

Complete Chocolate Sales SQL Business Analysis Report

1. Database Overview

Database Name: sales_analysis
Table: chocolate_sales
Columns:
- sale_id: Unique identifier for each sale
- sales_person: Name of the salesperson
- country: Country where sale occurred
- product: Product sold
- sale_date: Date of transaction
- amount: Revenue generated from the sale
- boxes_shipped: Number of boxes shipped in the sale
This database tracks transactional chocolate sales across multiple countries, products, and salespersons. It enables revenue analysis, performance measurement, market evaluation, and strategic decision-making.

2. Business Questions, SQL Queries, Outcomes & Insights

- What is the total revenue generated?
- What is the monthly revenue trend?
- Which month had the highest sales?
- What is the average sales amount per order?
- How many total boxes were shipped?
- Which country generates the highest revenue?
- Which country ships the most boxes?
- What is the average order value per country?
- Which country has declining sales over time?
- What percentage of total revenue comes from each country?
- Which product generates the highest revenue?
- Which product sells the most boxes?
- What is the least performing product?
- What is the revenue contribution by each product?
- Which product performs best in each country?
- Who is the top-performing salesperson by revenue?
- Who sold the most boxes?
- What is the average sale per salesperson?
- Which salesperson performs best in each country?
- Who has the most consistent monthly performance?
- What are the yearly sales trends?
- Are there any seasonal trends?
- Which day/month had the highest single sale?
- What is the revenue per box shipped?
- Which product has the highest revenue per box?
- Are higher box shipments always generating higher revenue?
- What is the growth rate month-over-month?

Who should receive a performance bonus based on revenue?
Identify top 3 products in each country.
Find salespersons whose revenue is above average.

SQL Quires:

Create Database

```
CREATE DATABASE sales_analysis;
```

Create Table

```
CREATE TABLE chocolate_sales (
    sale_id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
    sales_person VARCHAR(100),
    country VARCHAR(100),
    product VARCHAR(100),
    sale_date DATE,
    amount NUMERIC(12,2),
    boxes_shipped INTEGER
);
```

Insert CSV to PostgreSQL

```
COPY sales(sales_person, country, product, sale_date, amount, boxes_shipped)
FROM 'file path here'
DELIMITER ','
CSV HEADER;
```

-- What is the total revenue generated?

```
select sum(amount) from chocolate_sales
```

-- What is the monthly revenue trend?

```
select extract(month from sale_date) as by_month, sum(amount) as total_sales from
chocolate_sales
group by sale_date
order by total_sales DESC
limit 5;
```

-- Which month had the highest sales?

```
select extract(month from sale_date) as thismonth, max(amount) as highest_sale
from chocolate_sales
group by sale_date
order by highest_sale desc
limit 5;
```

-- What is the average sales amount per order?

```
select round(avg(amount/boxes_shipped),2) as
average_amount_per_order
from chocolate_sales
```

-- How many total boxes were shipped?

```
select sum(boxes_shipped) from chocolate_sales
```

-- Which country generates the highest revenue?

```
select country, max(amount) as highest_sale from chocolate_sales  
group by country  
order by highest_sale desc;
```

--Which country ships the most boxes?

```
select country, max(boxes_shipped) as most_boxes from chocolate_sales  
group by country  
order by most_boxes desc;
```

-- What is the average order value per country?

```
select country, round(avg(amount/boxes_shipped),2) as average_order_value  
from chocolate_sales  
group by country  
order by average_order_value desc;
```

-- Which country has declining sales over time?

```
select extract(year from sale_date) as yearly, country, sum(amount) from chocolate_sales  
group by "country", yearly  
order by "country", yearly desc;
```

-- What percentage of total revenue comes from each country?

```
select country, round(100 * sum(amount)/sum(sum(amount)) over() ,2) as pert_by_country  
from chocolate_sales  
group by country  
order by pert_by_country desc;
```

-- Which product generates the highest revenue?

```
select product, max(amount) as highest_rev from chocolate_sales  
group by product  
order by highest_rev desc;
```

-- Which product sells the most boxes?

```
select product, max(boxes_shipped) as most_boxes from chocolate_sales  
group by product  
order by most_boxes desc;
```

-- What is the least performing product?

```
select product, sum(amount) as weak_prod from chocolate_sales  
group by product  
order by weak_prod asc limit 1;
```

-- What is the revenue contribution by each product?

```
select product, sum(amount), round(100 * sum(amount)/ sum(sum(amount)) over() ,2) as  
rev_cont from chocolate_sales  
group by product  
order by rev_cont desc;
```

-- Which product performs best in each country?

```
select country, product, sum(amount) as total_amount from chocolate_sales  
group by country, product  
order by total_amount desc;
```

```
select country, product, sum(amount) as rev,  
rank() over(partition by country order by sum(amount) desc)  
from chocolate_sales  
group by country, product;
```

-- Who is the top-performing salesperson by revenue?

```
select sales_person, max(amount) as top_saller from chocolate_sales  
group by sales_person  
order by top_saller desc  
limit 3;
```

-- Who sold the most boxes?

```
select sales_person, max(boxes_shipped) as most_boxes from chocolate_sales  
group by sales_person  
order by most_boxes desc  
limit 3;
```

-- What is the average sale per salesperson?

```
select sales_person, round(avg(amount),2) as avg_sales from chocolate_sales  
group by sales_person  
order by avg_sales desc;
```

-- Which salesperson performs best in each country?

```
select sales_person, country, sum(boxes_shipped) as total_boxes, sum(amount) as  
total_Sales,  
rank() over(partition by sales_person order by sum(boxes_shipped), sum(amount) desc)  
from chocolate_sales  
group by sales_person,country;
```

-- Who has the most consistent monthly performance?

```
select sales_person, sum(amount) as total_sales,  
rank() over(partition by sales_person)  
from chocolate_sales  
group by sales_person, extract(month from sale_date)  
order by total_sales desc  
limit 1;
```

-- What are the yearly sales trends?

```
select extract(year from sale_date) as yearly, sum(amount) as total_Sales  
from chocolate_sales  
group by yearly  
order by total_sales desc;
```

-- Are there any seasonal trends?

```
select extract(month from sale_date) as monthly, sum(amount) as total_Sales  
from chocolate_sales  
group by monthly  
order by monthly asc;
```

-- Which day/month had the highest single sale?

```
select extract(month from sale_date) as monthly,  
extract(day from sale_date) as daily,  
sum(amount) as total_Sales  
from chocolate_sales  
group by monthly, daily  
order by monthly, daily asc;
```

-- What is the revenue per box shipped?

```
select round(sum(amount) / sum(boxes_shipped),2) rev_per_box  
from chocolate_sales;
```

-- Which product has the highest revenue per box?

```
select product, max(amount) as highest_rev from chocolate_sales  
group by product  
order by highest_rev desc  
limit 5;
```

-- Are higher box shipments always generating higher revenue?

```
SELECT CORR(boxes_shipped, amount) AS correlation  
FROM chocolate_sales;
```

-- What is the growth rate month-over-month?

```
SELECT  
month,  
revenue,  
ROUND(  
    100.0 * (revenue - LAG(revenue) OVER (ORDER BY month))  
    / LAG(revenue) OVER (ORDER BY month),  
    2) AS mom_growth_pct  
FROM (  
    SELECT  
        extract(month from sale_date) AS month,  
        SUM(amount) AS revenue
```

```
FROM chocolate_sales  
GROUP BY month  
) t;
```

-- Who should receive a performance bonus based on revenue?

```
select sales_person, sum(amount) as per  
from chocolate_sales  
group by sales_person  
order by per desc  
limit 3;
```

-- Identify top 3 products in each country.

```
select * from  
(  
select country, product, sum(amount) as rev,  
rank() over(partition by country order by sum(amount) desc) as rnk  
from chocolate_sales  
group by country, product  
)  
where rnk <= 3;
```

-- Find salespersons whose revenue is above average.

```
select sales_person, sum(amount) as rev  
from chocolate_sales  
group by sales_person  
having sum(amount) > (  
select avg(total_rev) from (  
select sum(amount) as total_rev  
from chocolate_sales  
group by sales_person  
)  
);
```

3. Strategic Insights & Recommendations

- Invest more in highest revenue country and expand distribution.
- Increase inventory before peak months identified in trend analysis.
- Promote top-performing products aggressively.
- Re-evaluate lowest performing products.
- Reward top revenue-generating salespersons.
- Use revenue-per-box metric to optimize pricing.
- Monitor correlation between volume and revenue to balance strategy.