# BAIM 4205-001 Final Project

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# **Project Scenario**

Key Rock is a small but growing beer vending company. Key Rock is an e-commerce B2C company, selling to consumers in the United States of America.

Due to Key Rock's small size, the microbrewers work with Key Rock on a consignment basis, instead of drop-ship. This means that Key Rock pre-purchases the stock from the microbrewers and the microbrewers hold the stock and fulfill the orders. Key Rock is currently working with 5 microbrewers, who brew between 1-3 beers each. The microbrewers may change their stock as often as they like, and sometimes offer seasonal beers as well. The microbrewers can upload images of their stock and are required by Key Rock to offer stock in sizes of 6 bottle pack, 12 can pack, 32 and 64 ounce growlers.

Purchasers create profiles on the site, and provide information that includes their age, first and last name, an image, shipping address, billing address, zip, state, country, and phone number. Users are welcome to visit the site and browse the options but must create a profile before any purchases can be transacted.

Vendors also have a profile on the site, where they can add and monitor their products, update their point-of-contact, phone number, mailing address, an image, and more. They can also view metrics on how their beers are performing and how they are performing relative to other microbrewers. Key Rock's site will also provide metrics on how well different types of beers are selling overall.

Purchasers may browse beers on the website and may add beers to their cart. Once they are ready to purchase, they click through their cart, and have their transaction fulfilled by Stripe, a third-party credit card processor. Each microbrewery invoices Key Rock through an outside site.

# Use Case Diagram

# Customers Create a Purchaser Profile Create a Vendor Profile Create a Vendor Profile View Key Beer Metrics View Beers and Microbrewers View Seers and Microbrewers

# **Use Cases**

Use case name: Add Beer to Cart / Purchase Beer		ID 1	Importance level High		
Primary actor: Custome	er	l	1		
Short description: This	describes the process in how a us	ser adds beer to the cart	for checkout and subsequently		
purchases the beer.					
	s to place an order for beer				
Type: External / Temporal (highlight one)  Major Inputs:		Major Outputs:	Major Outputs:		
Description	Source	Description	Destination		
Beer	Customer	Purchase Order	Inventory_Purchase_Orde		
Quantity	Customer		Data Store		
Purchaser Profile	Customer Data Store				
Major Steps Performed:		Information for Step	os		
1. Customer adds beer to cart ◀		Beer	- Beer		
2. Customer determines quantity of beer desired		Quantity			
<ul><li>3. Customer proceeds to check out</li><li>a. Customer uses his/her purchaser profile</li></ul>		Purchaser Profile			
4. Customer checks out —		► Purchase Order			

Use case name: Create a Purchaser Profile **ID** 2 Importance level High Primary actor: Customer Short description: This use case describes how a customer creates a purchaser profile which is then used for information when ordering. **Trigger:** New customer decides to buy beer from Key Rock. **Type:** External / Temporal (highlight one) **Major Inputs: Major Outputs:** Description Source Description Destination Profile Info Purchaser Info (Age, Customer User Data Store Address, Phone #, Email) **Customer Data Store** Created at User Data Store **Customer Data Store** Purchaser Error message **Major Steps Performed: Information for Steps 1.** Enter personal information -Purchaser Info (Age, Address, Phone #, Email) 2. Check email to ensure customer isn't already in DB. a. If user is in DB, redirect to home page \_ ► Error message and load already saved user information. b. If user is not DB, allow user to continue creating a purchaser profile. ► Profile Info **3.** Save creation time of user and profile information Created at

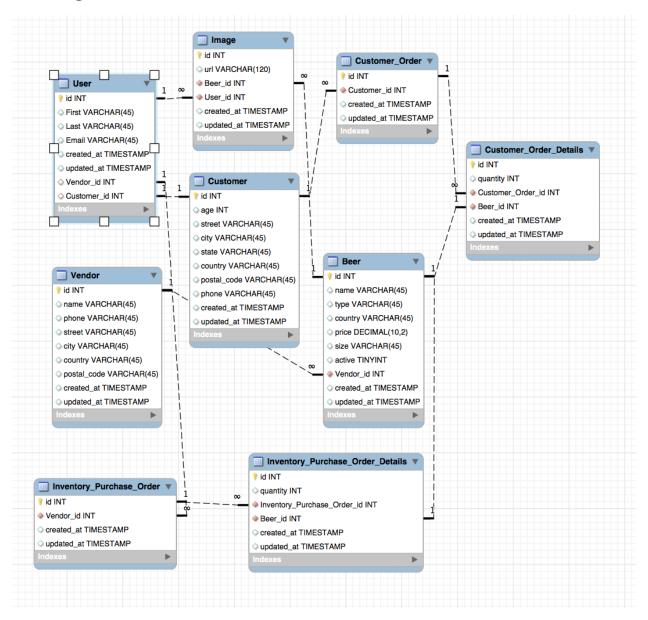
Use case name: Create a		<b>ID</b> 3	Importance level High		
Primary actor: Vendor	_				
<b>Short description:</b> This us information.	se case describes how a vendor c	reates a ven	dor profile	which is then used for sales	
Trigger: New vendor deci	des to sell beer through Key Roc	k.			
<b>Type:</b> External / Tempora	l (highlight one)				
Major Inputs:		Major Out			
Description	Source	Descriptio	n	Destination	
Vendor Info (Age, Address	s, Customer	Profile Info	)	Vendor Data Store	
Phone #, Email) Beer sold		Vendor ID		Beer Data Store	
	Vendor	Created at	:	Vendor Data Store	
		Error mess	sage	Vendor	
Major Steps Performed:		Information for Steps			
1. Enter vendor info	rmation <del>4</del>	Vendor Info (Age, Address, Phone #, Email)			
2. Enter which beers Rock.	s vendor will sell through Key —	Beer sold			
system.	vendor is not already in				
error mes	<ul> <li>a. If vendor is already in system, display error message.</li> </ul>	➤ Profile Info			
	b. If vendor is not in system, proceed with creating profile.				
	Created at				

Use case name: Crea	ite Beer	ID 4	Importance level High		
Primary actor: Vendors					
Short description: Th	nis use case describes how a	vendor creates a beer.			
Trigger: Vendor wan	ts to release a new beer for o	customers to purchase.			
<b>Type: <mark>External</mark> /</b> Tem	poral				
Major Inputs:		Major Outputs:			
Description	Source	Description	Destination		
Beer Name	Vendors	Beer Info	Beer Data Store		
Beer Type		Pictures	Image Data Store		
Beer Country					
Beer Price					
Beer Size					
Beer Active Status					
Picture					
Major Steps Performed:		Information for Step	os .		
1. Enter beer in	nfo ——	Beer name, type, col (optional) image	Beer name, type, country, price, size, active status, (optional) image		
2. Save beer					
3. Beer become	3. Beer becomes 'live' for users to view		Beer Info		

Use case name: View Key Beer Metrics			<b>ID</b> 5	Importance level High	
Primar	y actor: Customer				
	•	_			their beer sales in order to make
more ii	nformed business de	cisions. This process will be solid	cited throug	h a websi	te, which has not been created.
Trigger	: Vendor wants to lo	ok deeper into their beer analyt	tics.		
Type: <mark>E</mark>	<mark>External</mark> / Temporal (	highlight one)			
Major	Inputs:		Major Out	puts:	
Descrip	otion	Source	Descriptio	n	Destination
Inform	ation request	Vendor	Purchase (		rails Reviewer
Purcha	se order details	Inventory_Purchase_Order_	(aggregated)		
		Details			
Major	Steps Performed:		Information	on for Ste	ps
1.	Customer requests about beer sales.	aggregate information	Information request		t
2. Information request uses purchase order details and aggregates into		Purchase order details			
<ul> <li>3. Data is aggregated using a program (to be developed) that offers insights to its vendors.</li> <li>a. If vendor sells more than one type of beer, aggregated order details are separated by beer for comparison.</li> </ul>		· Purchase (	Order Det	ails (aggregated)	

Use case name: View Beers and Microbrewers			Importance level High	
Primary actor: Customers/Vendors/Users				
Short description: This use case describes how a customer	r, vendor, or	user view	rs beer and microbrewers.	
Trigger: Customer/vendor/user wants to view beers and microbrewers  Type: External / Temporal				
Major Inputs: Major Outputs:				
Description	Descriptio	n	Destination	
Source Beer/Microbrewer Name	Beer/Micr	obrewer I	nfo Reviewer	
Customer, Vendors, Users	Error Mes	sage	Reviewer	
	Information	on for Ste	ps	
Major Steps Performed:	Beer/microbrewer name			
<ol> <li>Enter beer/microbrewer name</li> <li>Check if beer/microbrewer exists</li> <li>a) if exists, display beer/microbrewer</li> <li>b) if doesn't exist, show error message</li> </ol>	Beer/Micr	obrewer I	nfo	
	Error Mess	sage		

# **ER Diagram**



## **Interesting Business Questions**

Our business questions fall into three general categories: marketing, product management, and sales. The data we collect regarding marketing questions will allow Key Rock to create marketing campaigns and target their customers in the most effective manner to increase engagement and retention. By addressing data surrounding Key Rock's products, Key Rock can optimize their product offerings to generate higher sales and fuel growth. Sales data will allow Key Rock to advance relationships with their top partners as well as identify new partners to further develop the company. The questions within each category were created with a specific, actionable idea in consideration for Key Rock to make data-driven decisions.

### **Marketing Questions**

- 1. Which 5 customers have purchased the most beer (by amount)?
  - a. As top-buyers, and therefore, top revenue-generators- the 5 customers who purchase the most beer are valuable. According to the 80-20 rule, the top 80% of sales generally come from simply 20% of customers. Key Rock has an opportunity to create retention and engagement-based marketing campaigns directed to these customers, to encourage these customer's continued commitment to purchase from Key Rock.
- 2. Which 5 customers have the oldest account creation date?
  - a. Customers appreciate recognition. By discovering who their original customers are, Key Rock can then send a coupon, discount, or small gift like a growler of their toppurchased beer to thank them for their continued loyalty.
- 3. Which state has the most customers?
  - a. By identifying which state most of their customers reside in, Key Rock may have an opportunity to host a special event for those customers. Many companies have seen success in offering lunch and learns or specialized classes to their customers to increase loyalty and engagement. Key Rock can offer a microbrew class, or a beer and food tasting session to connect with their customers, connect their customers with each other, and build their brand.

### **Product Management Questions**

- 1. Which beer type has the most sales (by revenue)?
  - a. If Key Rock can determine which beer type generates the highest revenue, they have an opportunity to ensure customers can consistently access that type of beer. Since microbrewers have the opportunity to alter their product offerings at-will, Key Rock currently cannot control what customers receive regularly. By identifying the most-demanded type of beer, Key Rock can then create programs to incentivize that Microbrewers offer at least one beer of that type, which will satisfy customers while driving revenue.)

- 2. Which beer has sold the most in the shortest amount of time (by amount, created at date)
  - a. Key Rock has an opportunity to identify a 'hit' beer- one that is released and immediately begins generating revenue and high sales. By identifying this product, Key Rock will have the opportunity to begin more research into what made it a 'hit', and how to replicate this with other products. There are many reasons why a product may have taken off, from which microbrewer produced it to seasonality, but the first step in replicating an effect like this is determining the basic facts.
- 3. Which beer size has the most sales (by amount)?
  - a. By identifying what size their consumers prefer to purchase, Key Rock can encourage their microbrewers to offer all of their offerings in that size. Recognizing how their customers prefer to consume their beer (i.e they purchase larger sizes for regular gettogethers) will provide Key Rock with an opportunity to ensure consistency across their product offerings in that area.

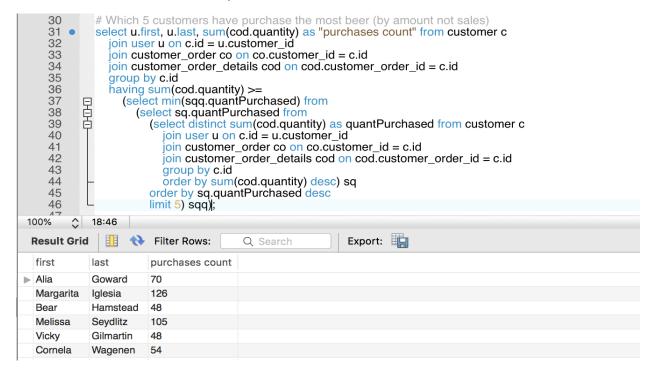
### Sales Questions

- 1. Which microbrewer has the highest sales (revenue)?
  - a. The microbrewer that has created the highest revenue for Key Rock is an important relationship for Key Rock to maintain. By identifying this microbrewer, Key Rock has an opportunity to present the microbrewer with additional contracts, or incentives to remain one of Key Rocks vendors. Beyond contracts and incentives, Key Rock should ensure they are regularly communicating with and strengthening their relationship with this partner.
- 2. Which country has the highest beer sales (by amount, not revenue)?
  - a. By identifying which country sells the most beer, Key Rock has an opportunity to focus on growing their product offerings from that country through new partnerships. By adding products from a category that customers have proven they value, Key Rock has the opportunity to please current customers and sell to new customers. This data will also allow Key Rock to focus on identifying microbrewers in a specific country, which will ultimately save them time as they take a less generalized approach.
- 3. Which microbrewer has the longest-offered, active beer (based on created at date)?
  - a. As a small company with limited stock, it is important for Key Rock's business model that the product offerings are rotated regularly. While the microbrewers have the 'power' to rotate their offerings as they please, if one beer has been offered for too long it may be time for Key Rock to step in and encourage the microbrewer to mixup their offerings. Part of the value Key Rock offers to their consumers is to have a changing selection of brews to choose from, so they can regularly be trying something new.

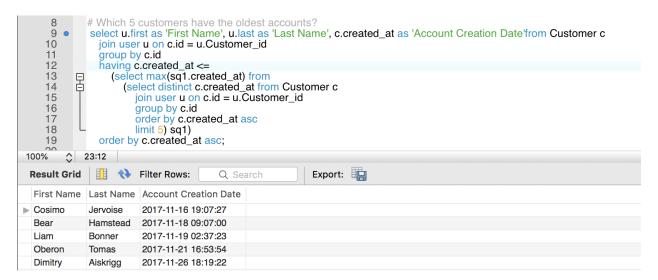
# **Interesting Business Question Queries**

### Marketing

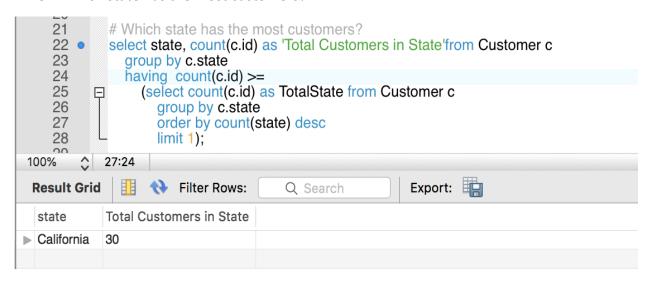
1. Which 5 customers have purchased the most beer?



2. Which 5 customers have the oldest accounts?

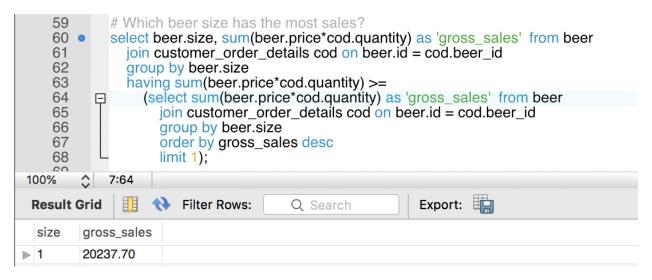


### 3. Which state has the most customers?



### **Product Management**

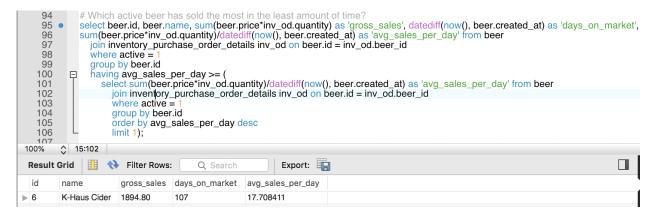
4. Which beer size has the most sales?



5. Which beer type has the most sales?

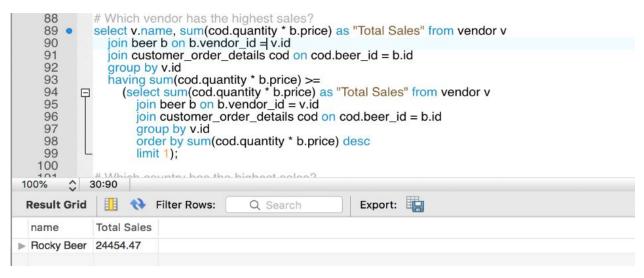
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                  group by beer.type
                  having sum(beer.price*cod.quantity) >= (select sum(beer.price*cod.quantity) as 'gross_sales' from beer
                       join customer_order_details cod on beer.id = cod.beer_id
                        group by beer type
                        order by gross_sales desc
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### 6. Which active beer has sold the most in the least amount of time?

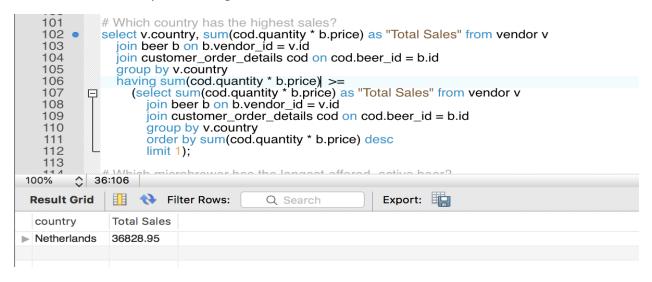


### Sales

7. Which microbrewer has the highest sales?



8. Which country has the highest beer sales?



9. Which microbrewer has the longest-offered active beer?

