

# PROJECT : DLD Dashboard: Visualizing Dubai's Dynamic Property Market

## Objective:

The objective of this assignment was to implement an automated method for fetching public data from the Dubai Land Department (DLD) online sources, store the data in a database or datalake, and create a dashboard in Power BI to highlight key insights and metrics from the data.

## Approach & Technologies Used:

- Data Ingestion: I developed a Python script to automatically fetch the DLD real estate transaction data from their website and the Dubai Pulse historical data source on a scheduled basis. This script runs as an AWS Glue ETL job.
- Data Storage: The fetched data is stored in an Amazon S3 data lake. AWS Glue crawlers are used to discover the schema and make the data queryable via Amazon Athena. Key data is also loaded into an Amazon Redshift data warehouse using Glue ETL jobs for the Power BI dashboards.
- Data Analysis & Visualization: I created a Power BI dashboard connected to the Redshift data warehouse to highlight key insights from the DLD data. The dashboard includes:
  - Transactions by area (value, count, type, subtype)
  - Most transacted property types and subtypes
  - Market growth over time
  - Property feature statistics by area (size, rooms, parking, price per sq m)

## DATASET::

Transactions.csv - ( date: : from : 01-01-2024 to: 26-04-2024) data

## Architecture::

Dataset → Amazon S3 -> Amazon Athena -> Amazon Glue (ETL JOB) -> Amazon Redshift -> PowerBI

## DIMENSIONAL MODEL:

### Fact Table:

### Fact\_transactions:

transaction\_id (PK)

procedure\_id (FK to Procedure dim)

property\_id (FK to Property dim)  
area\_id (FK to Area dim)  
transaction\_date\_id (FK to Date dim)  
actual\_worth  
meter\_sale\_price  
rent\_value  
meter\_rent\_price  
no\_of\_parties\_role\_1  
no\_of\_parties\_role\_2  
no\_of\_parties\_role\_3

### **Dimension Tables:**

#### **Dim\_Procedure**

procedure\_id (PK)  
trans\_group\_id  
trans\_group\_en  
procedure\_name\_en

#### **Dim\_Property:**

property\_id (PK)  
property\_type\_id  
property\_type\_en  
property\_sub\_type\_id  
property\_sub\_type\_en  
property\_usage\_en  
reg\_type\_id  
reg\_type\_en

building\_name\_en

project\_number

project\_name\_en

master\_project\_en

nearest\_landmark\_en

nearest\_metro\_en

nearest\_mall\_en

rooms\_en

has\_parking

procedure\_area

#### **Dim\_Area:**

area\_id (PK)

area\_name\_en

Date

#### **Dim\_Date:**

date\_id (PK)

full\_date

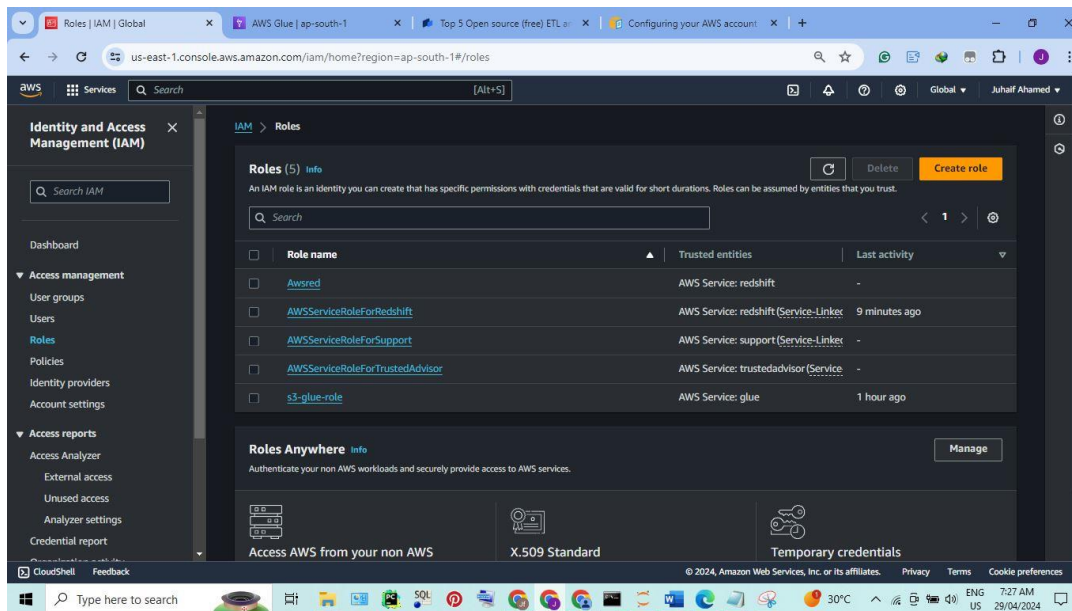
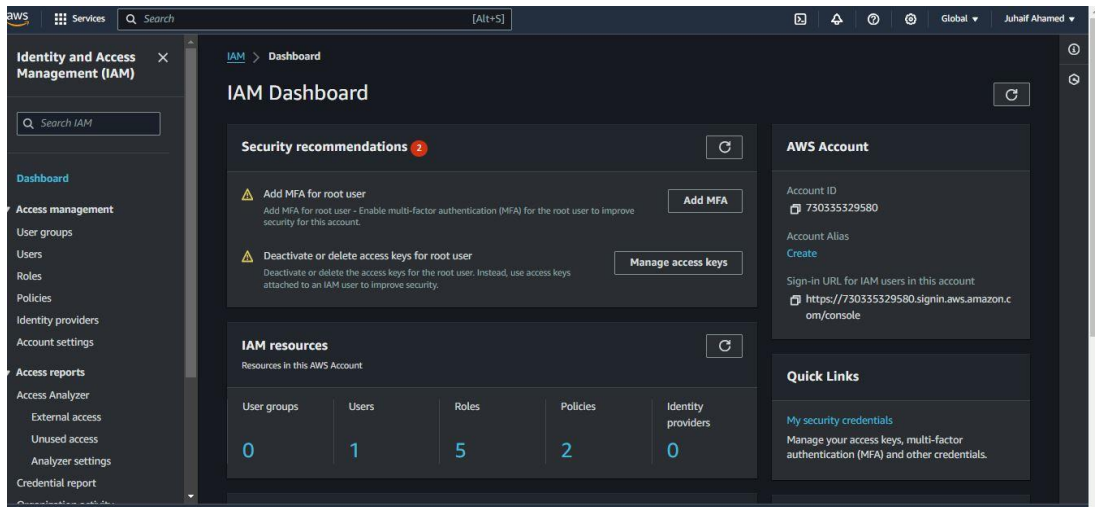
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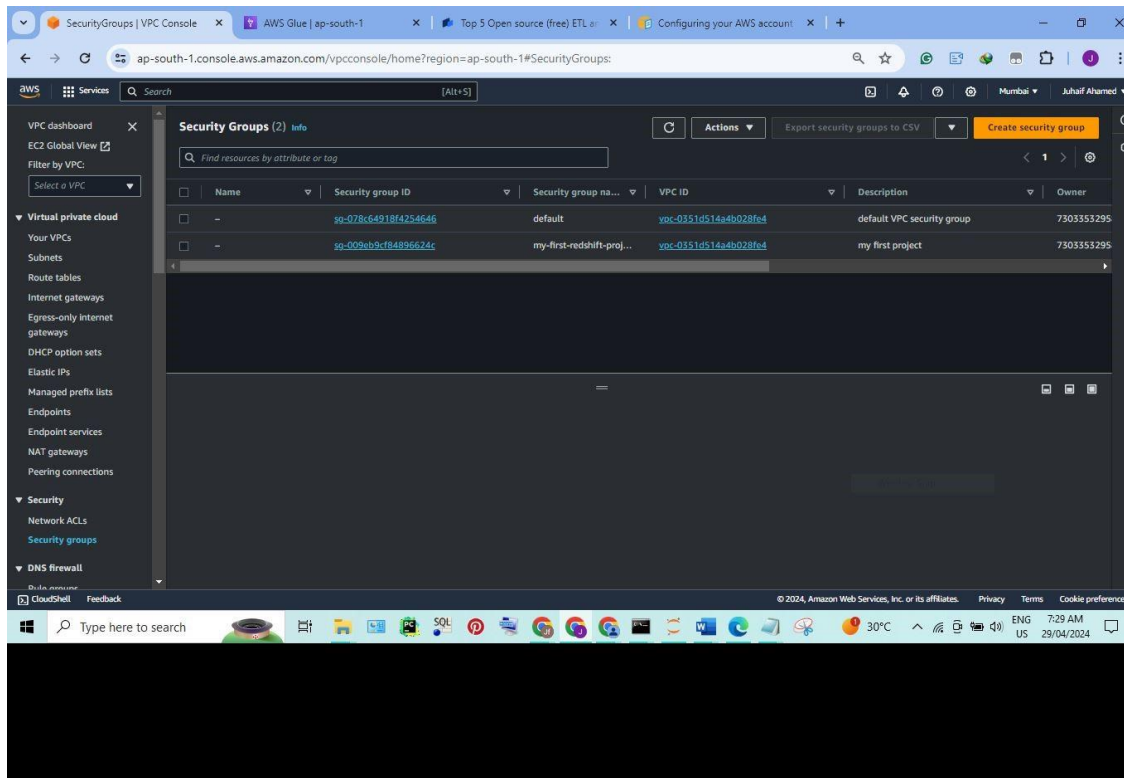
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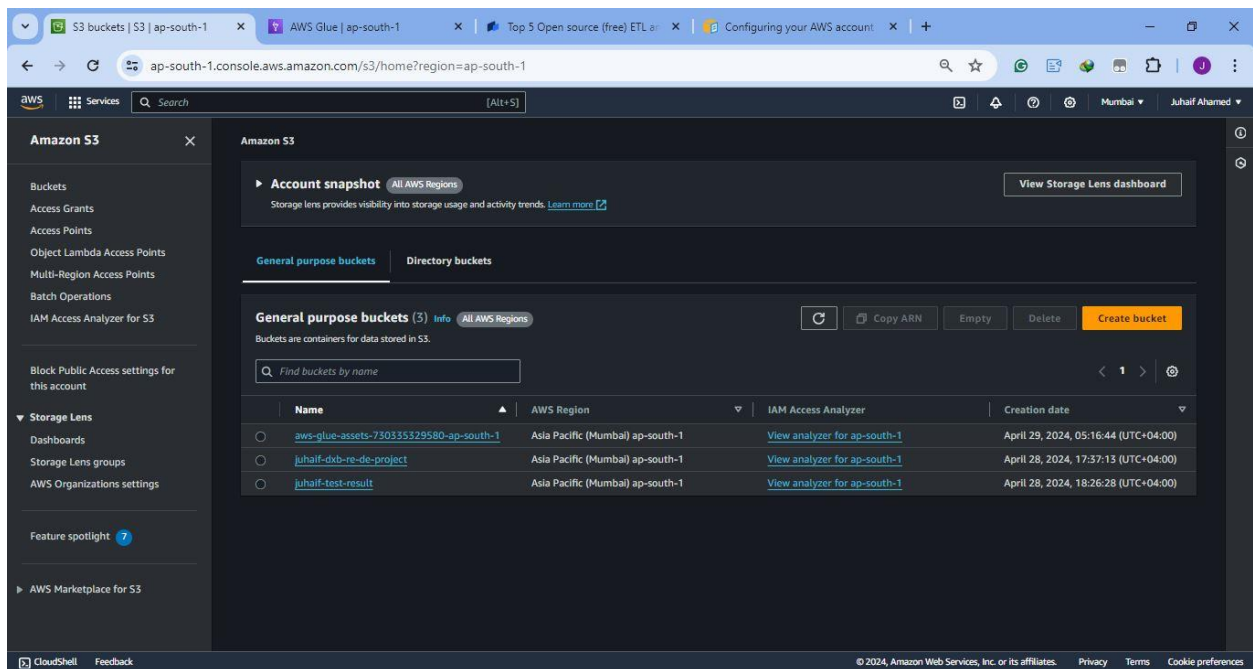
## **IAM:**



VPC:



S3:



# ATHENA:

The screenshot displays the AWS Athena Query Editor interface. The top navigation bar includes the AWS logo, a search bar, and user information (Mumbai, Juhail Ahmed). The main header shows 'Amazon Athena' and 'Query editor'. Below this, there are tabs for 'Editor', 'Recent queries', 'Saved queries', and 'Settings'. A notification banner states: 'Athena now supports typeahead code suggestions to speed up SQL query development. Typeahead suggestions are turned on by default. You can change this setting in query editor preferences.' The left sidebar contains a 'Data' section with 'Data source' set to 'AwsDataCatalog', 'Database' set to 'realstate\_dxb', and a 'Tables and views' section showing a table named 'dxb\_realstate'. The main editor area displays a SQL query: 'SELECT \* FROM "realstate\_dxb"."dxb\_realstate" limit 10;'. Below the query editor, there are buttons for 'Run again', 'Explain', 'Cancel', 'Clear', and 'Create'. The bottom section shows 'Query results' and 'Query stats'. The 'Query results' tab is active, displaying a table with 10 rows of data. The table has columns: #, transaction\_id, procedure\_id, trans\_group\_id, trans\_group\_name, procedure\_name\_en, instance\_date, and property\_type\_id. The data includes transactions for Mortgages, Sales, and Delayed Sell.

Query 1 : X Query 2 : X Query 3 : X Query 4 : X Query 5 : X

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1 SELECT * FROM "realstate_dxb"."dxb_realstate" limit 10;
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Run again Explain Cancel Clear Create

Reuse query results up to 60 minutes ago

Query results Query stats

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Results (10) Copy Download results

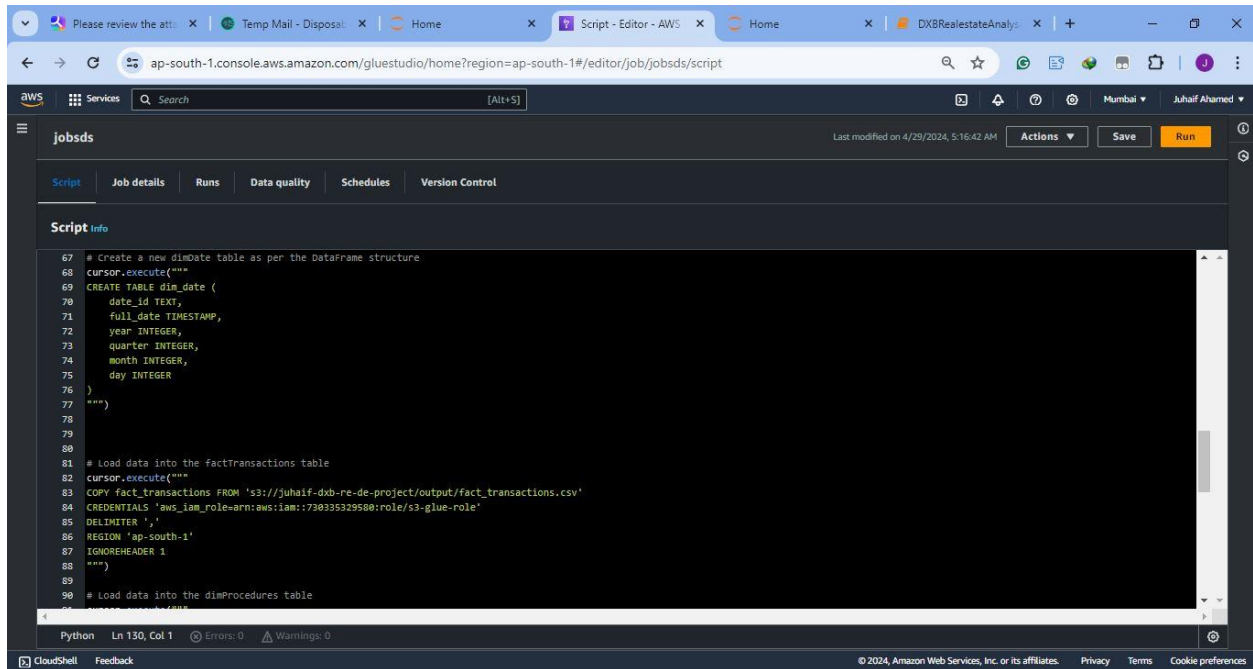
Search rows

#	transaction_id	procedure_id	trans_group_id	trans_group_name	procedure_name_en	instance_date	property_type_id
1	2-13-2024-3832	13	2	Mortgages	Mortgage Registration	2024-02-22	4
2	2-13-2024-3161	13	2	Mortgages	Mortgage Registration	2024-02-14	3
3	1-102-2024-21351	102	1	Sales	Sell - Pre registration	2024-04-04	3
4	1-41-2024-6983	41	1	Sales	Delayed Sell	2024-04-15	4
5	1-102-2024-11119	102	1	Sales	Sell - Pre registration	2024-02-23	3
6	1-11-2024-12586	11	1	Sales	Sell	2024-04-04	3
7	1-11-2024-8276	11	1	Sales	Sell	2024-03-06	3
8	1-102-2024-25900	102	1	Sales	Sell - Pre registration	2024-04-25	3
9	1-41-2024-4008	41	1	Sales	Delayed Sell	2024-02-27	1

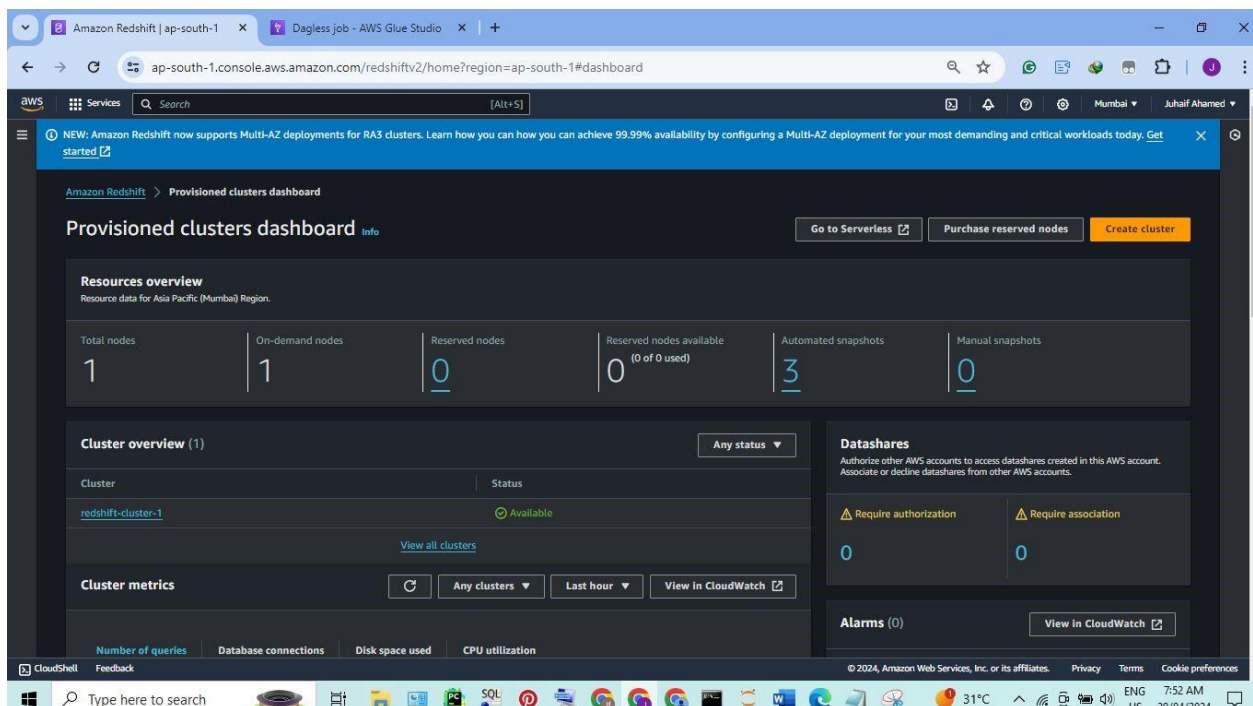
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# GLUE ETL PYTHON JOB:



# RED SHIFT:





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Resources info

Select schema

public

Filter tables

1

dim\_area

dim\_date

dim\_procedure

dim\_property

fact\_transactions

transaction\_id

procedure\_id

property\_id

area\_id

transaction\_date\_id

actual\_worth

meter\_sale\_price

rent\_value

meter\_rent\_price

Query 1

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1 SELECT * FROM fact_transactions limit 100
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Run Save Schedule Clear

Send feedback

Query results Table details

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Rows returned (100)

Search rows

transaction_id	procedure_id	property_id	area_id	transaction_date_id	actual_worth	meter_sale_price	rent_value
2-13-2024-3832	13	4	435	2024-02-22	3000000	15502.26953125	0
2-13-2024-3161	13	3	526	2024-02-14	560000	11153.16015625	0
1-102-2024-21351	102	3	445	2024-04-04	892513	9334.9296875	0
1-41-2024-6983	41	4	463	2024-04-15	2700000	9904.6201171875	0
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1-11-2024-12586	11	3	482	2024-04-04	3200000	25041.080078125	0
1-11-2024-8276	11	3	343	2024-03-06	240000	5333.330078125	0
1-102-2024-25900	102	3	526	2024-04-25	1050000	25932.330078125	0
1-41-2024-4008	41	1	505	2024-02-27	2976930	10425.98046875	0
1-133-2024-116	133	1	462	2024-04-01	24686000	725.5499877929688	0

REDSHIFT TO POWER BI CONNECTION:





