

# CUSTOMER SHOPPING BEHAVIOUR REPORT

## 1. Project Overview

This project analyzes customer shopping behavior using transactional data from 3900 purchases across various product categories. The goal is to uncover insights into spending patterns, customer segments, product preferences, and subscription behavior to guide strategic business decisions.

## 2. Dataset Summary

3900 Rows

18 columns

Missing data – Some rows particularly with the ratings review had null values

## 3. Exploratory Data Analysis using Python

I began with data preparation and cleaning in Python:

- Data Loading: Imported the dataset using pandas.
- Initial Exploration: Used `df.info()` to check structure and `.describe()` for summary statistics.
- Column Standardization: Renamed columns to snake case for better readability and documentation.
- Feature Engineering: ○ Created `age_group` column by binning customer ages. ○ Created `purchase_frequency_days` column from purchase data.
- Data Consistency Check: Verified if `discount_applied` and `promo_code_used` were redundant; dropped `promo_code_used`.

## 4. Data Analysis using SQL (Business Transactions)

I performed structured analysis in PostgreSQL to answer key business questions:

1. Revenue by Gender – Compared total revenue generated by male vs. female customers.
2. High-Spending Discount Users – Identified customers who used discounts but still spent above the average purchase amount
3. Top 5 Products by Rating – Found products with the highest average review ratings.
4. Shipping Type Comparison – Compared average purchase amounts between Standard and Express shipping.
5. Subscribers vs. Non-Subscribers – Compared average spend and total revenue across subscription status.

6. Discount-Dependent Products – Identified 5 products with the highest percentage of discounted purchases.
7. Customer Segmentation – Classified customers into New, Returning, and Loyal segments based on purchase history.
8. Top 3 Products per Category – Listed the most purchased products within each category.
9. Repeat Buyers & Subscriptions – Checked whether customers with >5 purchases are more likely to subscribe.
10. Revenue by Age Group – Calculated total revenue contribution of each age group.