



Atliq
Hardwares

Ad Hoc Insights *Consumer Goods*



Insights Presentation for Strategic Decisions in the Consumer Goods Sector



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Hello!

Warm greetings to everyone. I am pleased to present key insights gathered from the SQL challenge for Atliq Hardwares. Today, we will explore data-driven insights that address critical business questions and provide strategies to drive growth and efficiency across various segments.

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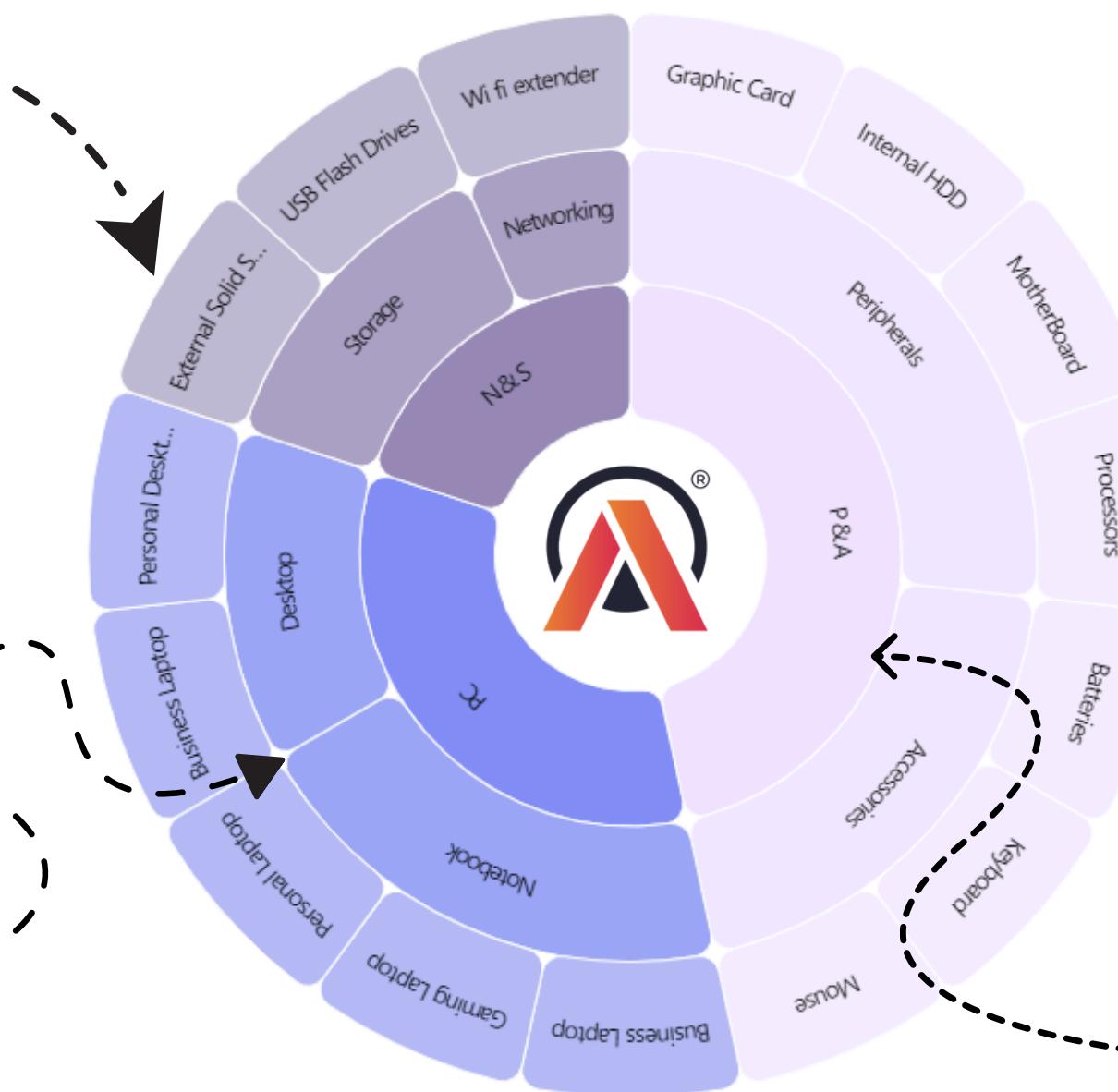
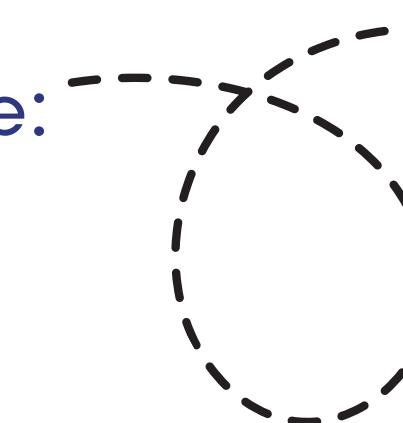
Objectives

- Atliq Hardware (fictitious company) is a leading computer hardware manufacturer in India with a strong presence globally.
- Management noted insufficient insights for making timely, data-informed decisions.
- Plans are underway to expand the data analytics team by hiring junior analysts.
- Tony Sharma, Data Analytics Director, will conduct a SQL challenge to evaluate candidates' tech and soft skills.
- The challenge involves generating insights for 10 ad-hoc business requests.

Company Details

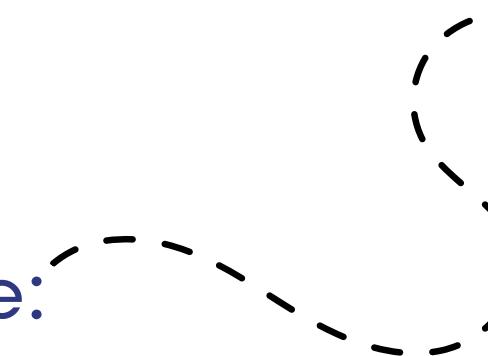
Atliq Hardware is a manufacturer of computer hardware and accessories.

Outer Circle:
Category



FISCAL YEAR
SEPTEMBER 2019 - AUGUST 2020
FY 2020
SEPTEMBER 2020 - AUGUST 2021
FY 2021

Mid Circle:
Segment

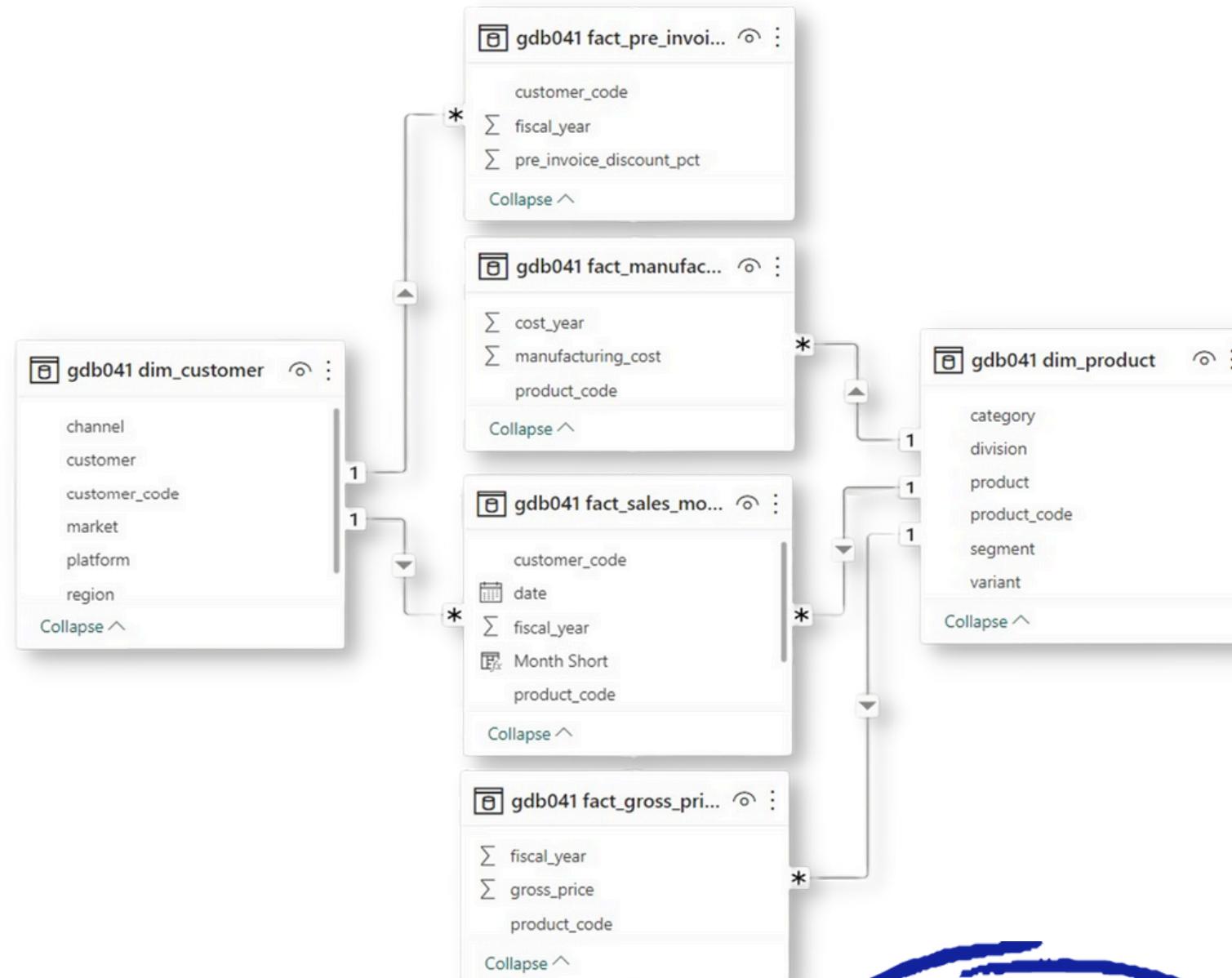


Inner Circle:
Division

Company's Market



Dataset Structure, Challenge, and Tools



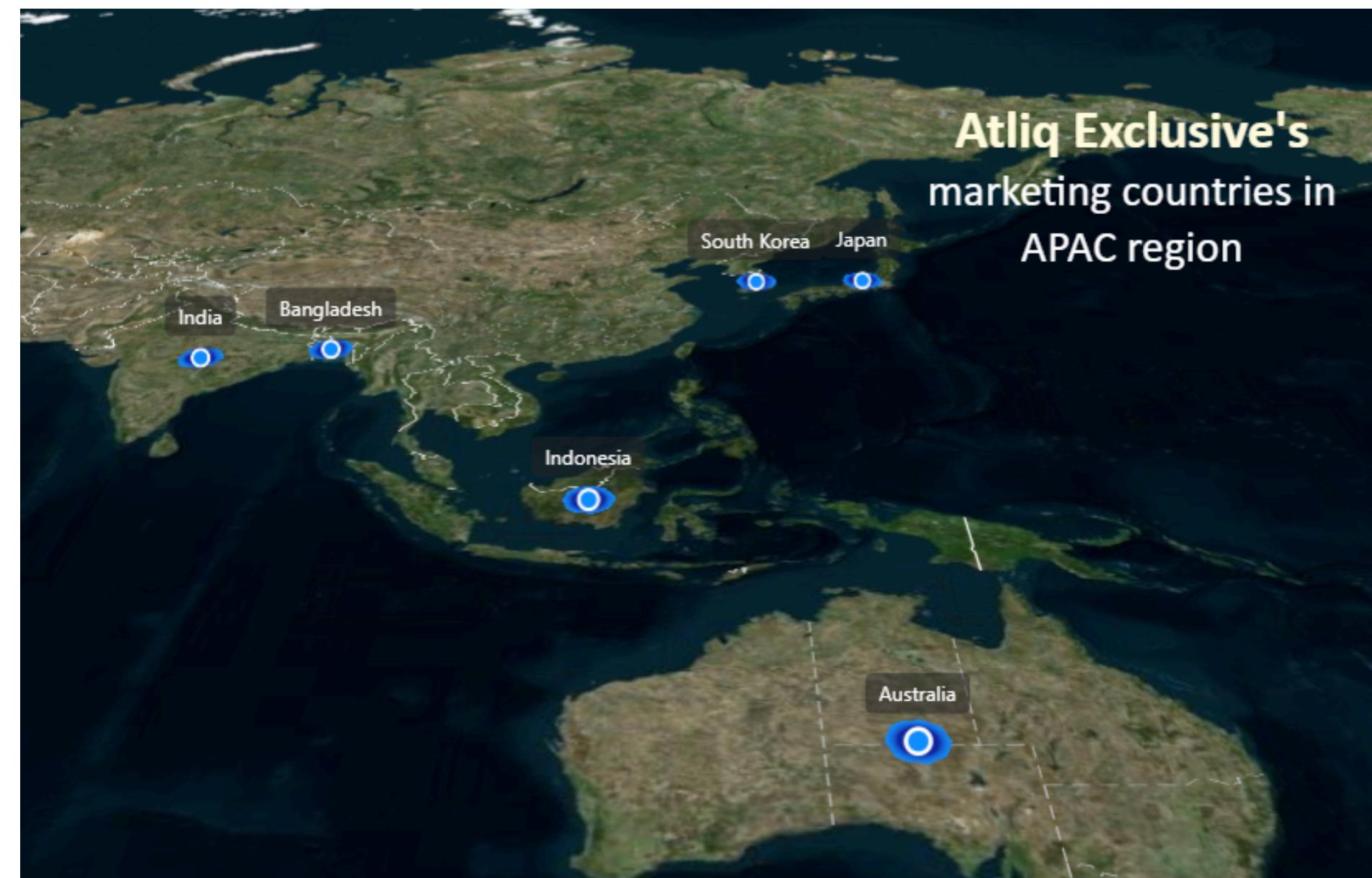
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Requests

- Provide the list of markets in which customer "Atliq Exclusive" operates its business in the APAC region.
 - What is the percentage of unique product increase in 2021 vs. 2020? The final output contains these fields,
unique_products_2020
unique_products_2021
percentage_chg
 - Provide a report with all the unique product counts for each segment and sort them in descending order of product counts. The final output contains 2 fields,
segment
product_count
 - Follow-up: Which segment had the most increase in unique products in 2021 vs 2020? The final output contains these fields,
segment
product_count_2020
product_count_2021
difference
 - Get the products that have the highest and lowest manufacturing costs. The final output should contain these fields,
product_code
product
manufacturing_cost
 - Generate a report which contains the top 5 customers who received an average high pre_invoice_discount_pct for the fiscal year 2021 and in the Indian market. The final output contains these fields,
customer_code
customer
average_discount_percentage
 - Get the complete report of the Gross sales amount for the customer "Atliq Exclusive" for each month. This analysis helps to get an idea of low and high-performing months and take strategic decisions.
The final report contains these columns:
Month
Year
Gross sales Amount
 - In which quarter of 2020, got the maximum total_sold_quantity? The final output contains these fields sorted by the total_sold_quantity,
Quarter
total_sold_quantity
 - Which channel helped to bring more gross sales in the fiscal year 2021 and the percentage of contribution? The final output contains these fields,
channel
gross_sales_mln
percentage
 - Get the Top 3 products in each division that have a high total_sold_quantity in the fiscal_year 2021? The final output contains these fields,
division
product_code

I. Provide the list of markets where customer "AtliqExclusive" operates its business in the APAC region.

market
Australia
Bangladesh
India
Indonesia
Japan
Newzealand
Philiphines
South Korea



2. What is the percentage of unique product increase in 2021 vs. 2020? The final output contains these fields,

unique_products_2020

unique_products_2021

percentage_chg

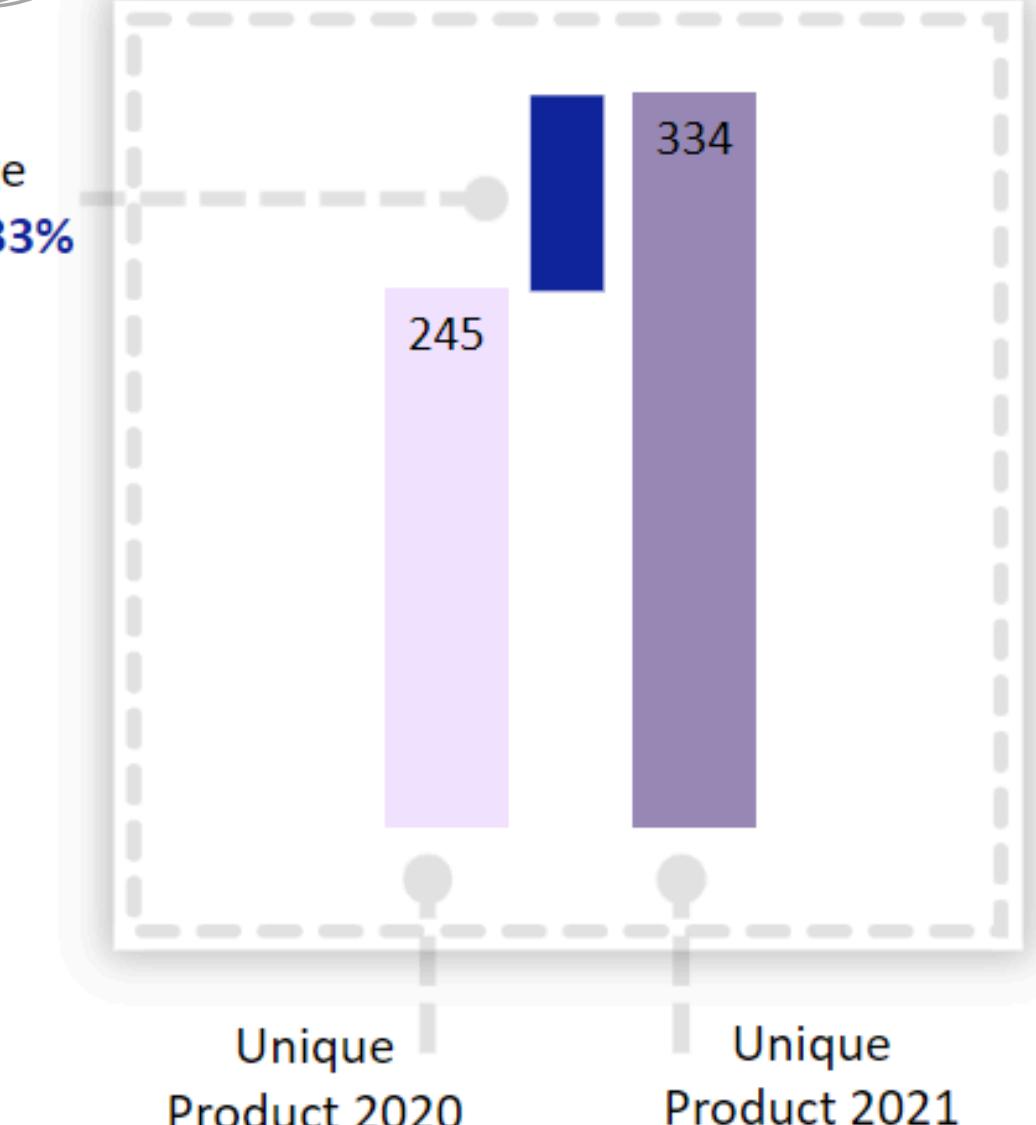
unique_product_2020	unique_products_2021	percentage_chg
245	334	36.33

Percentage Change **36.33%**

Unique Products 2021

Vs

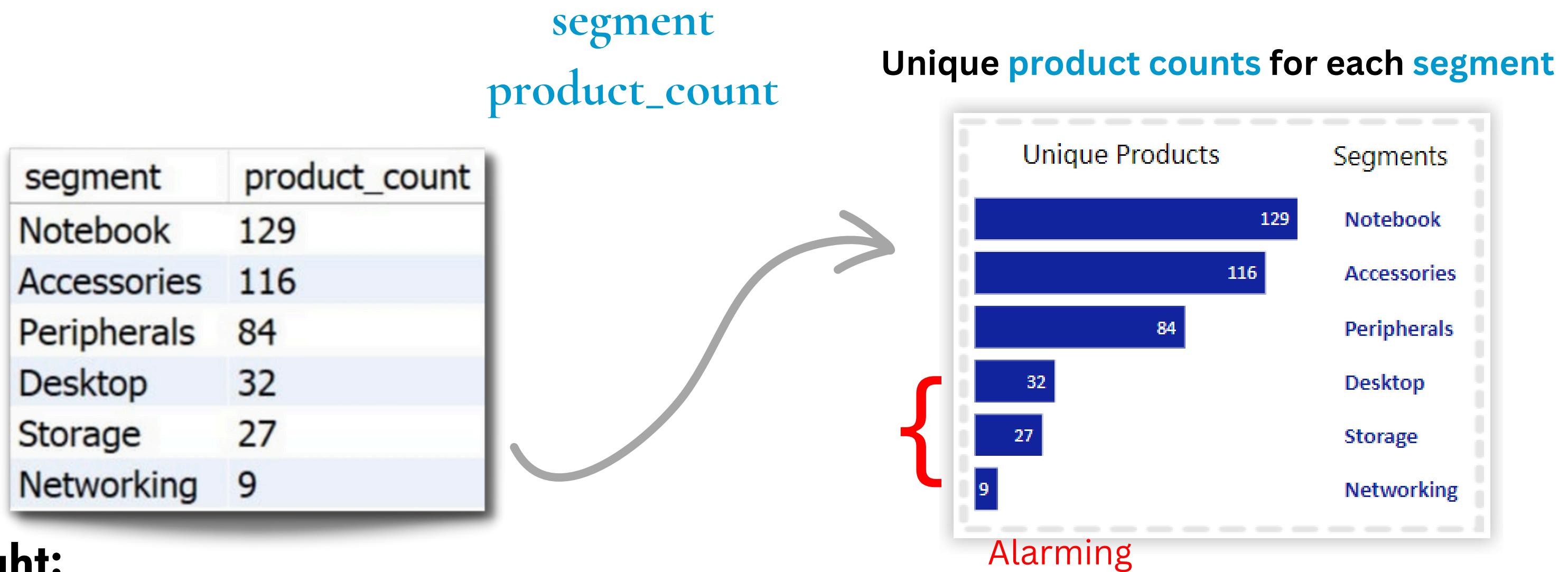
Unique Products 2020



Insight:

- Both demand and production have shown an upward trend.

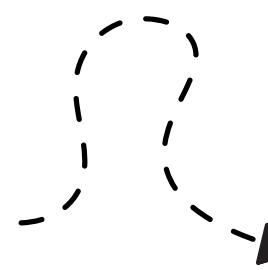
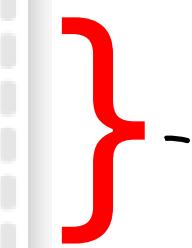
3. Provide a report with all the unique product counts for each segment and sort them in descending order of product counts. The final output contains 2 fields,



Insight:

- Segments: notebooks, accessories, and peripherals are showing significant manufacturing growth as compared to desktops, storage, and networking.
- Notebooks, accessories, and peripherals constitute 83% of the total manufactured product.

Desktop
Storage
Networking



- Wifi extender
- USB Flash Drives
- External Solid State Drives
- Personal Desktop
- Business Laptop

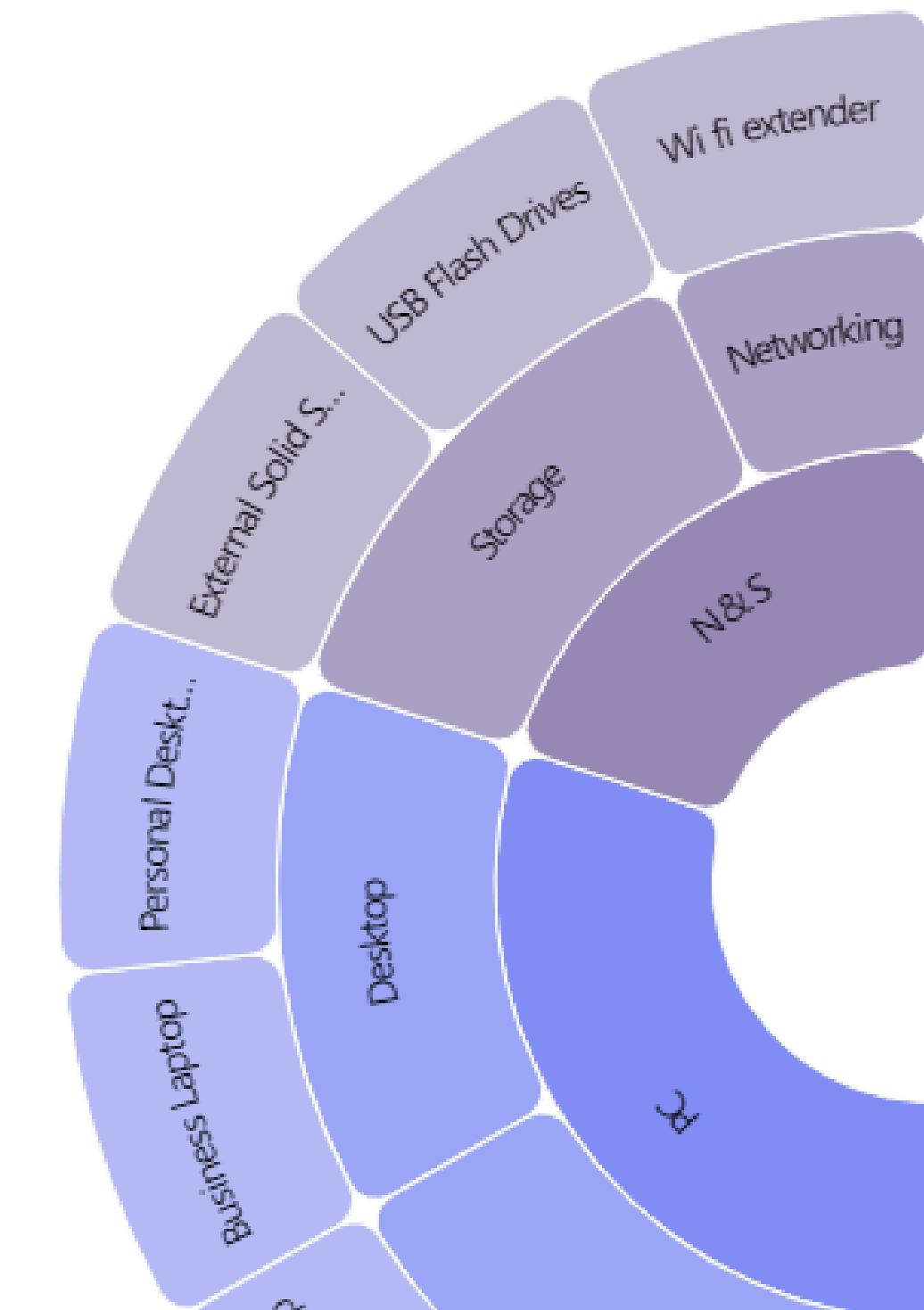
Segment	AVG MC	AVG GS	Gross Margin
Peripherals	\$540.92	\$1,814.41	70.19%
Accessories	\$543.74	\$1,816.42	70.07%
Notebook	\$674.68	\$2,255.44	70.09%
Desktop	\$767.44	\$2,553.72	69.95%
Storage	\$897.70	\$2,986.82	69.94%
Networking	\$1,473.32	\$4,953.04	70.25%

Suggestions :

- Package Deal
- Customer Services
- Free Vouchers
- Student Discount
- Cash Back
- Gift cards
- Memberships

AVG MC: Average Manufacturing Cost

AVGGS: Average Gross Sales



4. Follow-up: Which segment had the most increase in unique products in 2021 vs 2020? The final output contains these fields,
segment
product_count_2020
product_count_2021
difference

segment	product_count_2020	product_count_2021	difference
Accessories	69	103	34
Desktop	7	22	15
Networking	6	9	3
Notebook	92	108	16
Peripherals	59	75	16
Storage	12	17	5



Unique product difference per
segment from 2020 to 2021

Segment	Product Count 2020	Product Count 2021	Difference	▲
Accessories	69	103	34	▲
Notebook	92	108	16	▲
Peripherals	59	75	16	▲
Desktop	7	22	15	▲
Storage	12	17	5	▲
Networking	6	9	3	▲

Insight:

- Accessories had the largest increase in production.
- Storage and networking are experiencing slower production growth than other segments.

5. Get the products that have the highest and lowest manufacturing costs.

The final output should contain these fields,

product_code

product

manufacturing_cost

product_code	product	manufacturing_cost
A6120110206	AQ HOME Allin1 Gen 2	240.5364
A2118150101	AQ Master wired x1 Ms	0.8920

Products having the
highest and lowest
manufacturing costs

240.54



A6120110206
AQ HOME Allin1 Gen 2
Personal Desktop

0.89



A2118150101
AQ Master wired x1 Ms
Mouse

Product code & Product

Insight:

- Mouse: AQ Master wired x1 Ms (Variant: Standard 1) has the lowest manufacturing cost.
- PersonalDesktop: AQ Home Allin1 Gen2 (Variant: Plus 3) has the highest manufacturing cost.

6. Generate a report which contains the top 5 customers who received an average high pre_invoice_discount_pct for the fiscal year 2021 and in the Indian market. The final output contains these fields,

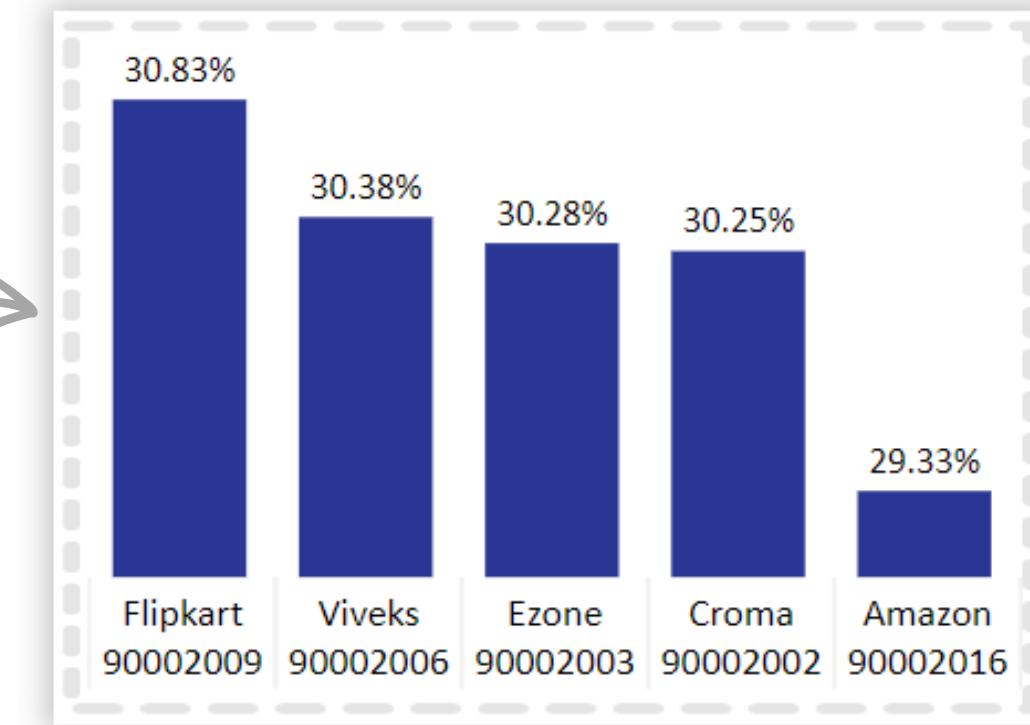
customer_code

customer

average_discount_percentage

customer_code	customer	average_discount_percentage
90002009	Flipkart	0.3083
90002006	Viveks	0.3038
90002003	Ezone	0.3028
90002002	Croma	0.3025
90002016	Amazon	0.2933

Top 5 Indian customers with highest average discount percentage for FY 2021



Customer & Customer code

Insight:

- The largest average pre-invoice discount was given to Flipkart.
- The least average pre-invoice discount was given to Amazon.

7. Get the complete report of the Gross sales amount for the customer “Atliq Exclusive” for each month. This analysis helps to get an idea of low and high-performing months and take strategic decisions. The final report contains these columns:

Month
Year
Gross sales Amount

Insight:

- The lowest Gross sales total for both fiscal years is in March (2020).
- The highest Gross sales total for both fiscal years is in November (2020).
- 73.8% of the total Gross sales figure is in FY 2021.

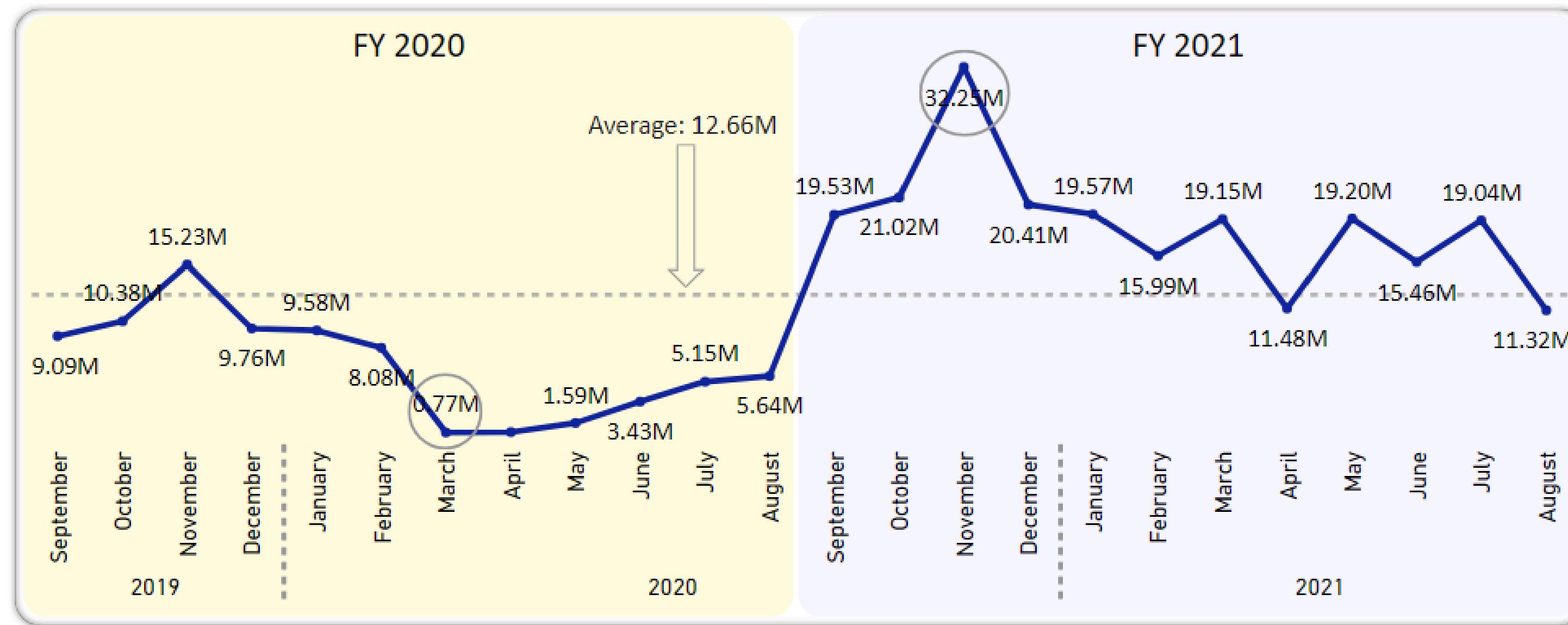
Month	fiscal_year	Gross_sales_Amount
September (2019)	2020	9092670.34
October (2019)	2020	10378637.60
November (2019)	2020	15231894.97
December (2019)	2020	9755795.06
January (2020)	2020	9584951.94
February (2020)	2020	8083995.55
March (2020)	2020	766976.45
April (2020)	2020	800071.95
May (2020)	2020	1586964.48
June (2020)	2020	3429736.57
July (2020)	2020	5151815.40
August (2020)	2020	5638281.83
September (2020)	2021	19530271.30
October (2020)	2021	21016218.21
November (2020)	2021	32247289.79
December (2020)	2021	20409063.18
January (2021)	2021	19570701.71
February (2021)	2021	15986603.89
March (2021)	2021	19149624.92
April (2021)	2021	11483530.30
May (2021)	2021	19204309.41
June (2021)	2021	15457579.66
July (2021)	2021	19044968.82
August (2021)	2021	11324548.34

FY 2020

79.5 M

FY 2021

224.4 M



Reasons:

- COVID-19
- Global Chip shortage

When did the silicon chip shortage start?

From **early 2020**, when the effects of and the mitigation of the COVID-19 pandemic caused disruptions in supply chains and logistics which, coupled with a 13% increase in global demand for PCs owing to some countries' shift to a stay-at-home economy, impacted the availability of key chips necessary for the manufacturing ...

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2020–present_global_chip_shortage

2020–present global chip shortage - Wikipedia

8. In which quarter of 2020, got the maximum total_sold_quantity? The final output contains these fields sorted by the total_sold_quantity,

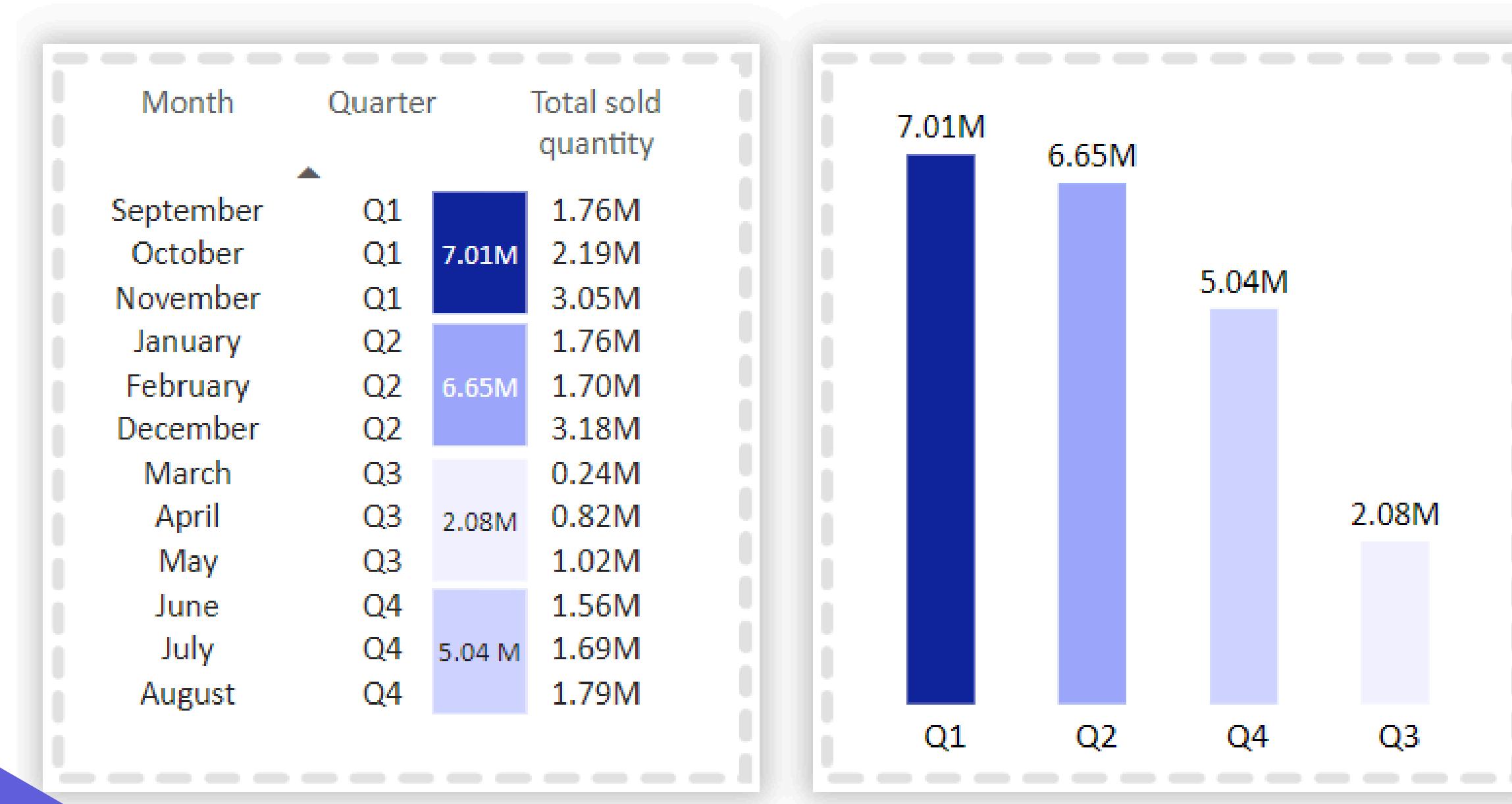
Quarter	total_sold_quantity
Quarters	total_sold_quantity
1	7005619
2	6649642
4	5042541
3	2075087

Quarters	total_sold_quantity
[1] September	1764002
[1] October	2190792
[1] November	3050825
[2] December	3184205
[2] January	1762652
[2] February	1702785
[3] March	238961
[3] April	819956
[3] May	1016170
[4] June	1559773
[4] July	1692575
[4] August	1790193

Insight:

- Quarter 1 of FY2020 saw the most units sold overall, while Quarter 3 had the fewest.
- The highest and lowest overall sold quantity is in December and March.
- Quarter 1 accounts for approximately 34% of the total sold quantity for FY2020.

Total sold quantity in FY 2020 by Quarter

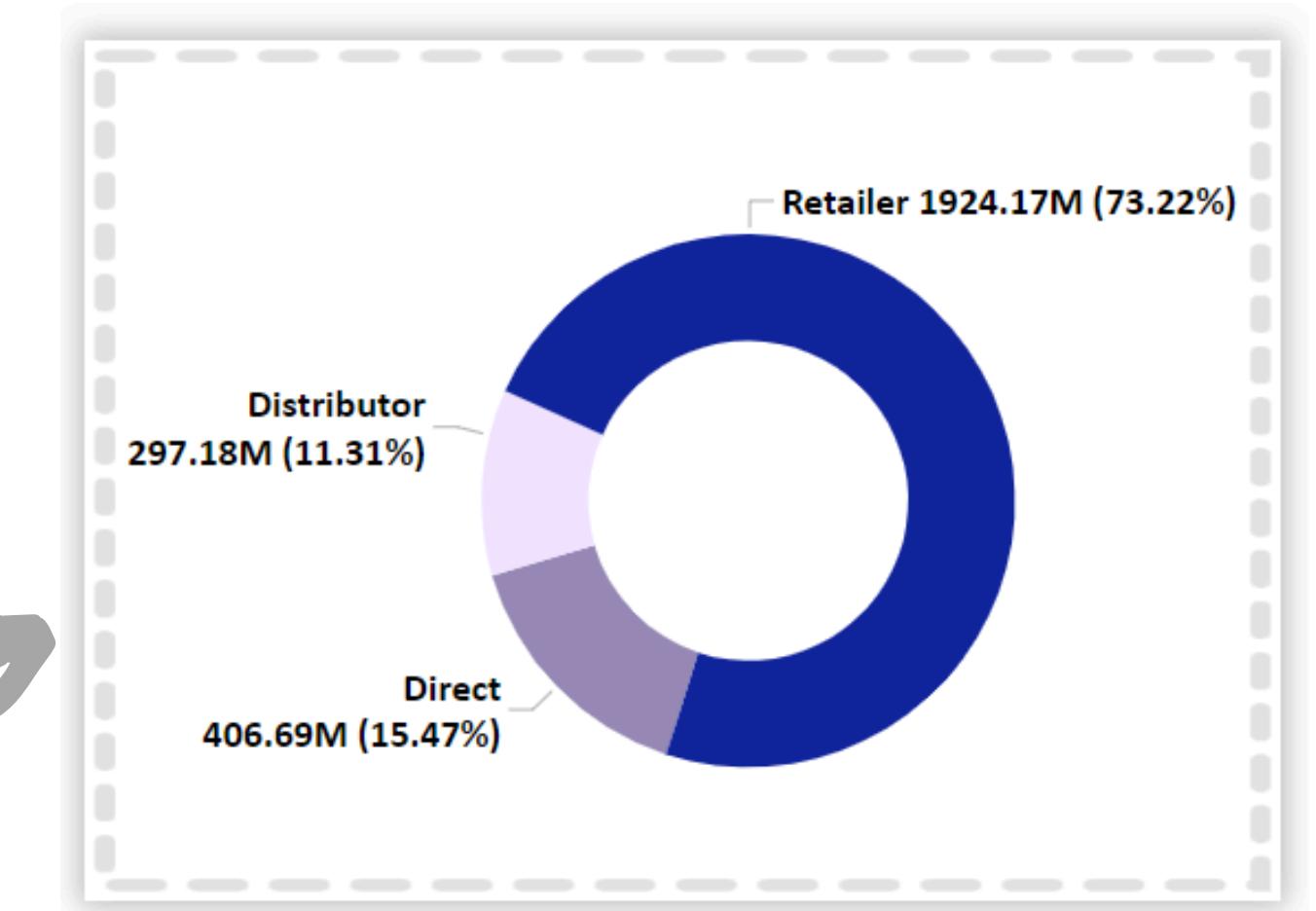


9. Which channel helped to bring more gross sales in the fiscal year 2021 and the percentage of contribution? The final output contains these fields,

channel
gross_sales_mln
percentage

Gross sales and contribution percentages by Channels for FY 2021

channel	Gross_sales_mln	percentage
Retailer	1924.17 M	73.22 %
Direct	406.69 M	15.48 %
Distributor	297.18 M	11.31 %



Insight:

- Channel: "Retailer" helped bring maximum sales to the company with 73.22% as the contribution percentage.
- Channel: "Distributor" makes the least contribution at a percentage of 11.31%.

10. Get the Top 3products in each division that have a high total_sold_quantity in the fiscal_year 2021? The final output contains these fields,

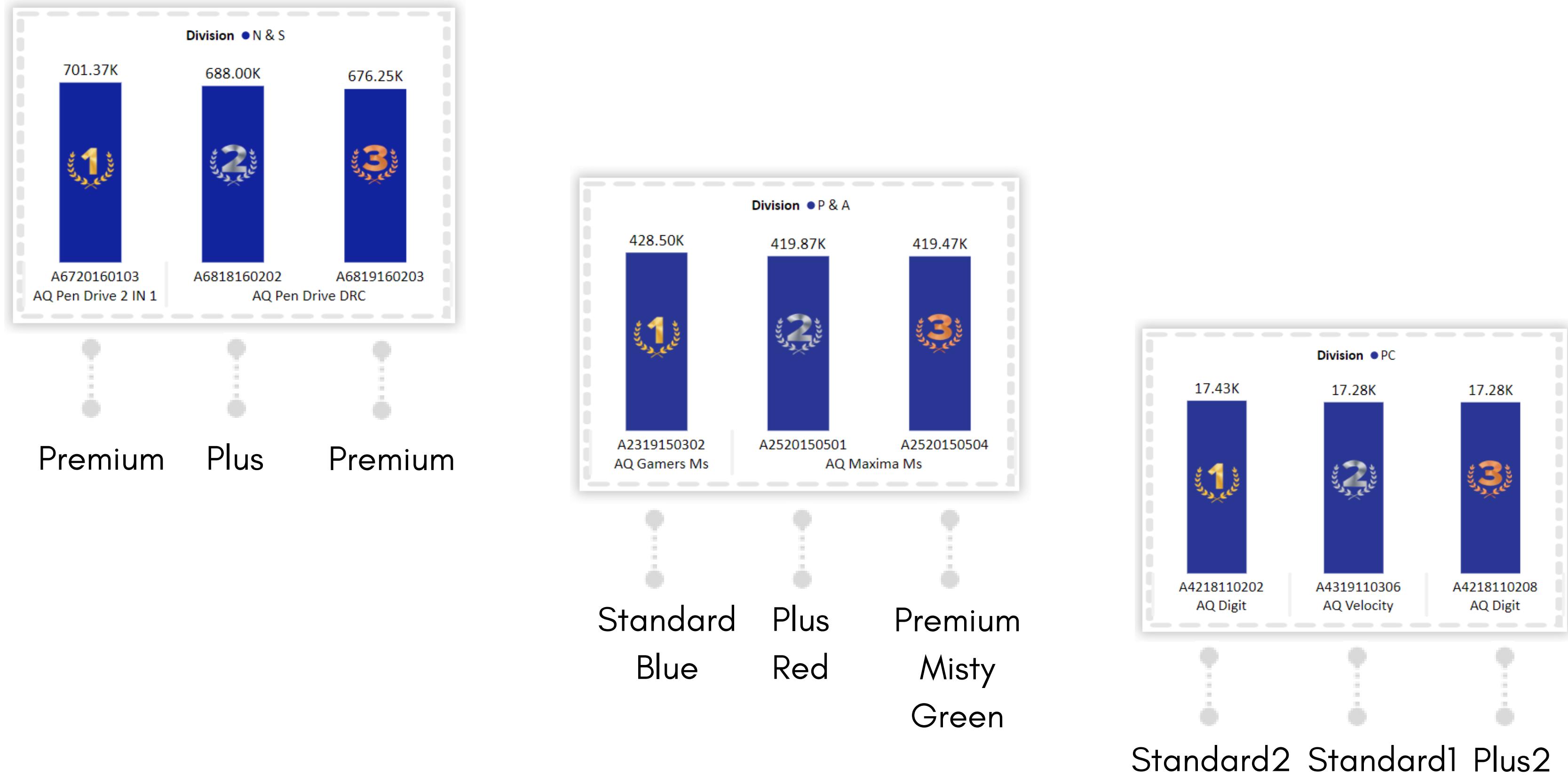
division
product_code
product
total_sold_quantity
rank_order

division	product_code	product	Total_sold_quantity	Rank_Order
N & S	A6720160103	AQ Pen Drive 2 IN 1 [Premium]	701373	1
	A6818160202	AQ Pen Drive DRC [Plus]	688003	2
	A6819160203	AQ Pen Drive DRC [Premium]	676245	3
P & A	A2319150302	AQ Gamers Ms [Standard 2]	428498	1
P & A	A2520150501	AQ Maxima Ms [Standard 1]	419865	2
P & A	A2520150504	AQ Maxima Ms [Plus 2]	419471	3
PC	A4218110202	AQ Digit [Standard Blue]	17434	1
PC	A4319110306	AQ Velocity [Plus Red]	17280	2
PC	A4218110208	AQ Digit [Premium Misty Green]	17275	3

Insight:

- Every division has a product with different variants that appears twice in the top three products by division list.

Top 3 highest-selling products by Division for FY 2021



Conclusion

- Both demand and production have shown an overall increase, indicating strong market growth.
- Notebooks, accessories, and peripherals dominate the manufacturing segment, contributing 83% of total production, with accessories experiencing the highest production growth.
- Storage and networking segments show slower growth compared to other categories.
- Manufacturing costs vary significantly, with the lowest for the AQ Master wired x1 Ms mouse and the highest for the AQ Home Allin1 Gen2 desktop.
- Sales trends highlight November as the peak sales month, with March being the lowest. FY 2021 contributed the majority (73.8%) of gross sales.
- Quarter 1 of FY2020 led in overall units sold, with the "Retailer" channel driving 73.22% of total sales.
- Multiple divisions feature products with different variants consistently ranking among the top three in their respective categories.

Queries :

1. Provide the list of markets where customer "AtliqExclusive" operates its business in the APAC region.

```
SELECT market FROM dim_customer  
WHERE customer = 'Atliq Exclusive' AND region = 'APAC'  
GROUP BY market  
ORDER BY market ;
```

market
Australia
Bangladesh
India
Indonesia
Japan
Newzealand
Philiphines
South Korea

Queries :

2. What is the percentage of unique product increase in 2021 vs. 2020? The final output contains these fields,

unique_products_2020

unique_products_2021

percentage_chg

```
SELECT X.A AS unique_product_2020, Y.B AS unique_products_2021, ROUND((B-A)*100/A, 2) AS percentage_chg
FROM
(
  (SELECT COUNT(DISTINCT(product_code)) AS A FROM fact_sales_monthly
  WHERE fiscal_year = 2020) X,
  (SELECT COUNT(DISTINCT(product_code)) AS B FROM fact_sales_monthly
  WHERE fiscal_year = 2021) Y
)
```

unique_product_2020	unique_products_2021	percentage_chg
245	334	36.33

Queries :

3. Provide a report with all the unique product counts for each segment and sort them in descending order of product counts. The final output contains 2 fields,

segment
product_count

```
SELECT segment, COUNT(DISTINCT(product_code)) AS product_count FROM dim_product
GROUP BY segment
ORDER BY product_count DESC ;
```

segment	product_count
Notebook	129
Accessories	116
Peripherals	84
Desktop	32
Storage	27
Networking	9

Queries :

4. Follow-up: Which segment had the most increase in unique products in 2021 vs 2020? The final output contains these fields,

segment

product_count_2020

product_count_2021

difference

segment	product_count_2020	product_count_2021	difference
Accessories	69	103	34
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```
WITH CTE1 AS
    (
        SELECT P.segment AS A , COUNT(DISTINCT(FS.product_code)) AS B
        FROM dim_product P, fact_sales_monthly FS
        WHERE P.product_code = FS.product_code
        GROUP BY FS.fiscal_year, P.segment
        HAVING FS.fiscal_year = "2020"),
CTE2 AS
(
    SELECT P.segment AS C , COUNT(DISTINCT(FS.product_code)) AS D
    FROM dim_product P, fact_sales_monthly FS
    WHERE P.product_code = FS.product_code
    GROUP BY FS.fiscal_year, P.segment
    HAVING FS.fiscal_year = "2021"
)

SELECT CTE1.A AS segment,
       CTE1.B AS product_count_2020,
       CTE2.D AS product_count_2021,
       (CTE2.D-CTE1.B) AS difference
  FROM CTE1, CTE2
 WHERE CTE1.A = CTE2.C ;
```

Queries :

5. Get the products that have the highest and lowest manufacturing costs.

The final output should contain these fields,

product_code

product

manufacturing_cost

```
SELECT F.product_code, P.product, F.manufacturing_cost  
FROM fact_manufacturing_cost F JOIN dim_product P  
ON F.product_code = P.product_code  
WHERE manufacturing_cost  
IN (  
    SELECT MAX(manufacturing_cost) FROM fact_manufacturing_cost  
    UNION  
    SELECT MIN(manufacturing_cost) FROM fact_manufacturing_cost  
)  
ORDER BY manufacturing_cost DESC ;
```

product_code	product	manufacturing_cost
A6120110206	AQ HOME Allin1 Gen 2	240.5364
A2118150101	AQ Master wired x1 Ms	0.8920

Queries :

6. Generate a report which contains the top 5 customers who received an average high pre_invoice_discount_pct for the fiscal year 2021 and in the Indian market. The final output contains these fields,

customer_code

customer

average_discount_percentage

```
WITH TBL1 AS
  (SELECT customer_code AS A, AVG(pre_invoice_discount_pct) AS B
   FROM fact_pre_invoice_deductions
   WHERE fiscal_year = '2021'
   GROUP BY customer_code),
  TBL2 AS
  (SELECT customer_code AS C, customer AS D FROM dim_customer
   WHERE market = 'India')
  SELECT TBL2.C AS customer_code,
         TBL2.D AS customer,
         ROUND (TBL1.B, 4) AS average_discount_percentage
    FROM TBL1 JOIN TBL2
      ON TBL1.A = TBL2.C
     ORDER BY average_discount_percentage DESC
    LIMIT 5;
```

customer_code	customer	average_discount_percentage
90002009	Flipkart	0.3083
90002006	Viveks	0.3038
90002003	Ezone	0.3028
90002002	Croma	0.3025
90002016	Amazon	0.2933

Queries :

7. Get the complete report of the Gross sales amount for the customer “Atliq Exclusive” for each month. This analysis helps to get an idea of low and high-performing months and take strategic decisions. The final report contains these columns:

Month
Year
Gross sales Amount

```
SELECT CONCAT(MONTHNAME(FS.date), ' (' , YEAR(FS.date), ')') AS 'Month', FS.fiscal_year,  
ROUND(SUM(G.gross_price*FS.sold_quantity), 2) AS Gross_sales_Amount  
FROM fact_sales_monthly FS JOIN dim_customer C ON FS.customer_code = C.customer_code  
JOIN fact_gross_price G ON FS.product_code = G.product_code  
WHERE C.customer = 'Atliq Exclusive'  
GROUP BY Month, FS.fiscal_year  
ORDER BY FS.fiscal_year ;
```

Month	fiscal_year	Gross_sales_Amount
September (2019)	2020	9092670.34
October (2019)	2020	10378637.60
November (2019)	2020	15231894.97
December (2019)	2020	9755795.06
January (2020)	2020	9584951.94
February (2020)	2020	8083995.55
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January (2021)	2021	19570701.71
February (2021)	2021	15986603.89
March (2021)	2021	19149624.92
April (2021)	2021	11483530.30
May (2021)	2021	19204309.41
June (2021)	2021	15457579.66
July (2021)	2021	19044968.82
August (2021)	2021	11324548.34

Queries :

8. In which quarter of 2020, got the maximum total_sold_quantity? The final output contains these fields sorted by the total_sold_quantity,

Quarter
total_sold_quantity

```
SELECT
CASE
    WHEN date BETWEEN '2019-09-01' AND '2019-11-01' then 1
    WHEN date BETWEEN '2019-12-01' AND '2020-02-01' then 2
    WHEN date BETWEEN '2020-03-01' AND '2020-05-01' then 3
    WHEN date BETWEEN '2020-06-01' AND '2020-08-01' then 4
END AS Quarters,
SUM(sold_quantity) AS total_sold_quantity
FROM fact_sales_monthly
WHERE fiscal_year = 2020
GROUP BY Quarters
ORDER BY total_sold_quantity DESC;
```

Quarters	total_sold_quantity
1	7005619
2	6649642
4	5042541
3	2075087

Queries :

9. Which channel helped to bring more gross sales in the fiscal year 2021 and the percentage of contribution? The final output contains these fields,

channel

gross_sales_mln

percentage

```
WITH Output AS
(
  SELECT C.channel,
         ROUND(SUM(G.gross_price*FS.sold_quantity/1000000), 2) AS Gross_sales_mln
    FROM fact_sales_monthly FS JOIN dim_customer C ON FS.customer_code = C.customer_code
                                 JOIN fact_gross_price G ON FS.product_code = G.product_code
   WHERE FS.fiscal_year = 2021
 GROUP BY channel
)
SELECT channel, CONCAT(Gross_sales_mln, ' M') AS Gross_sales_mln ,
       CONCAT(ROUND(Gross_sales_mln*100/total , 2), ' %') AS percentage
  FROM
(
  (SELECT SUM(Gross_sales_mln) AS total FROM Output) A,
  (SELECT * FROM Output) B
)
ORDER BY percentage DESC;
```

channel	Gross_sales_mln	percentage
Retailer	1924.17 M	73.22 %
Direct	406.69 M	15.48 %
Distributor	297.18 M	11.31 %

Queries : 10. Get the Top 3products in each division that have a high total_sold_quantity in the fiscal_year 2021? The final output contains these fields,

division

product_code

product

total_sold_quantity

rank_order

```

WITH Output1 AS
(
    SELECT P.division,
           FS.product_code,
           P.product,
           SUM(FS.sold_quantity) AS Total_sold_quantity
      FROM dim_product P JOIN fact_sales_monthly FS
        ON P.product_code = FS.product_code
     WHERE FS.fiscal_year = 2021
   GROUP BY FS.product_code, division, P.product
),
Output2 AS
(
    SELECT division,
           product_code,
           product,
           Total_sold_quantity,
           RANK() OVER(PARTITION BY division ORDER BY Total_sold_quantity DESC) AS 'Rank_Order'
      FROM Output1
)
SELECT Output1.division,
       Output1.product_code,
       Output1.product,
       Output2.Total_sold_quantity,
       Output2.Rank_Order
     FROM Output1 JOIN Output2
       ON Output1.product_code = Output2.product_code
  WHERE Output2.Rank_Order IN (1,2,3);

```

division	product_code	product	Total_sold_quantity	Rank_Order
N & S	A6720160103	AQ Pen Drive 2 IN 1	701373	1
N & S	A6818160202	AQ Pen Drive DRC	688003	2
N & S	A6819160203	AQ Pen Drive DRC	676245	3
P & A	A2319150302	AQ Gamers Ms	428498	1
P & A	A2520150501	AQ Maxima Ms	419865	2
P & A	A2520150504	AQ Maxima Ms	419471	3
PC	A4218110202	AQ Digit	17434	1
PC	A4319110306	AQ Velocity	17280	2
PC	A4218110208	AQ Digit	17275	3



Thank You