

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

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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

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

Sample data

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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	Outlet 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())
```

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📋 Column Information:
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 8523 entries, 0 to 8522
Data columns (total 12 columns):
 #   Column           Non-Null Count  Dtype  
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 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

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In [36]: print("\n📋 Size of Data:")
print(df.shape)                      # show number of rows and columns
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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
count	8523.000000	8523.000000	7060.000000	8523.000000	8523.000000	8523.000000
mean	2016.450546	0.066132	12.857645	140.992783	3.965857	
std	3.189396	0.051598	4.643456	62.275067	0.605651	
min	2011.000000	0.000000	4.555000	31.290000	1.000000	
25%	2014.000000	0.026989	8.773750	93.826500	4.000000	
50%	2016.000000	0.053931	12.600000	143.012800	4.000000	
75%	2018.000000	0.094585	16.850000	185.643700	4.200000	
max	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

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In [13]: ## 1 Using Mean
df['Item Weight'] = df['Item Weight'].fillna(df['Item Weight'].mean())
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In [20]: ## 2 Using Mode (most frequent value)
df['Item Weight'] = df['Item Weight'].fillna(df['Item Weight'].mode()[0])
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In [24]: # Forward fill (replace missing with previous row value)
df['Item Weight'] = df['Item Weight'].ffill()
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# 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 numbers)
```

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
```

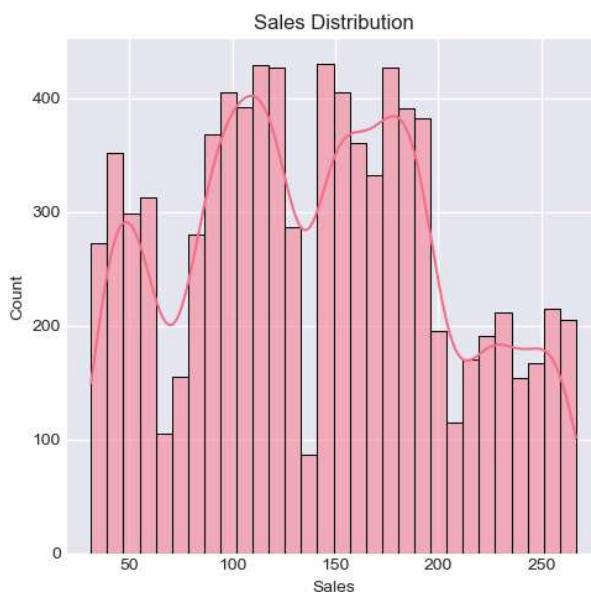
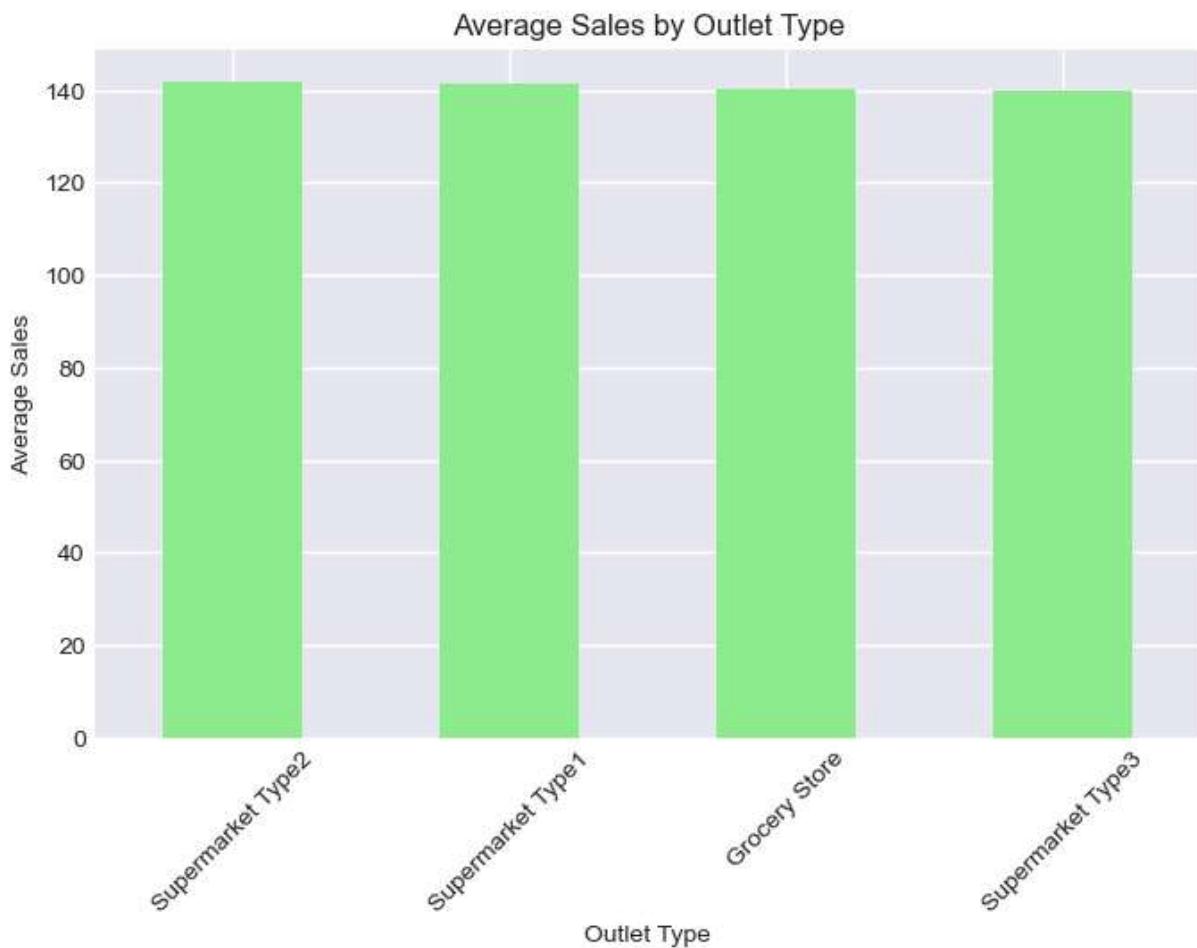


Chart Requirements

Top 10 Item Types by Average Sales

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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

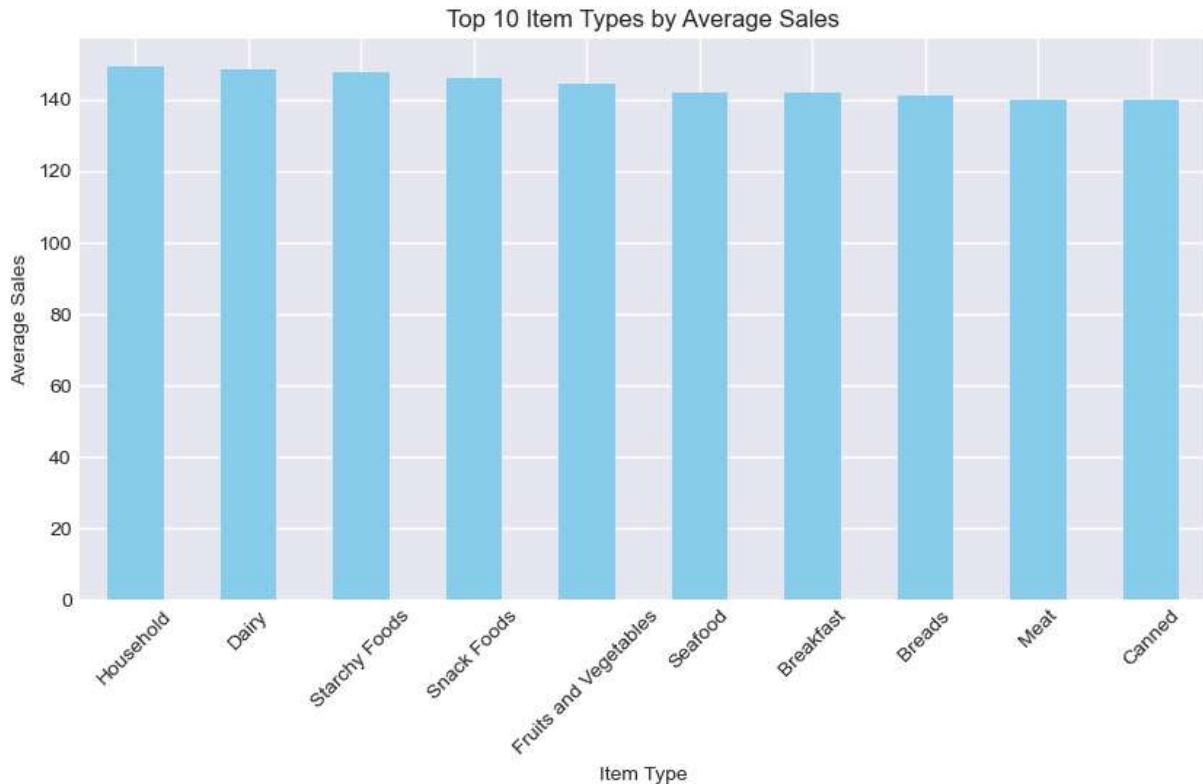
```
In [ ]: # 2 Top 10 Item Types by Average Sales
top_items = df.groupby('Item Type')['Sales'].mean().sort_values(ascending=False).head(10)

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

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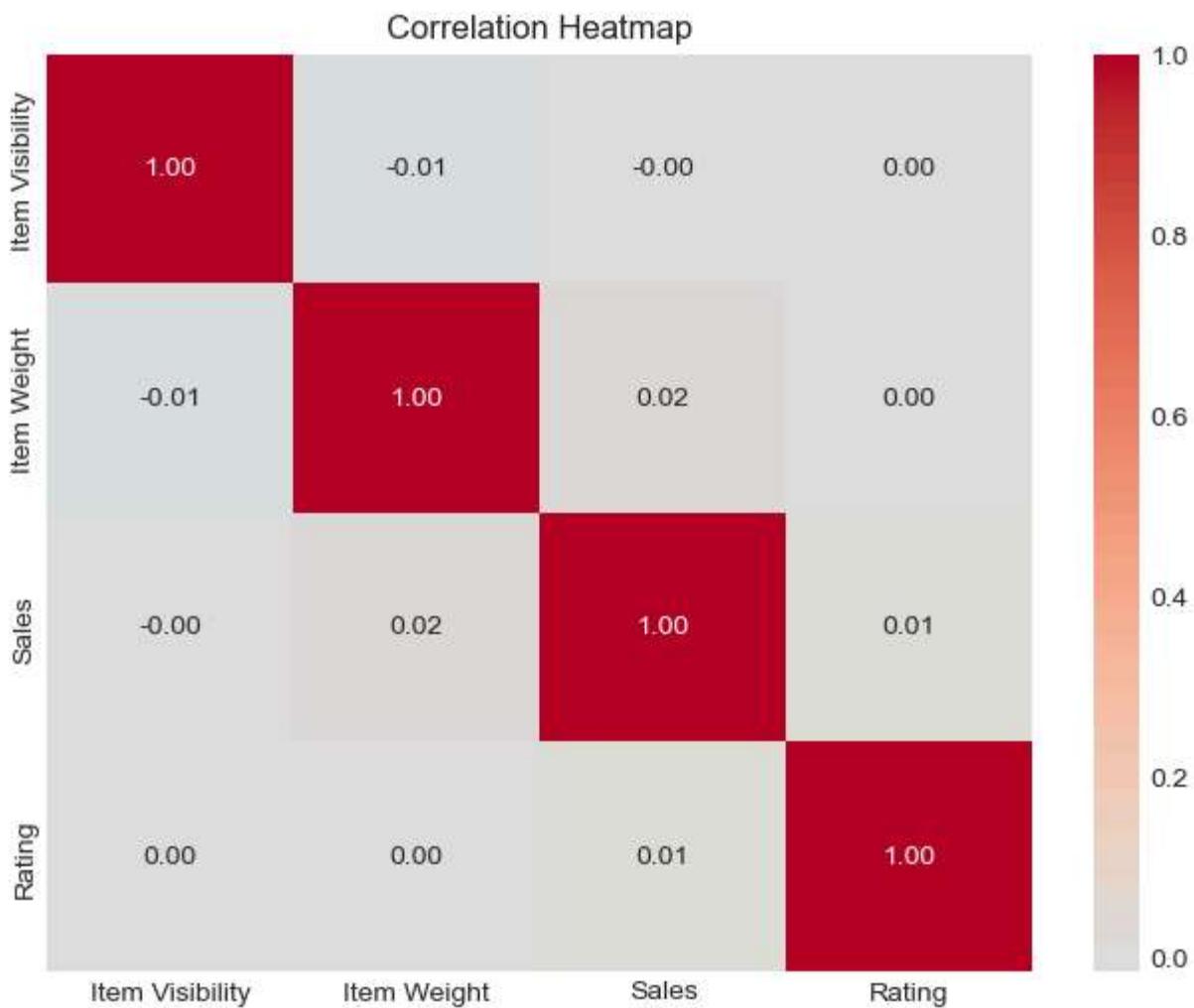
Correlation Analysis

```

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') # heatmap
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 1.00 means strong positive correlation)")

# 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

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("📊 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
```

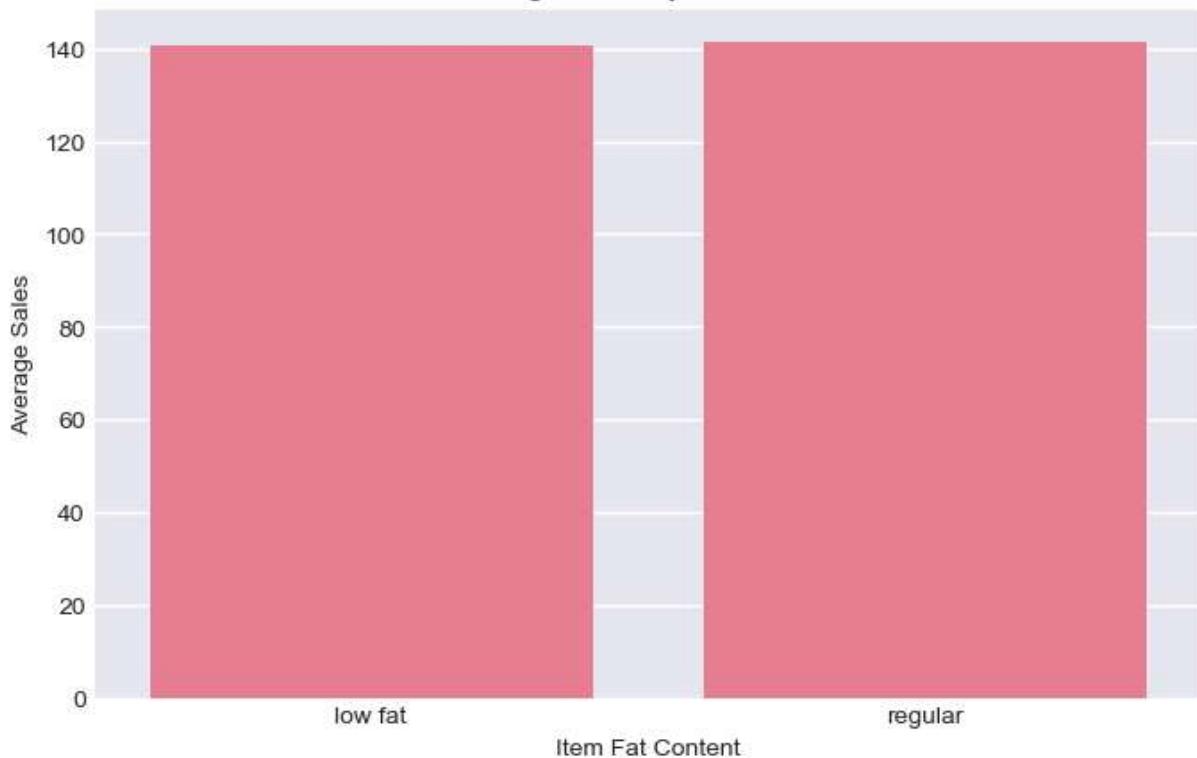
📊 Fat Content Analysis:

mean count

Item Fat Content

	mean	count
low fat	140.71	5517
regular	141.50	3006

Average Sales by Fat Content

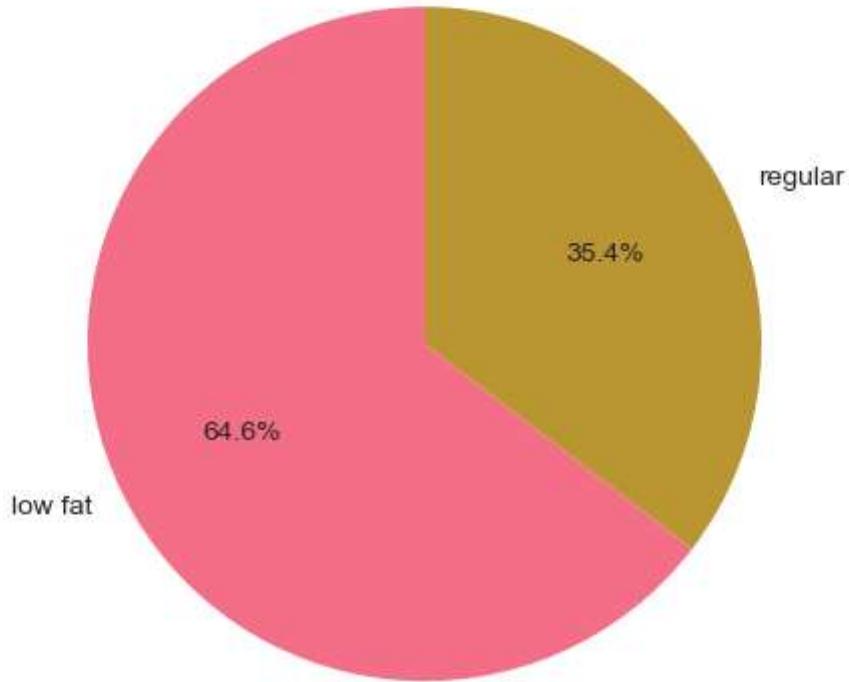


Total Sales By Fat Content

```
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

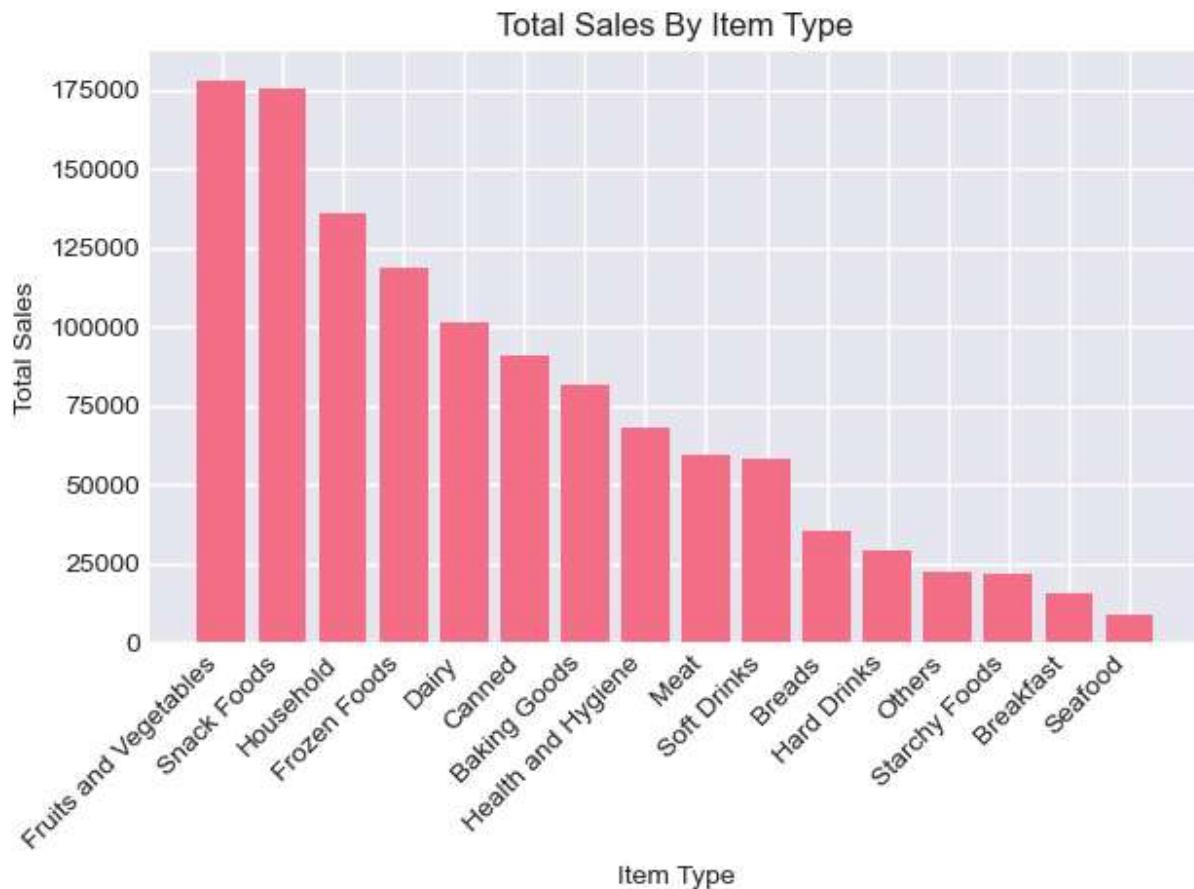
plt.title('Sales By Fat Content')
plt.axis('equal') # proper circle
plt.show() # display
```

Sales By Fat Content



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

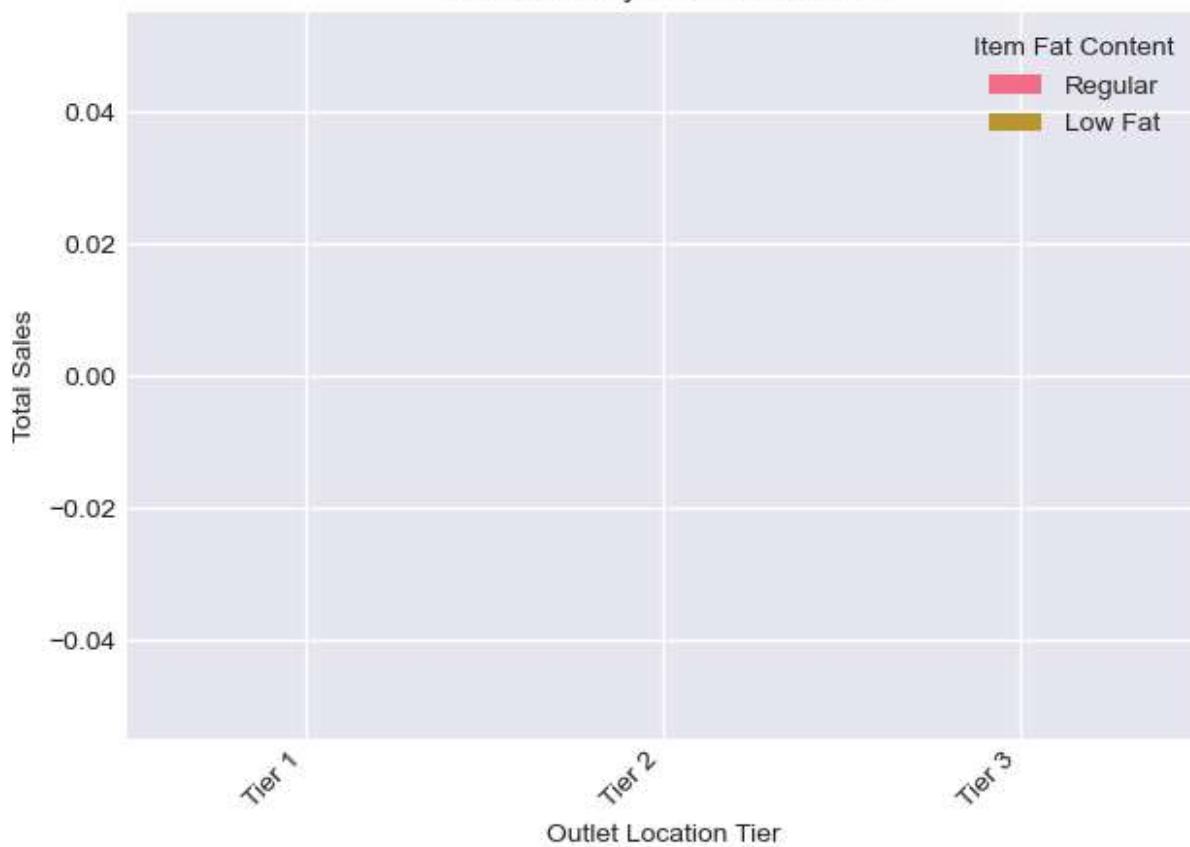
```
In [ ]: grouped = df.groupby(['Outlet Location Type', 'Item Fat Content'])
          ['Sales'].sum().unstack()                                     # pivot table: sales by location & fat content

# 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
```

Total Sales by Item Fat Content



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.