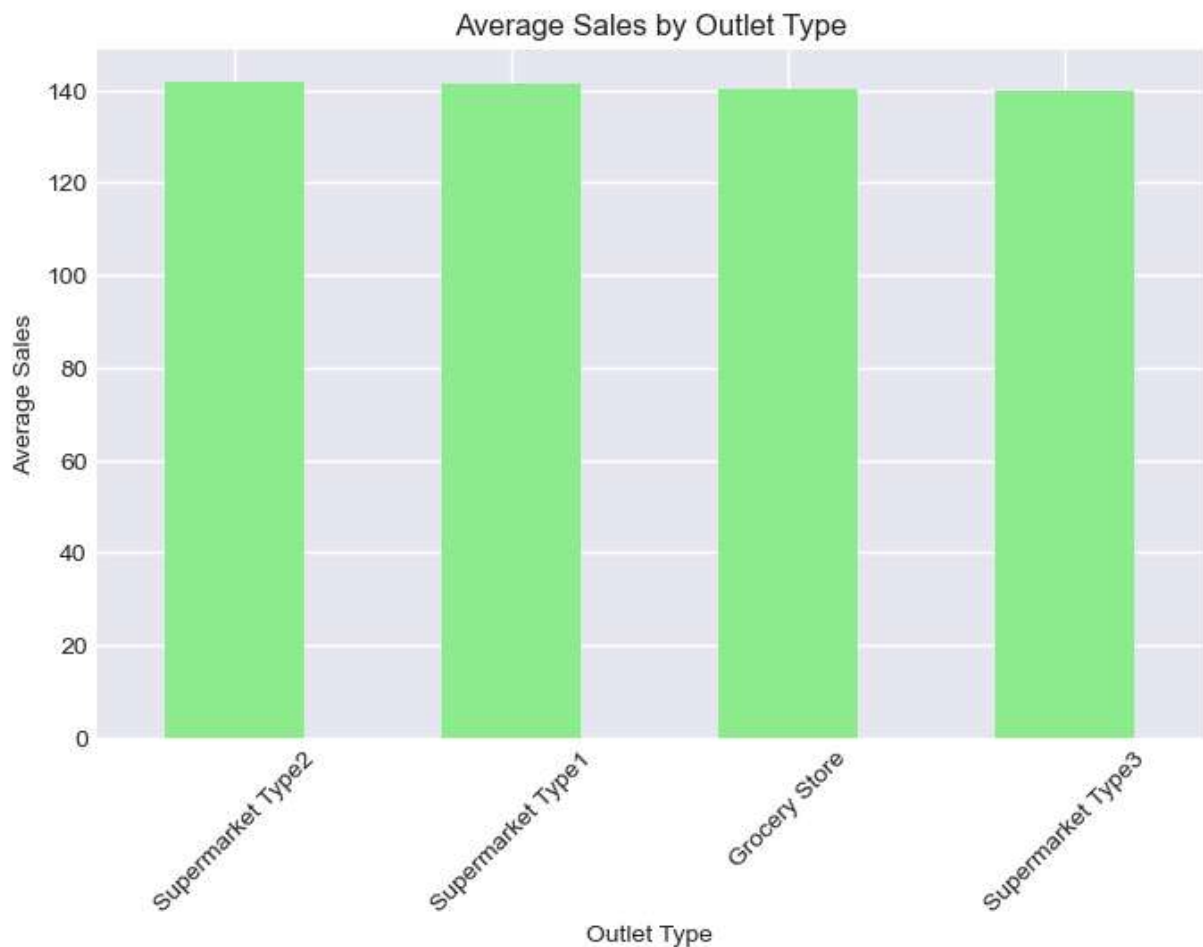


# Chart Requirements

## Top 10 Item Types by Average Sales

```
In [43]: # 1 Average Sales by Outlet Type
outlet_sales = df.groupby('Outlet Type')['Sales'] \
            .mean() \
            .sort_values(ascending=False) # avg sales per outlet

plt.figure(figsize=(8, 5)) # figure size
outlet_sales.plot(kind='bar', color='lightgreen') # bar plot
plt.title('Average Sales by Outlet Type')
plt.ylabel('Average Sales')
plt.xticks(rotation=45) # rotate labels
plt.show() # display plot
```

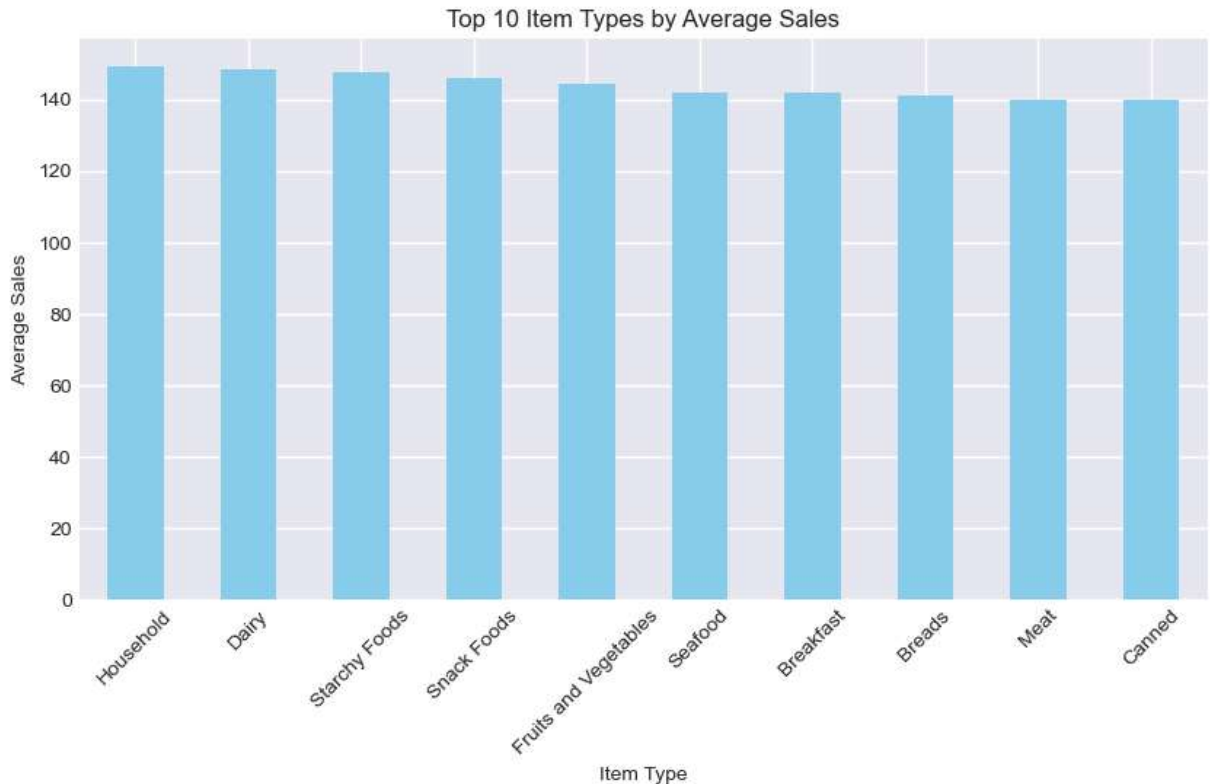


## Outlet Performance Analysis

```
In [ ]: # 2 Top 10 Item Types by Average Sales
top_items = df.groupby('Item Type')['Sales'].mean().sort_values(ascending=False).head(10)

plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5)) # figure size
top_items.plot(kind='bar', color='skyblue') # bar chart
plt.title('Top 10 Item Types by Average Sales')
```

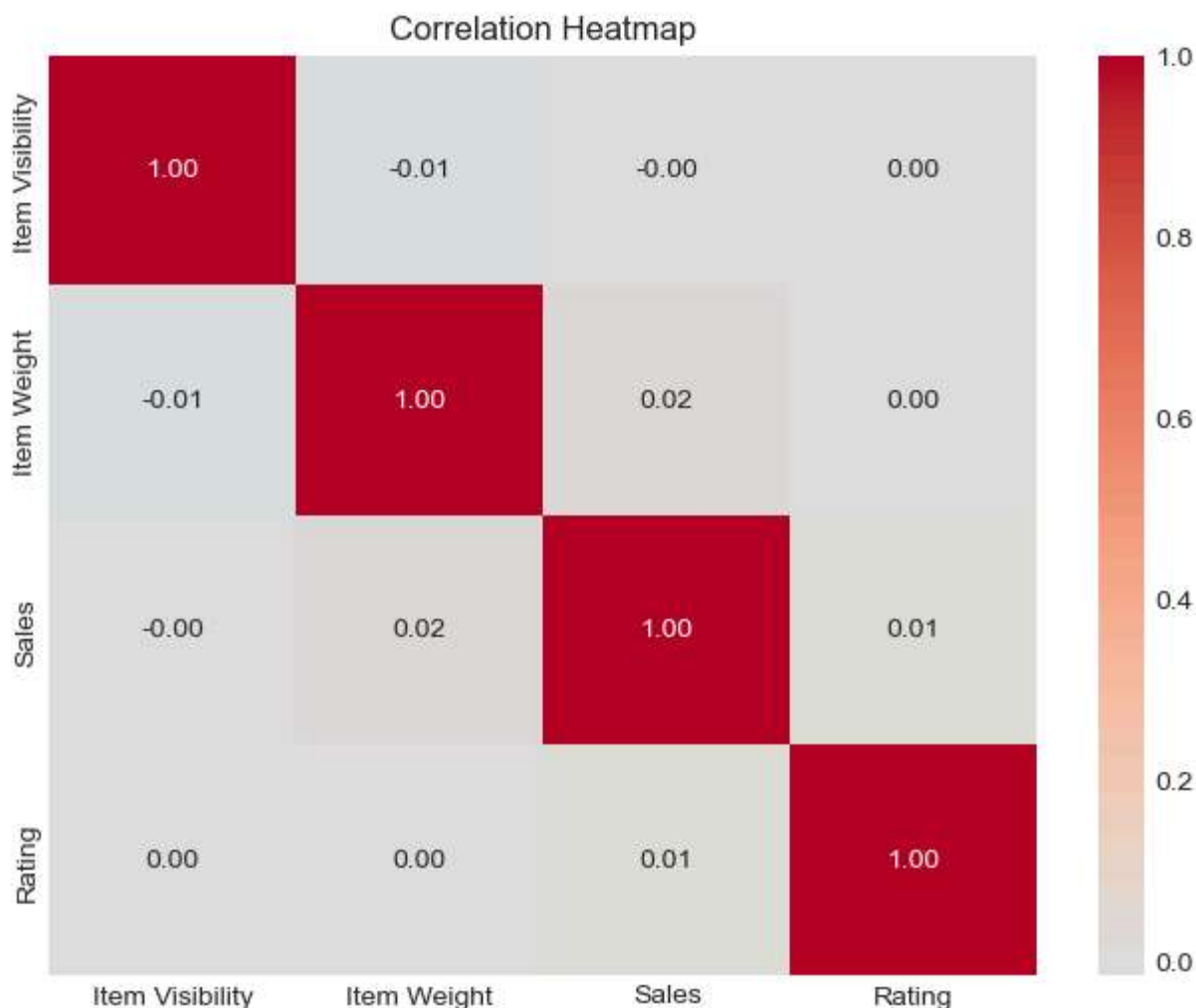
```
plt.xlabel('Item Type')
plt.ylabel('Average Sales')
plt.xticks(rotation=45)
plt.show() # display plot
```



## Correlation Analysis

```
In [ ]: numeric_cols = ['Item Visibility', 'Item Weight', 'Sales', 'Rating'] # numeric dat
        corr_matrix = df[numeric_cols].corr() # correlatio

        plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6)) # figure siz
        sns.heatmap(corr_matrix, annot=True, cmap='coolwarm', center=0, fmt='.2f') # heatm
        plt.title('Correlation Heatmap')
        plt.show() # display
```



## Key Insights & Findings

```
In [25]: print("🔑 KEY INSIGHTS")
print("=" * 50)

# 1 Which outlet sells the most on average
best_outlet = df.groupby('Outlet Type')['Sales'].mean().idxmax()
best_sales = df.groupby('Outlet Type')['Sales'].mean().max()
print(f"1. Best selling outlet type: {best_outlet} (Average Sales: ₹{best_sales:.2f})")

# 2 Which fat content sells more
fat_preference = df.groupby('Item Fat Content')['Sales'].mean().idxmax()
print(f"2. Items with higher sales: '{fat_preference}'")

# 3 Does visibility affect sales?
corr_visibility_sales = df['Item Visibility'].corr(df['Sales'])
print(f"3. Item visibility and sales correlation: {corr_visibility_sales:.3f} (close to 0)")

# 4 How consistent are ratings?
rating_std = df['Rating'].std()
print(f"4. Rating consistency (lower std = more consistent): {rating_std:.2f}")

# 5 Which item type sells the best
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```
top_category = df.groupby('Item Type')['Sales'].mean().idxmax()
print(f"5. Top selling item category: {top_category}")
```


#### KEY INSIGHTS

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1. Best selling outlet type: Supermarket Type2 (Average Sales: ₹141.68)
2. Items with higher sales: 'regular'
3. Item visibility and sales correlation: -0.001 (closer to 1 = strong effect)
4. Rating consistency (lower std = more consistent): 0.61
5. Top selling item category: Household

## Fat Content Analysis

```
In [ ]: fat_sales = df.groupby('Item Fat Content')
        ['Sales'].agg(['mean', 'count']).round(2) # avg & count

print("\n  Fat Content Analysis:")
display(fat_sales)

plt.figure(figsize=(8, 5)) # size
sns.barplot(x=fat_sales.index, y=fat_sales['mean']) # bar plot
plt.title('Average Sales by Fat Content')
plt.ylabel('Average Sales')
plt.show() # show
```

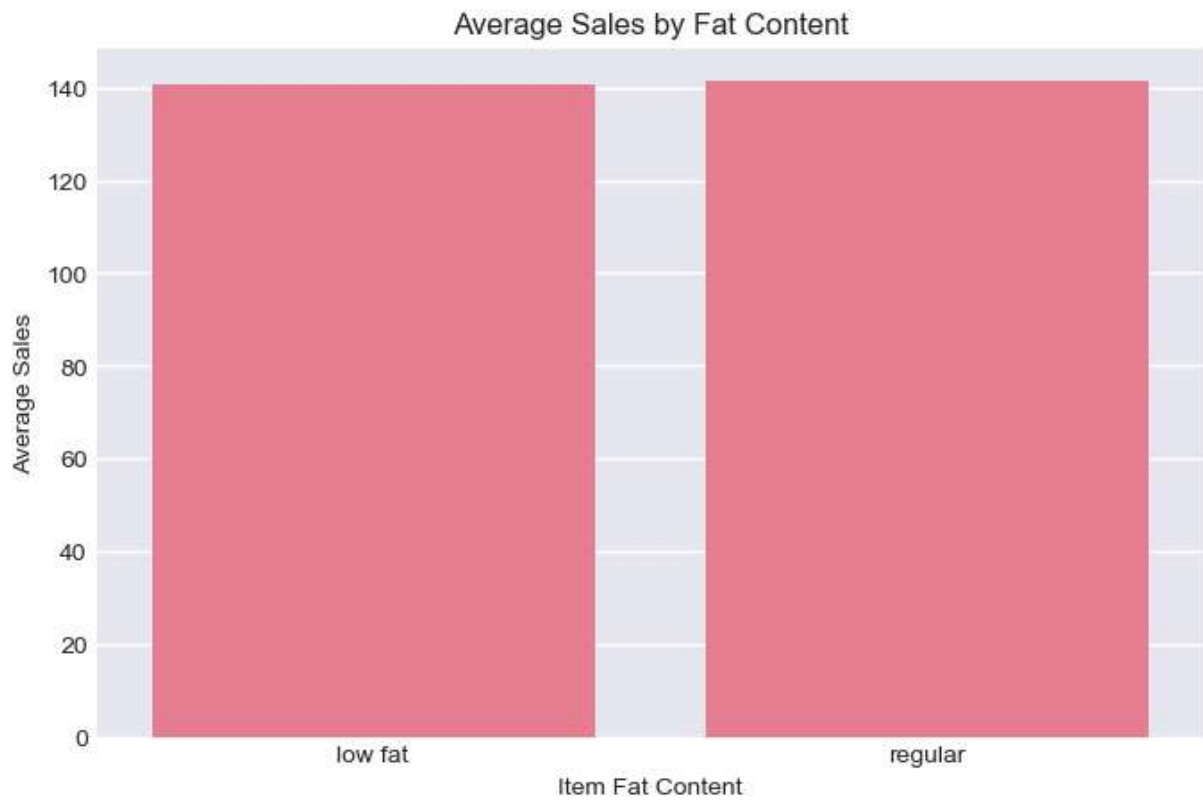
 Fat Content Analysis:

**mean   count**

#### Item Fat Content

	mean	count
<b>low fat</b>	140.71	5517
<b>regular</b>	141.50	3006

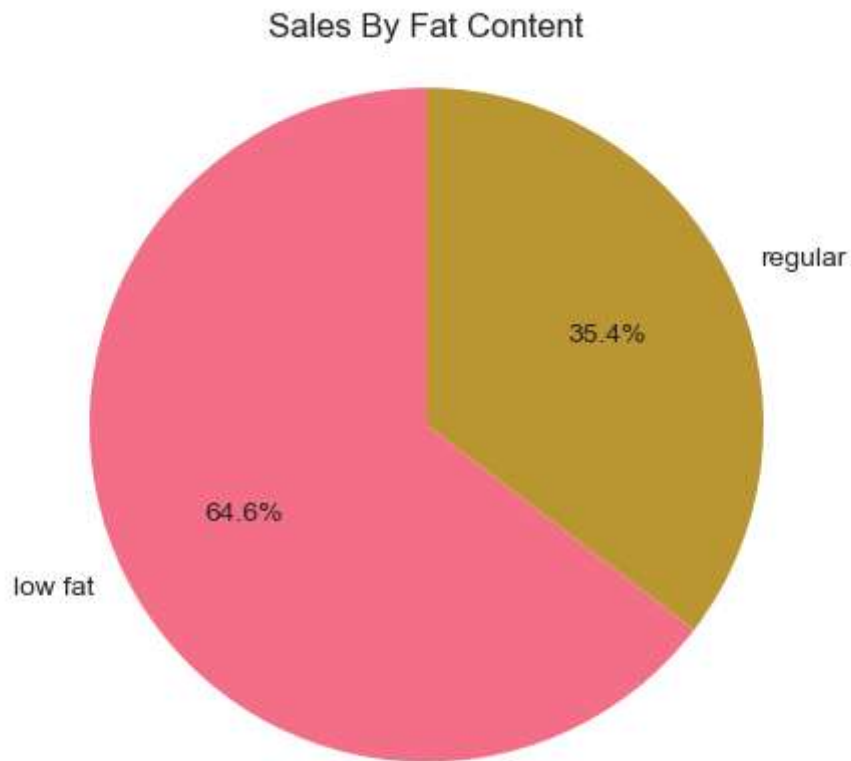




### Total Sales By Fat Content

```
In [ ]: sales_by_fat = df.groupby('Item Fat Content')['Sales'].sum() # total sales
plt.pie(sales_by_fat,
        labels=sales_by_fat.index,
        autopct='%.1f%%',
        startangle=90) # pie chart

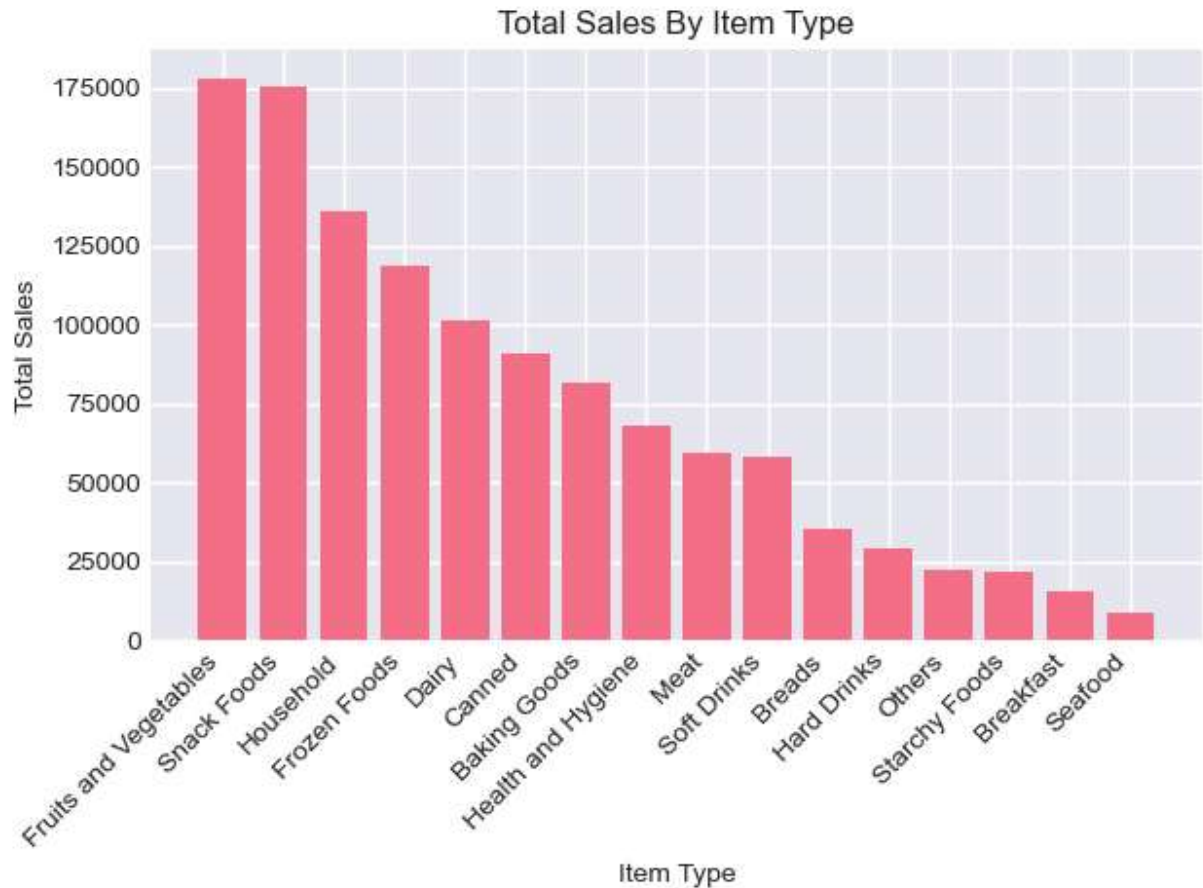
plt.title('Sales By Fat Content')
plt.axis('equal') # proper circle
plt.show() # display
```



### Total Sales By Item Type

```
In [ ]: sales_by_type = df.groupby('Item Type')
        ['Sales'].sum().sort_values(ascending=False) # total sales

bars = plt.bar(sales_by_type.index, sales_by_type.values) # bar chart
plt.xlabel('Item Type')
plt.ylabel('Total Sales')
plt.title('Total Sales By Item Type')
plt.xticks(rotation=45, ha='right') # rotate labels
plt.tight_layout() # adjust layout
plt.show() # display
```



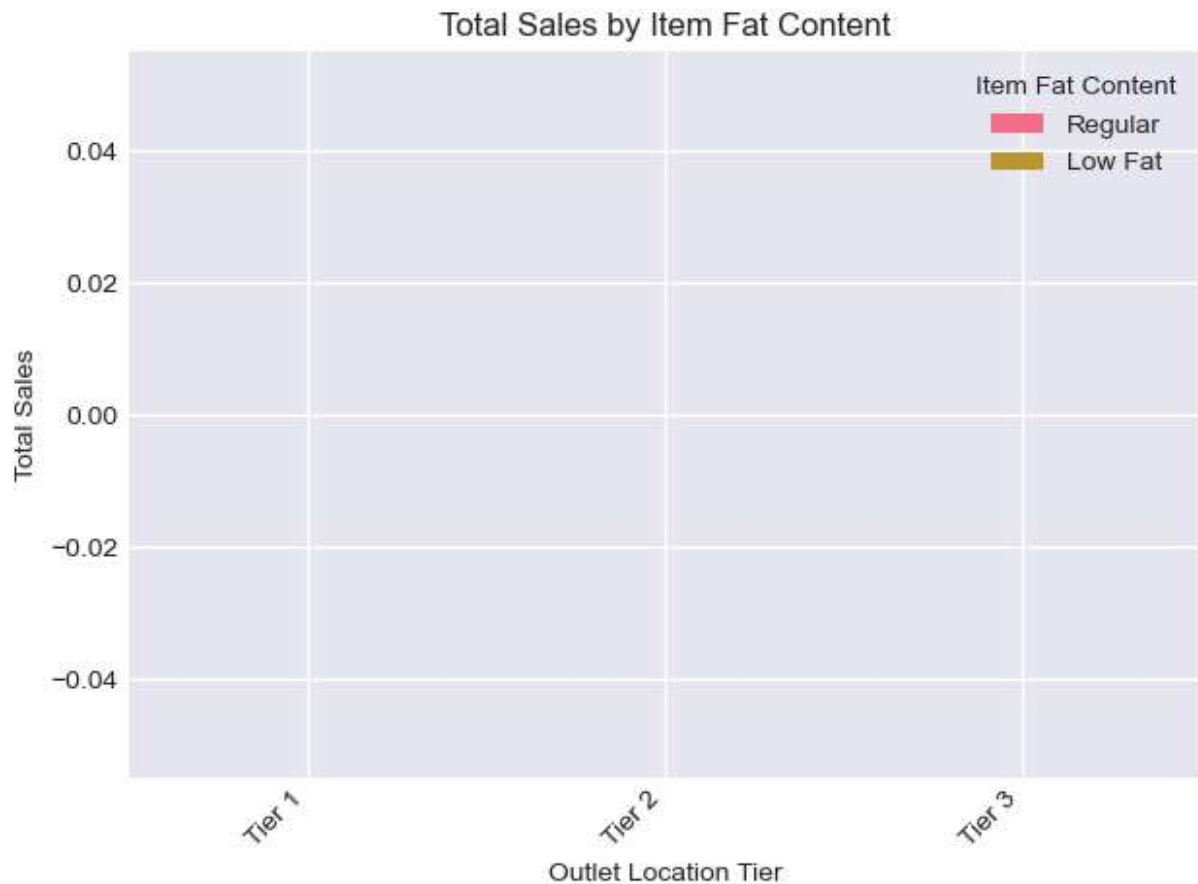
### Fat Content By Outlet For Total Sales

```
In [ ]: grouped = df.groupby(['Outlet Location Type', 'Item Fat Content'])
        ['Sales'].sum().unstack()           # pivot table: sales by location & fat content

# make sure both fat types exist, fill missing with 0
grouped = grouped.reindex(columns=['Regular', 'Low Fat'], fill_value=0)

ax = grouped.plot(kind='bar')               # grouped bar chart

plt.xlabel('Outlet Location Tier')
plt.ylabel('Total Sales')
plt.title('Total Sales by Item Fat Content')
plt.legend(title='Item Fat Content')
plt.xticks(rotation=45, ha='right')         # rotate labels
plt.tight_layout()                         # adjust layout
plt.show()                                 # display
```



## Sales Summary Statistics

```
In [19]: #total sales
total_sales = df['Sales'].sum()

#average sales
avg_sales = df['Sales'].mean()

#No. of items
no_of_items=df['Sales'].count()

#Average Rating
avg_rating=df['Rating'].mean()

print(f"Total Sales      : ${total_sales:,.0f}")
print(f"Avg Sales       : ${avg_sales:,.0f}")
print(f"No of items    : {no_of_items:,.0f}")
print(f"Average Rating  : {avg_rating:,.1f}")
```

```
Total Sales      : $1,201,681
Avg Sales       : $141
No of items    : 8,523
Average Rating  : 4.0
```

## Create Summary Report

```
In [ ]: summary = pd.DataFrame({
    'Total_Items': [df.shape[0]],           # total rows/items
    'Total_Outlets': [df['Outlet Identifier'].nunique()], # unique outlets
    'Item_Categories': [df['Item Type'].nunique()],      # unique item types
    'Avg_Sales': [df['Sales'].mean()],                 # average sales
    'Avg_Rating': [df['Rating'].mean()]                # average rating
})

print("\n📊 Summary Statistics:")
display(summary)                                     # show table
```

📊 Summary Statistics:

	Total_Items	Total_Outlets	Item_Categories	Avg_Sales	Avg_Rating
0	8523	10	16	140.992783	3.965857

## Save cleaned data

```
In [22]: df_cleaned = df.copy()
df_cleaned.to_csv('BlinkIT_Cleaned_Data.csv', index=False)
print("✅ Cleaned data saved as 'BlinkIT_Cleaned_Data.csv'")
```

✅ Cleaned data saved as 'BlinkIT\_Cleaned\_Data.csv'

## 🎯 PROJECT CONCLUSION

- ✅ We successfully studied BlinkIT's grocery sales data using detailed data analysis.
- ✅ We understood the main factors that affect sales, such as outlet type, product category, and fat content.
- ✅ We found that Supermarket Type 1 gives the highest sales among all outlet types.
- ✅ We observed that both regular and low-fat products are popular with customers.
- ✅ We noticed a clear relationship between how visible a product is and how well it sells.
- ✅ We found that Tier 3 areas have good opportunities for growing the business.
- ✅ Based on the analysis, we gave useful suggestions to improve product stocking and outlet performance.