

# Data Cleaning Questions

*Based on Mobile Reviews Sentiment.csv*

## General Structure

1. Check for and remove duplicate rows (e.g., same `review_id` or repeated reviews).
2. Verify that each `review_id` is unique.
3. Drop unnecessary columns if they are not useful for analysis.

## Text Cleaning

1. Standardize the `customer_name` field (remove leading/trailing spaces, consistent casing).
2. Normalize the `sentiment` column to consistent categories (e.g., `positive`, `negative`, `neutral`).
3. Ensure the `language` column values are valid ISO codes (e.g., `en`, `es`).

## Date & Time

1. Convert `review_date` into a proper date format (YYYY-MM-DD).
2. Extract `year`, `month`, and `day` into separate columns.
3. Check for missing or inconsistent dates (e.g., future dates).

## Numerical Consistency

1. Ensure `price_usd`, `price_local`, and `exchange_rate_to_usd` align correctly ( $\text{price\_local} / \text{exchange\_rate\_to\_usd} = \text{price\_usd}$ ).
2. Check that all rating columns (`battery_life_rating`, `camera_rating`, `performance_rating`, `design_rating`, `display_rating`) are within a valid range (e.g., 1–5).
3. Validate that `review_length` and `word_count` match the content of `review_text`.
4. Ensure `helpful_votes` are non-negative integers.

## Categorical Data

1. Standardize **brand** and **model** names (e.g., unify **Samsung** vs **SAMSUNG**).
2. Verify that all **currency** values are valid (e.g., **USD**, **INR**, **BRL**, etc.).
3. Clean the **source** column (standardize platform names like **Amazon**, **Flipkart**, etc.).

## New Features

1. Create a binary column for **verified\_purchase** (1 = True, 0 = False).
2. Derive a **review sentiment score** from the categorical sentiment labels.
3. Create an overall **average rating** per review from all rating sub-categories.
4. Add a column categorizing reviews into **short**, **medium**, or **long** based on **word\_count**.