Best Selling Home Goods & Gifts

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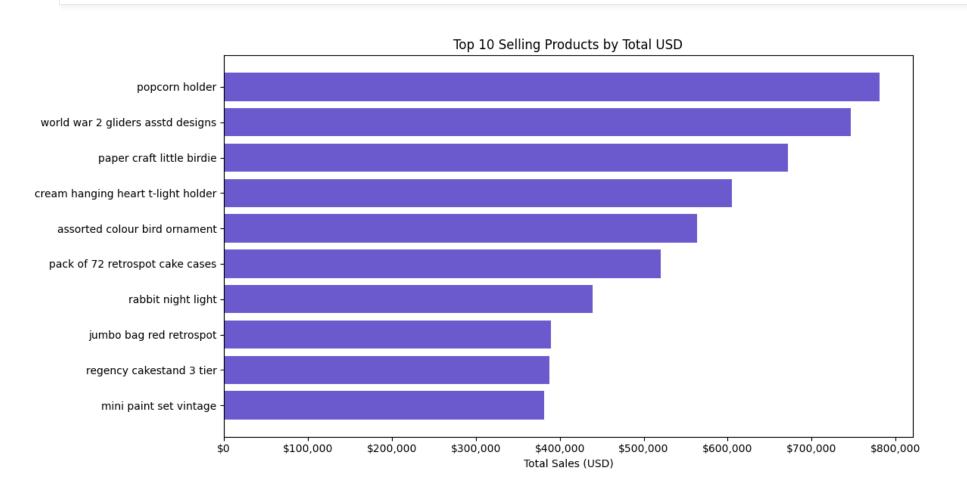
Project overview & goals

- Thank you for the opportunity to support your upcoming ecommerce launch.
- As a new business with limited resources, you've shared that your goal is to focus on high-demand products with strong turnover for your initial launch. You also aim to stand out through custom-designed offerings.
- The objective is to identify which products and themes your business should prioritize in order to maximize early revenue and build momentum.

Methodology

- Kaggle Dataset
- To guide your **product design** and **sales strategy**, I've analyzed a year's worth of realworld sales data from a London-based e-commerce company specializing in home goods and gift items. The dataset includes over 500,000 transactions across Europe and has been **converted to USD** for ease of interpretation.
- A **total revenue** in USD of the product price and quantity sold was added to calculate highest revenue earning products.
- Identified top-performing products by sales volume and revenue.
- Extracted frequent keywords from product names to detect popular themes and products.
- Generated visualizations to show performance **over time** and by **category**.

Top Products by Revenue

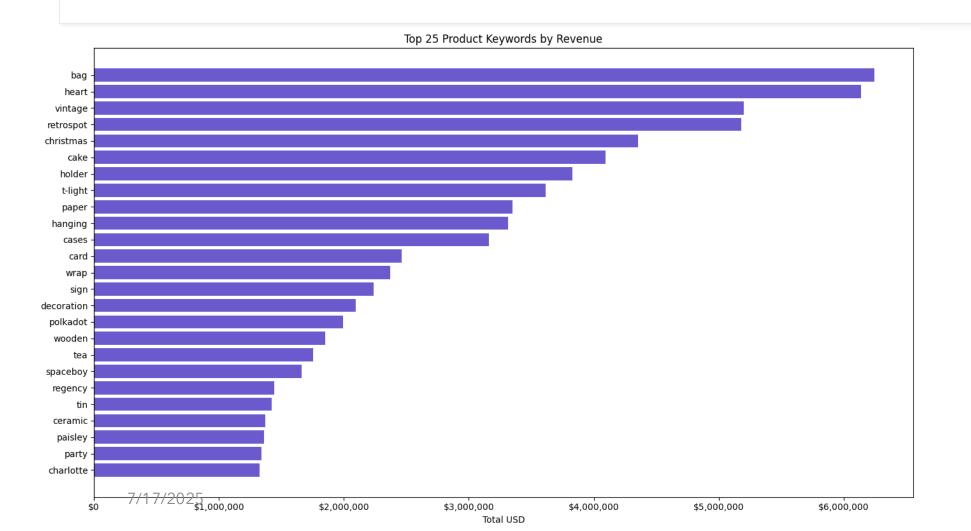


Total Revenue: \$80,741,146.31

Total Products:

- Identified top-selling products by total revenue
- Focus on highrevenue items for initial launch
- Prioritize inventory and marketing accordingly

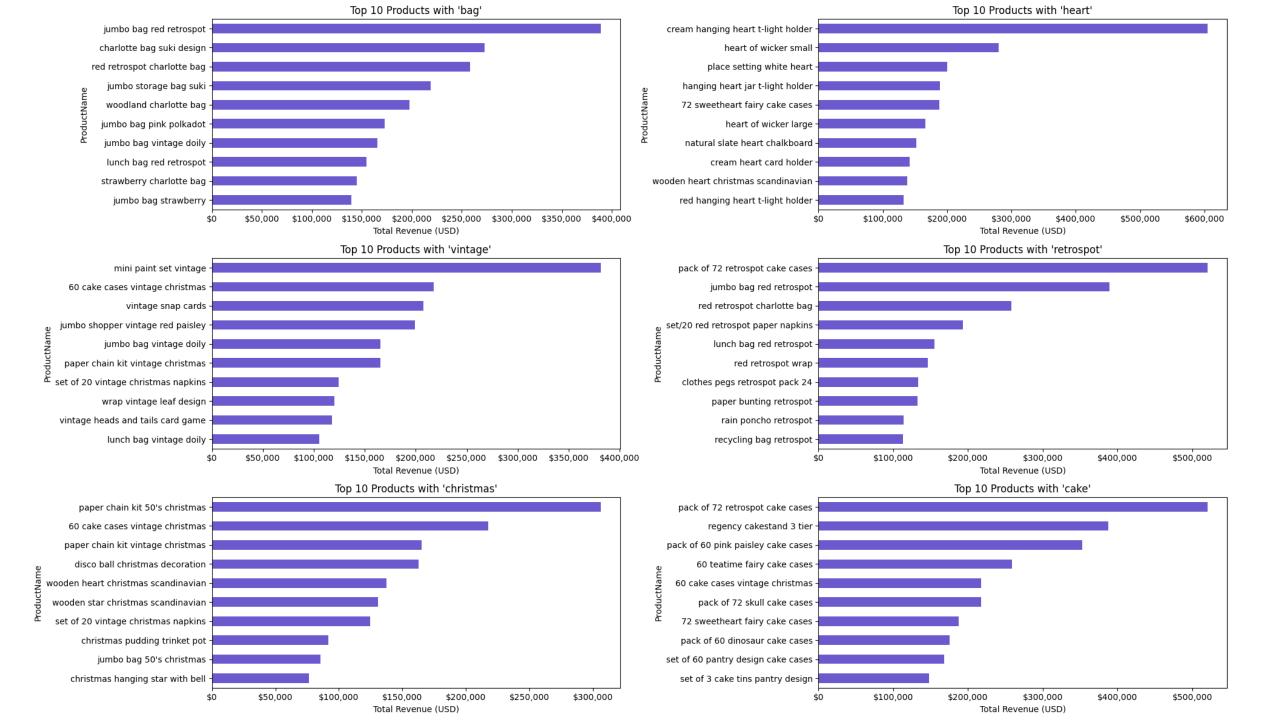
Top Keywords by Revenue



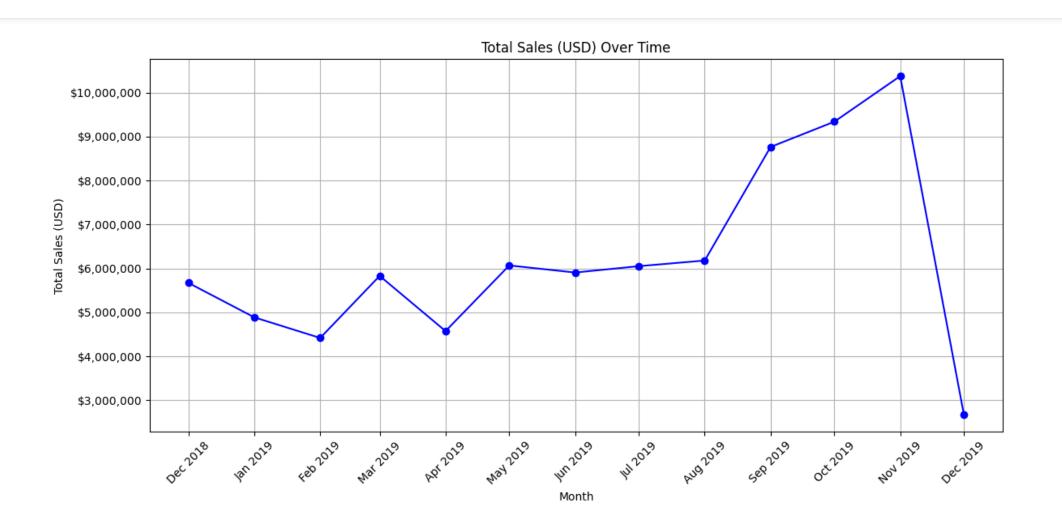
Total Revenue: \$80,741,146.31

Total Products: 3,768

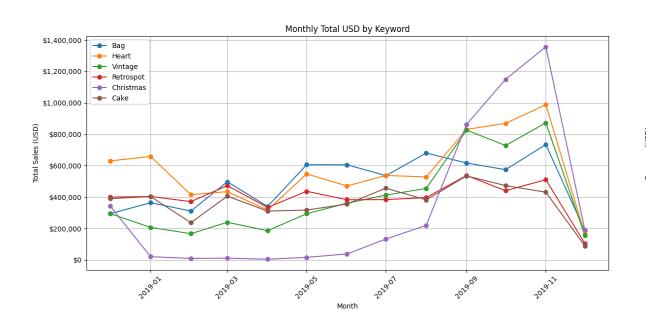
- Analyzed popular product keywords in product names
- Insights guide design and marketing focus
- Next slide contains break down of keywords into products

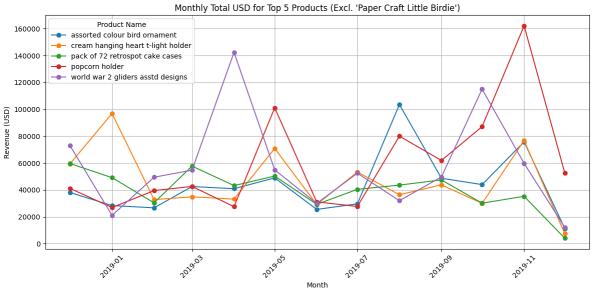


Total Sales Over Year



Monthly Totals by Top Products & Keywords





Recommendations

- Popcorn holders, WW2 foam gliders, paper craft birds, tlight holders, and bird ornaments all show high individual sales.
- Bags, heart-shaped décor, Christmas, and cake accessories are **product keywords** with highest revenue.
- Vintage and retro spot are **design feature keywords** with highest revenue.

Recommendations

- Overall sales for these products are gradual over the year, then greatly incline starting in September and increasing through November, followed by a drastic decline in December.
- Christmas sales are near zero from December through June, and dramatically increase in September through November.
- WW2 gliders show a trend deviation as there is a significant increase in sales during April.

Next Steps & Conclusion

- **Create designs** for popcorn holders, WW2 gliders, and tealight holders.
- **Create designs** for products with keywords of bag, heart, vintage, retro spot, and cake.
- **Be wary** on products for Christmas They are a confirmed source of revenue, but may lead to poor turn-over if not sold by November.

Next Steps & Conclusion

• As sales begin to incline in August, it may be best for **operations to start in June and July** depending on marketing strategies. Beginning operations before inclining sales allows for time to gain market awareness and work out any work through any initial challenges, ensuring a smooth launch.

Appendix

- Jupyter Notebook
- Data Journal
- Github

Appendix

- Some items can appear under multiple keywords - Consider combining keywords, like vintage bag, for potentially successful combinations.
- Paper craft birds have an usual trend in quantity, and were therefore discredited from conclusive results.
- Data cleaning processes for this dataset were limited as this was a cleaned Kaggle dataset.

