

# Data Description

The data consists of 5 tables, and ranges from 2017/01/01 to 2017/07/31. We included more than 200 merchants using Cainiao's integrated warehousing and fulfillment service, and more than 200 merchants who managed their own inventory and fulfillment.

The first table is the detailed information about customer orders on Tmall for those merchants. The description of the schema is as follows:

## 1. customer\_order\_data

Field	Data Type	Description	Sample
day	string	Date of payment	20170101
order_id	string	ID of the order	123456
item_det_info	string	Includes item id, quantity and payment amount for all items in the order	123:2:4.5;234:2:35.5. Note that different items are separated by “;”, and the information for each item is separated by “:”. The meaning of the fields are item id, quantity, payment amount. Note that the payment amount is the total payment for all quantity of this item.
pay_timestamp	string	Time of payment (rounded to 1 mins intervals)	2017-01-01 08:50:00 All timestamp are based on Beijing time.
buyer_id	string	ID of the user who placed the order	111
promise_speed	int	Promised delivery speed	1: same day delivery, 2: next day delivery, 0 or null :no promise
if_cainiao	int	Whether the order is delivered from cainiao's warehouse, i.e., did this order use Cainiao's warehousing and delivery service	0: not delivered from cainiao warehouse, 1: delivered from cainiao warehouse

merchant_id	string	ID of the merchant	222
Logistics_review_score	int	User's review score on the logistic service	Scale from 1 to 5, and higher score represents better logistic service

The second table is the detailed inventory history. Note that we only have data for merchants using Cainiao's warehousing and fulfillment service. In this table, besides total inventory position, we also included replenishment and transfer inventory information. Note that besides replenishment and transfer, there are still other events which would alter the inventory position, such as return, lost inventory, etc. To simplify the matter, we do not include those detailed events since they are relatively rare. These rare events will result in the data has few percentage discrepancy. The description of the schema is as follows:

## 2. inventory\_data

Field	Data type	Description	Sample
day	string	Date of the inventory snapshot	20170101
item_id	string	ID of item	123
warehouse_id	int	ID of the warehouse	1
warehouse_city_id	int	City id of the warehouse	22
total_begin_qty	int	Total item quantity at the beginning of the day	300
total_end_qty	int	Total item quantity at the end of the day	400
Replen_in_qty	int	Total replenishment inventory received	100
transfer_in_qty	int	Total transfer-in inventory received	100
sale_out_qty	int	Total sale-out inventory	100
transfer_out_qty	int	Total transfer-out inventory sent	100

The third table is about the meta-data for each item, including merchant, brand, and category information. The description of the schema is as follows:

### 3. item\_view\_data

Field	Data type	Description	Sample
date	string	Date of item view	20170101
item_id	string	ID of the item	123
front_page_item_id	string	ID of the item at the e-commerce website	456
merchant_id	int	ID of the merchant	12
brand_id	int	ID of the brand of the item	11
category_id	int	ID of the main category of the item	1
sub_category_id	int	ID of the sub category of the item	2
pc_pv	int	Total page view on pc	100
app_pv	int	Total unique visitor count on app	70
pc_uv	int	Total unique visitor count on pc	50
app_uv	int	Total page view on app	150
if_cainiao	boolean	Whether the item is delivered by Cainiao's warehousing and fulfillment service	1: Use Cainiao's warehouse, 0: not use Cainiao's warehouse

The fourth table is about the aggregated online traffic and review information for each merchant, aggregated at the sub category level. The description of the schema is as follows:

#### 4. merchant\_category\_data

Field	Data type	description	sample
day	string	Date of the snapshot	20170101
merchant_id	string	ID of the merchant	5
subcategory_id	int	ID of the sub category	1
pc_pv	int	Total page view on pc	100
pc_uv	int	Total unique visitor count on pc	20
app_pv	int	Total page view on app	150
app_uv	int	Total unique visitor count on app	30
avg_logistic_review_score	double	Average review score on logistic service	4.5 (range in 1-5)
avg_order_quality_score	double	Average review score on order quality. Here, order quality means the quality of products in the order	4.4 (range in 1-5)
avg_service_quality_score	double	Average review score on service quality. Here service quality means the quality of online purchase service	4.6 (range in 1-5)
if_cainiao	boolean	Whether the merchant uses Cainiao's warehousing and fulfillment service	1: Use Cainiao's warehouse, 0: not use Cainiao's warehouse

The fifth table is about the detailed information on the fulfillment logistics, including the carrier selected, the dispatch of the package, the arrival and departure of the package at each facility of the logistics network, and the acceptance of the package by the customer. Please note that this table also includes the orders that do not use Cainiao's warehouse and fulfillment service. The description of the schema is as follows:

## 5. logistics\_detail\_data

Field	Data type	Description	Sample
order_id	string	ID of the purchase order	12345
order_date	string	Date of the payment of the order	20170101
logistic_order_id	string	ID of the logistic order	123451
action	string	CONSIGN: dispatch of the package from warehouse/merchant GOT: package received by the carrier ARRIVAL: arrive at the facility DEPARTURE: leave the facility SENT_SCAN: package left the delivery station SIGNED: the buyer received the package TRADE_SUCCESS: confirm the order is delivered FAILURE: fail to deliver the order	arrival
facility_id	int	The facility that handles the package at this particular event.	12
facility_type	int	Type of the facility. 1: delivery station 2. logistic transfer center Null: no facility or facility type not categorized	1
city_id	int	ID of the city	1
logistic_company_id	int	ID of the company that delivers the package	1
timestamp	string	Time that the event happened	2017-01-01 08:50:00

Data\_1.csv to data\_7.csv contains the order and logistic data of each month and data\_8.csv contains the data of item, inventory and seller.