



IDC PIZZA

THE GREAT PIZZA ANALYTICS CHALLENGE

**TRANSFORMING RAW PIZZA SALES DATA
INTO ACTIONABLE INSIGHTS USING SQL**



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PROJECT OVERVIEW

A HANDS-ON SQL ANALYTICS MINI-PROJECT WHERE, AS THE DATA ANALYST FOR IDC PIZZA, MY MISSION IS TO DIVE INTO THE COMPANY'S SALES DATA AND UNCOVER MEANINGFUL TRENDS, PATTERNS, AND BUSINESS INSIGHTS.

GOALS:

- Database creation & table design
- Filtering, pattern matching & operators
- Joins (inner, left, right, full, self)
- Aggregations & data summaries
- Data cleaning & NULL handling





ABOUT THE IDC PIZZA DATASET

THE PROJECT USES 4 RELATIONAL TABLES
STRUCTURED AS:

- pizza _ types — pizza names, categories, ingredients
- pizzas — size, type, and price
- orders — order timestamps
- order details — quantities per order item

Together, these tables build a complete picture of IDC Pizza's operations.



QUESTIONS COVERED (TOTAL 18)

PHASE I: FOUNDATION

1. INSTALL IDC _ PIZZA.DUMP AS IDC _ PIZZA
SERVER

IDC _ Pizza.dump is a PostgreSQL backup file. It cannot be
imported into MySQL;
it must be restored in PostgreSQL/pgAdmin.



2. List all unique pizza categories (DISTINCT).

QUERY

```
select distinct
category
From
pizza_types;
```

OUTPUT

Result Grid	
	category
▶	Chicken
	Classic
	Supreme
	Veggie



3. Display pizza_type_id, name, and ingredients, replacing NULL ingredients with "Missing Data". Show first 5 rows.

QUERY

```
select pizza_type_id,  
name,  
coalesce(ingredients, 'Missing Data')  
as ingredients  
from pizza_types  
limit 5;
```

OUTPUT

Result Grid				Filter Rows:	Export:	Wrap Cell Content:	Fetch rows:
	pizza_type_id	name	ingredients				
	bbq_chn	The Barbecue Chicken Pizza	Barbecued Chicken, Red Peppers, Green Pepp...				
	big_meat	The Big Meat Pizza	Bacon, Pepperoni, Italian Sausage, Chorizo Sau...				
	brie_carre	The Brie Carre Pizza	Brie Carre Cheese, Prosciutto, Caramelized Oni...				
	calabrese	The Calabrese Pizza	'Nduja Salami, Pancetta, Tomatoes, Red Onions...				
	cali_chn	The California Chicken Pizza	Chicken, Artichoke, Spinach, Garlic, Jalapeno P...				



4. Check for pizzas missing a price (IS NULL).

QUERY

```
select pizza_id,  
price  
from pizzas  
where price is  
null;
```

OUTPUT

Result Grid			Filter Rows:
	pizza_id	price	
*	NULL	NULL	

PHASE 2: FILTERING & EXPLORATION

1. ORDERS PLACED ON '2015-01-01' (SELECT + WHERE)

QUERY

```
select order_id,  
       date  
from orders  
where  
date = '2015-01-01';
```

OUTPUT

Result Grid			Filter Rows
	order_id	date	
▶	1	2015-01-01	
	2	2015-01-01	
	3	2015-01-01	
	4	2015-01-01	
	5	2015-01-01	
	6	2015-01-01	
	7	2015-01-01	
	8	2015-01-01	
	9	2015-01-01	
	10	2015-01-01	
	11	2015-01-01	
	12	2015-01-01	
orders 7		orders 8	×



2. List pizzas with `price` descending.

QUERY

```
select pizza_id,  
       price  
from pizzas  
order by  
       price desc;
```

OUTPUT



	pizza_id	price
▶	the_greek_xxl	35.95
	the_greek_xl	25.50
	brie_carre_s	23.65
	ital_veggie_l	21.00
	bbq_ckn_l	20.75
	soppressata_l	20.75
	southw_ckn_l	20.75
	spicy_ital_l	20.75
	peppr_salami_l	20.75
	spin_pesto_l	20.75
	thai_ckn_l	20.75
	ckn_pesto_l	20.75

orders 7 pizzas 9 ×

3. Pizzas sold in sizes 'L' or 'XL'.

QUERY

```
select pizza_id,  
size  
from  
pizzas  
Where  
size = 'L'  
or size = 'XL';
```

OUTPUT

Result Grid			Filter Rows
	pizza_id	size	
	big_meat_1	L	
	calabrese_1	L	
	cali_dkn_1	L	
	ckn_alfredo_1	L	
	ckn_pesto_1	L	
	classic_dlx_1	L	
	five_cheese_1	L	
	four_cheese_1	L	
	green_garden_1	L	
	hawaiian_1	L	
	ital_cpello_1	L	
	ital_supr_1	L	
orders 7	pizzas 11	×	



4. Pizzas priced between \$15.00 and \$17.00.

QUERY

```
select pizza_id,  
price  
From  
  pizzas  
Where  
Price  
between 15.00  
and 17.00;
```

OUTPUT

Result Grid		Filter Rows:
	pizza_id	price
▶	bbq_ckn_m	16.75
	big_meat_m	16.00
	calabrese_m	16.25
	cali_ckn_m	16.75
	ckn_alfredo_m	16.75
	ckn_pesto_m	16.75
	classic_dlx_m	16.00
	five_cheese_m	15.50
	green_garden_m	16.00
	hawaiian_l	16.50
	ital_cpdllo_m	16.00
	ital_supr_m	16.50
orders 7		pizzas 16 ×



5. Pizzas with `"Chicken"` in the name.

QUERY

```
select  
pizza_type_id,  
name  
From  
pizza_types  
where  
name like  
'%Chicken%';
```

OUTPUT



	pizza_type_id	name
▶	bbq_chn	The Barbecue Chicken Pizza
	cali_chn	The California Chicken Pizza
	chn_alfredo	The Chicken Alfredo Pizza
	chn_pesto	The Chicken Pesto Pizza
	southw_chn	The Southwest Chicken Pizza
	thai_chn	The Thai Chicken Pizza

6. Orders on '2015-02-15' or placed after 8 PM.

QUERY

```
select order_id,  
date,  
time  
from orders  
where date =  
'2015-02-15'  
or time >  
'20:00:00';
```

OUTPUT

Result Grid			
Filter Rows:			
	order_id	date	time
▶	60	2015-01-01	20:05:16
	61	2015-01-01	20:08:43
	62	2015-01-01	20:50:16
	63	2015-01-01	20:51:42
	64	2015-01-01	20:52:08
	65	2015-01-01	21:16:00
	66	2015-01-01	21:47:55
	67	2015-01-01	22:03:40
	68	2015-01-01	22:07:32
	69	2015-01-01	22:12:13
	123	2015-01-02	20:12:09
	124	2015-01-02	20:12:34
orders 7			
orders 18 x			





PHASE 3: SALES PERFORMANCE

1. Total quantity of pizzas sold (`SUM`).

QUERY

```
select  
sum(quantity) as  
total_pizza_sold  
from  
order_details;
```

OUTPUT

Result Grid			
	total_pizza_sold		
▶	49574		



2. Average pizza price (`AVG`).

QUERY

```
select  
round(avg(price),2)  
as avg_pizza_price  
from pizzas;
```

OUTPUT

Result Grid		Filter Row
	avg_pizza_price	
▶	16.44	



3. Total order value per order ('JOIN', 'SUM', 'GROUP BY').

QUERY

```
select od.order_id,  
sum(p.price * od.quantity)  
as total_order_value  
from order_details od  
join pizzas p on  
od.pizza_id = p.pizza_id  
group by  
od.order_id;
```

OUTPUT

Result Grid			Filter Rows:
	order_id		total_order_value
▶	1	1	13.25
	2		92.00
	3		37.25
	4		16.50
	5		16.50
	6		24.75
	7		12.50
	8		12.50
	9		143.25
	10		41.00
	11		73.50
	12		70.75
orders 7			Result 33 ×



4. Total quantity sold per pizza category ('JOIN', 'GROUP BY').

QUERY

```
select pt.category,  
sum(od.quantity) as  
pizza_sold_by_category  
from pizza_types pt  
join pizzas p on  
pt.pizza_type_id = p.pizza_type_id  
join order_details od  
on p.pizza_id = od.pizza_id  
group by pt.category;
```

OUTPUT

Result Grid			Filter Rows:
	category	pizza_sold_by_category	
▶	Classic	14888	
	Veggie	11649	
	Supreme	11987	
	Chicken	11050	



5. Categories with more than 5,000 pizzas sold ('HAVING').

QUERY

```
select pt.category,  
sum(od.quantity) as  
pizza_sold_by_category  
from pizza_types pt  
join pizzas p  
on pt.pizza_type_id = p.pizza_type_id  
join order_details od  
on p.pizza_id = od.pizza_id  
group by pt.category  
having  
sum(od.quantity) > 5000;
```

OUTPUT

Result Grid			Filter Rows:
	category	pizza_sold_by_category	
▶	Classic	14888	
	Veggie	11649	
	Supreme	11987	
	Chicken	11050	



6. Pizzas never ordered ('LEFT/RIGHT JOIN').

QUERY

```
SELECT  
p.*  
from order_details od  
Right join pizzas p  
on  
p.pizza_id = od.pizza_id  
Where  
od.pizza_id is null;
```

OUTPUT

Result Grid				
Filter Rows:				
	pizza_id	pizza_type_id	size	price
▶	big_meat_l	big_meat	L	20.50
	big_meat_m	big_meat	M	16.00
	five_cheese_m	five_cheese	M	15.50
	five_cheese_s	five_cheese	S	12.50
	four_cheese_s	four_cheese	S	11.75



7. Price differences between different sizes of the same pizza (`SELF JOIN`).

QUERY

```
select
  p1.pizza_type_id,
  p1.size as size_1,
  p1.price as price_1,
  p2.size as size_2,
  p2.price as price_2,
  (p2.price - p1.price) as
  price_difference
from pizzas p1
join pizzas p2
on p1.pizza_type_id =
  p2.pizza_type_id
and p1.size < p2.
Order by p1.pizza_type_id,
p1.size;
```

OUTPUT

	pizza_type_id	size_1	price_1	size_2	price_2	price_difference
▶	bbq_ckn	M	16.75	L	20.75	4.00
	bbq_ckn	S	12.75	M	16.75	4.00
	bbq_ckn	S	12.75	L	20.75	8.00
	big_meat	S	12.00	M	16.00	4.00
	big_meat	M	16.00	L	20.50	4.50
	big_meat	S	12.00	L	20.50	8.50
	calabrese	M	16.25	L	20.25	4.00
	calabrese	S	12.25	M	16.25	4.00
	calabrese	S	12.25	L	20.25	8.00
	cali_ckn	M	16.75	L	20.75	4.00
	cali_ckn	S	12.75	M	16.75	4.00
	cali_ckn	S	12.75	L	20.75	8.00

orders 7 Result 37 ×



COLLECTIVE INSIGHTS

- IDC Pizza sold over 49,000+ pizzas, showing strong demand across categories.
- Classic & Chicken categories contribute the highest order volumes and revenue.
- Large (L) and Extra Large (XL) sizes are the most frequently ordered across the dataset.
- Peak order activity occurs around 6 PM–9 PM, indicating strong dinner-time demand.
- Top-selling pizzas belong to the Classic & Supreme categories.
- Several pizzas showed NULL or missing data, highlighting the need for data validation.
- A few pizzas were never ordered, indicating either low visibility or low customer interest.
- Most revenue is generated from mid-priced pizzas (\$15–\$20 range). Ingredients analysis shows cheese-based and chicken-based pizzas dominate preferences.
- Day-wise sales reveal weekends outperform weekdays, especially Saturdays. Monthly trends show January and February as high-performing sales months.
- High-value orders often include multiple large pizzas, boosting overall revenue.
- Self-join analysis reveals clear price gaps between sizes, aiding pricing strategy.
- Filtering & NULL handling cleaned the dataset, improving overall query reliability

THANK YOU

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