Sales analysis

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Business scenario & questions

Walmart is one of the world's largest retailers with more than 10500 stores over 24 countries. In this presentation, I would like to analyse the store sales data from Walmart to find out the reasons that may impact sales, such as store size, unemployment rate, and holidays.

- What is the sales trend overall?
- What are the reasons that would impact sales?
 - Stores
 - Store size
 - Store type
 - Unemployment rate
 - Promotions
 - Holiday seasons
 - Anything else

Audience & Benefits

• Audience:

- Management from retailers or those who would assign resources in retail companies
- Marketing team
- Merchandise team

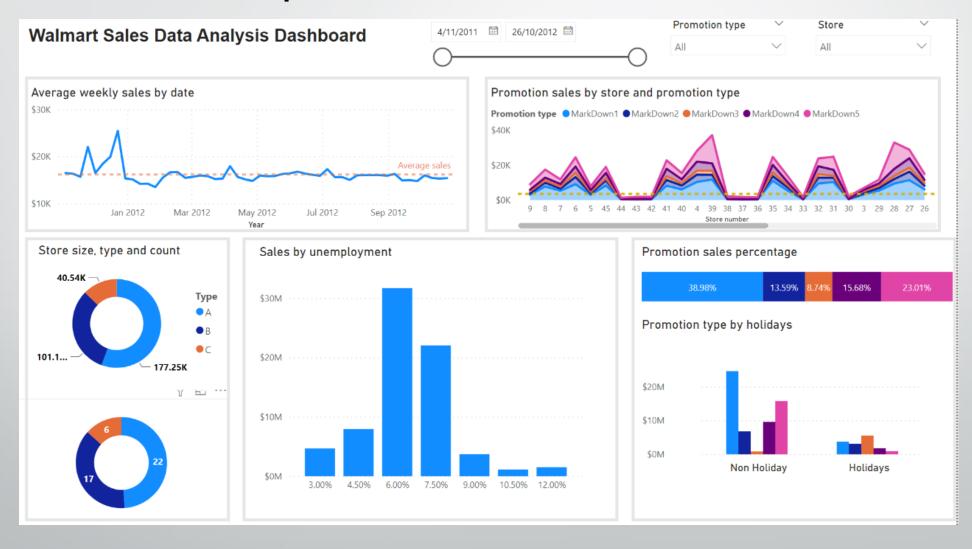
Benefits:

- Identify the reasons might impact sales
- Track sales metrics
- Efficient allocation on resources
- Better decision making for merchandise team

About the report

- Dataset: Walmart sales dataset
- Analysis method: Line Chart, area chart, bar/column chart, donut chart.
- Platform: Power BI

Dashboard preview

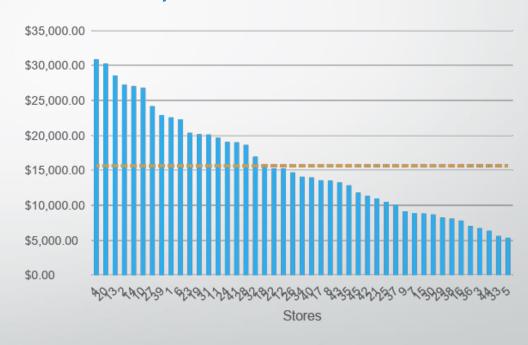


Business insights: overview

Sales by time



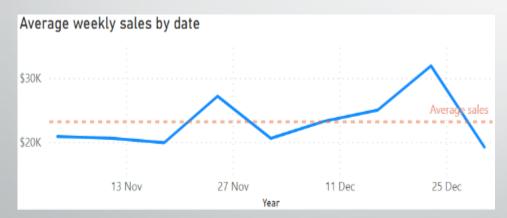
Sales by stores



Business insights: stores



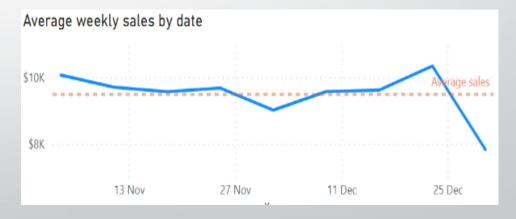
All stores view



Type A store view

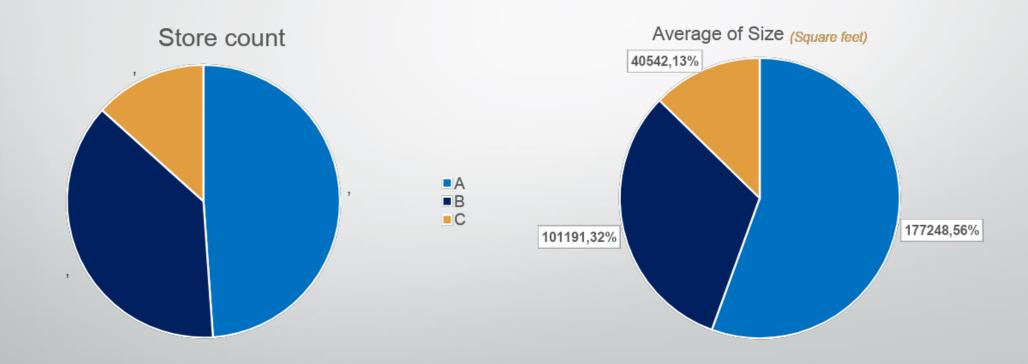


Type B store view

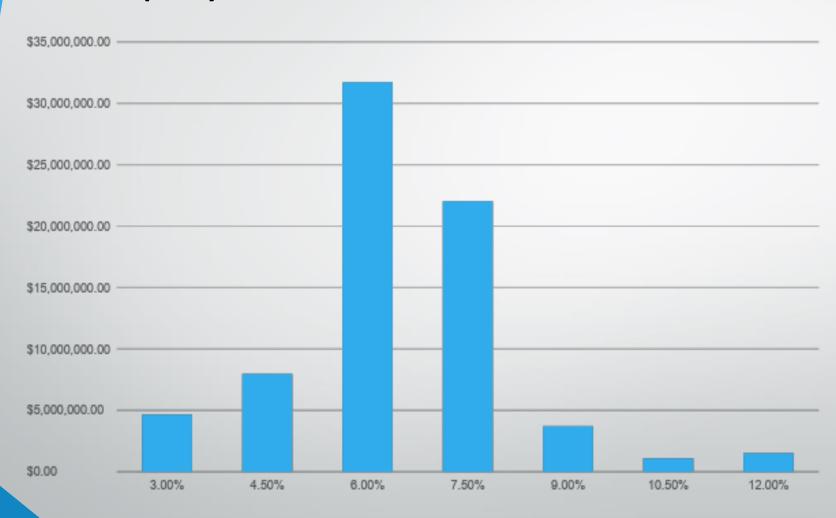


Type C store view

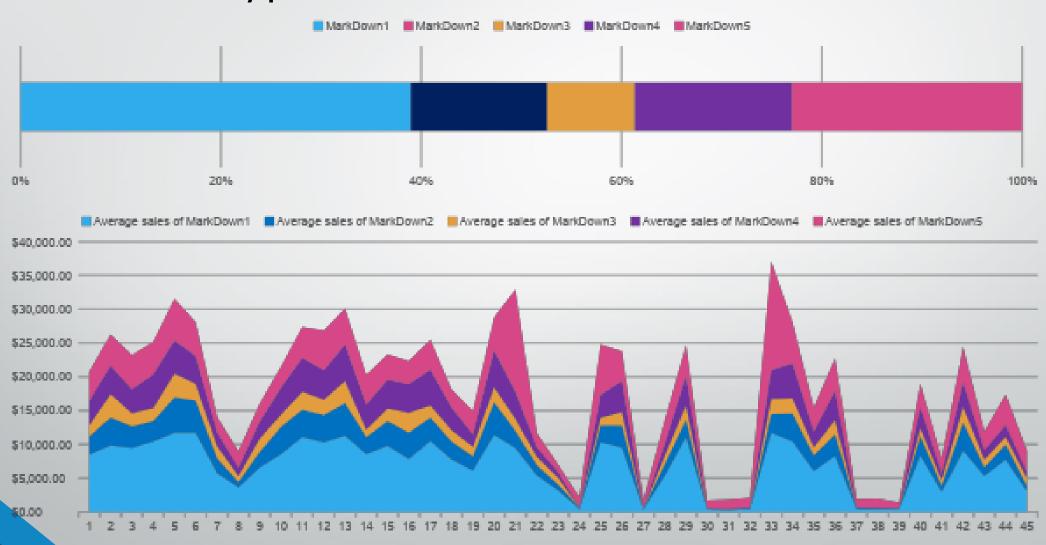
Stores: size and type



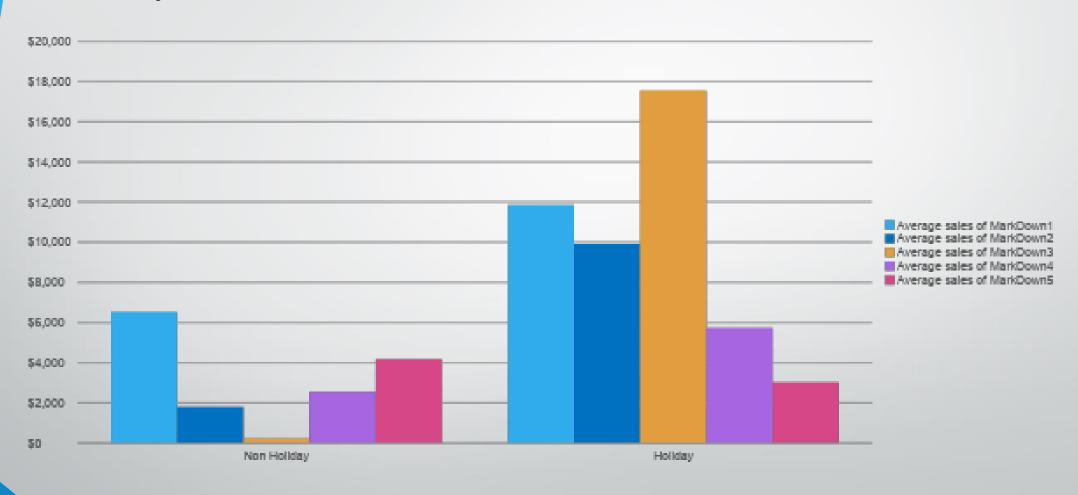
Unemployment



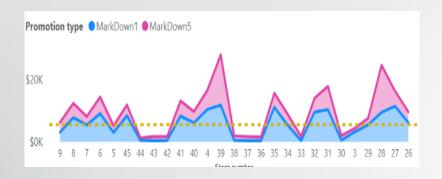
Promotion types



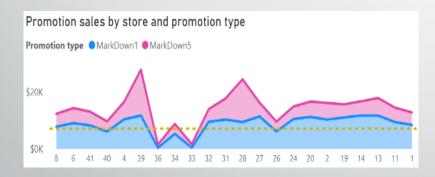
Holiday seasons



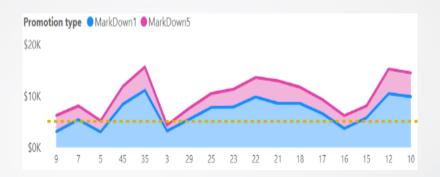
MarkDown 1 vs MarkDown 5



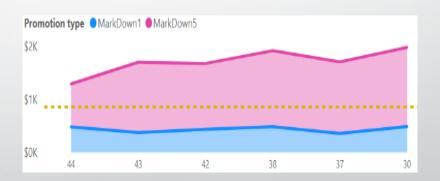
All store types view



store type A view



store type B view



store type C view

Suggestions and conclusion

- Bigger stores contribute more revenues.
- Unemployment rate won't have huge impact on sales, it's a good opportunity to have more promotions when it is around 6%-7%
- Promotion 5 is not suitable for holidays
- Keeping running Promotion 1 if possible

Thank you