

Product Requirements Document (PRD)

Scout Analytics MVP – Retail Intelligence Dashboard

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1. Executive Summary

Scout Analytics MVP is a four-page retail intelligence dashboard that ingests 18,000+ Philippine transactions in real time. It delivers an L0 executive pulse, L1 focus pages (trends, mix, consumer), L2 drawer details and L3 raw-data modals—complete with global filters, click-to-drill-down and AI-powered recommendations.

2. Business Objectives

- **Primary:** Ship a production-ready analytics dashboard for TBWA client decks
 - **Secondary:** Drive data-led retail optimizations across Philippine segments
 - **Tertiary:** Lay groundwork for a SaaS analytics platform
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3. Success Metrics

Category	Metric	Target
Performance	Initial load time	< 2 s
	Filter response	< 200 ms
	Uptime	> 99.5 %
Engagement	Session duration	> 5 min
	Pages/session	> 3
	Filter usage rate	> 70 %
Business Impact	AI insights/session	≥ 5
	Client presentation success	> 90 %
	Decision implementation rate	> 40 %

4. Architecture Overview

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frontend:
  framework: React 18
  language: TypeScript
  styling: Tailwind CSS
  state: Zustand + URL sync + localStorage
backend:
  db: Supabase (PostgreSQL)
  rls: enabled
  realtime: Supabase subscriptions
ai:
  provider: Azure OpenAI (GPT-4, GPT-3.5, embeddings)
deploy:
  hosting: Vercel
  ci_cd: GitHub Actions
monitoring:
  metrics: Prometheus + Grafana
  errors: Sentry
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5. Data Architecture & Backend Requirements

5.1 Core Tables

Table	Columns
transactions	id (UUID PK), created_at (timestampz, idx), store_id (FK), customer_id (FK), total_amount
transaction_items	id (UUID PK), transaction_id (FK), product_id (FK), quantity (int), price (decimal)
products	id, name, category (idx), brand_id (FK)
brands	id, name
stores	id, name, barangay (idx), region, location (geography)
demographics	transaction_id (FK), gender, age_bracket
behavior_signals	transaction_id (FK), request_type, suggestion_accepted (bool)

5.2 Materialized Views

- mv_hourly_volume : (hour, count, sum_amount)
- mv_category_mix : (category, count, share)
- mv_substitution_flow : (from_brand, to_brand, count)

Refreshed every 5 minutes via scheduled SQL jobs.

5.3 ETL & Real-Time

- Batch ingestion:** Supabase `.range()` loop in 1,000-row chunks, with retry up to 3×
 - Enrichment:** demographic & behavior signals via audio/video inference
 - Realtime:** Supabase subscriptions to push inserted rows to connected clients
 - Cache:** Redis (5 min TTL, stale-while-revalidate) for heavy endpoints
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6. API Layer

All endpoints must accept the full global filter set: `from`, `to`, `barangays[]`, `stores[]`, `categories[]`, `brands[]`, plus optional `hour`, `gender`, etc.

GET /api/transactions:

- **params:**
 - `from`: date
 - `to`: date
 - ...global filters...
 - `limit`: int (default 1000)
 - `offset`: int (default 0)
- **returns:**
 - `headers`: X-Total-Count
 - `body`: [{ transaction... }, ...]

GET /api/volume:

- **params:** same global filters
- **returns:** { data: [{ hour, count, sum_amount }, ...], count }

GET /api/category-mix:

- **params:** same
- **returns:** { data: [{ category, count, share }, ...], count }

GET /api/substitution: GET /api/demographics: GET /api/behavior-signals:

- **params:** same
- **returns:** similar shape: data + count

POST /api/ai-insights:

- **body:** { filters }

- **returns:** `{ insights: [{ insight, confidence, category, action_items }, ...] }`
 - **Indexes:** on all filterable columns (`created_at`, `category`, `brand_id`, `store_id`)
 - **Pagination:** exact first - call `count` head query → loop pages of 1000
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7. Feature Requirements

7.1 Global Filter System (P0)

- **Types:** date range, barangay/region, category, brand, store
- **Persistence:**
 1. Zustand in-memory
 2. URL sync (`?from=...&categories=...`)
 3. localStorage fallback
- **UI:** top-bar with pill badges + reset icon + active - count badge

7.2 Page & Visual Matrix

Page	Key Visuals	Toggles & Drill-downs
L0: Overview	4 KPI cards, sparkline, top 5 products bar	KPI - card clicks → <code>/transaction-trends?from...&to...</code>
L1: Transaction Trends	line (daily), box, heatmap (hour×day)	time-slot click → add <code>hour=</code> , navigate <code>/transaction-trends</code>
L1: Product Mix	pie (category), stacked bar, Sankey (sub)	slice click → <code>categories=</code> ; flow edge click → <code>brands=</code> ; navigate <code>/product-mix</code>
L1: Consumer Insights	donut (gender), funnel, geo-heatmap	segment click → <code>gender=</code> ; map region click → <code>barangays=</code> ; navigate <code>/consumer-insights</code>
AI Insights (L0)	text panel of ≥ 3 insights + confidence bar	auto - refresh on any filter change → <code>POST /api/ai-insights</code>

7.3 Drill-down Interaction Contract

1. User click on a chart element
 2. `FilterStore: .setFilter(key,value)`
 3. `Router: navigate("/target-page?" + currentQueryString)`
 4. Page hook re-fetches via matching `/api/...` endpoint
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8. Security & Compliance

- **Row - Level Security:** enforced on `transactions` & related tables
 - **Auth:** JWT issued by Auth0/Azure AD; validate on each request
 - **CORS:** allow only frontend domain
 - **Rate Limiting:** AI endpoint capped at 60 req/min per user
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9. Monitoring & Alerting

- **APM:** Prometheus + Grafana for latency & error SLOs
 - **Error Logging:** Sentry for 5xx & auth failures
 - **Health:** `/api/health` ping every 60 s
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10. Quality Assurance

- **Unit Tests:** Jest \geq 80 % coverage on hooks, utils, API mocks
 - **E2E Tests:** Playwright for filter persistence & drill-down flows
 - **Accessibility:** Axe CI (no violations; charts with ARIA)
 - **Performance:** Lighthouse CI (perf \geq 90, a11y \geq 90)
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11. Implementation Timeline

Phase	Deliverables	ETA
Phase 1	Core data model, batch fetch hook, scaffold pages	Jun 17 AM
Phase 2	Global filters + URL sync + localStorage	Jun 18 PM
Phase 3	Drill-down interactions & navigation	Jun 19 AM
Phase 4	AI panel integration + <code>/api/ai-insights</code>	Jun 20 PM
Phase 5	Performance & accessibility tuning	Jun 22 AM
Phase 6	QA, full test suite, CI/CD	Jun 23 PM

12. Risk Assessment

Risk	Mitigation
Large-batch timeouts	Retry logic + server-side RPC count queries
AI downtime / rate limits	Cache last insights + fallback messaging
Mobile slow networks	Code-split charts, lazy load non-critical comps