Charting Data with Excel

CHOOSING, CREATING, AND CHANGING CHART TYPES



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Overview



Common chart types

- Bar
- Column
- Line
- Area
- Pie

Inserting new charts

Changing chart types



Scenario







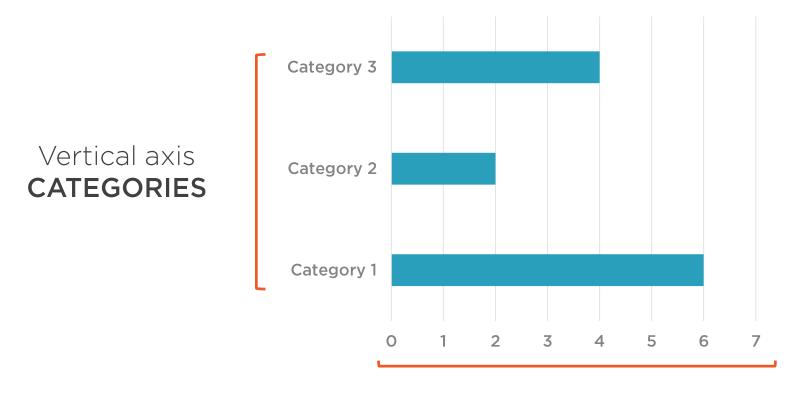






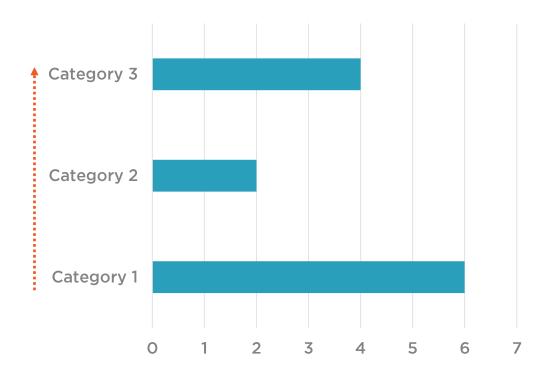
SALES REPORT

Monthly sales running total Number of stores by city **Total sales Total sales** by state by category

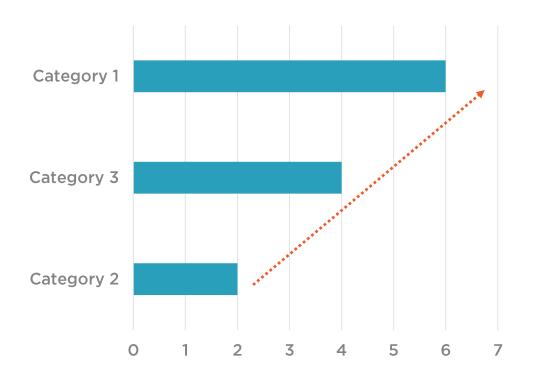


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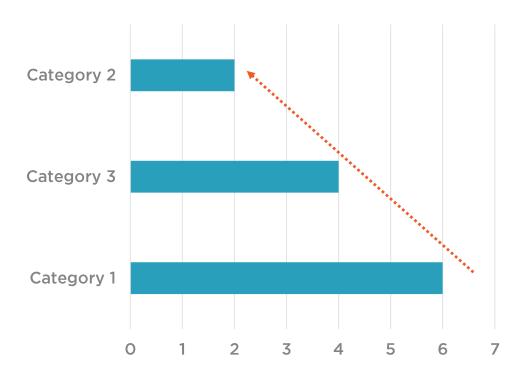






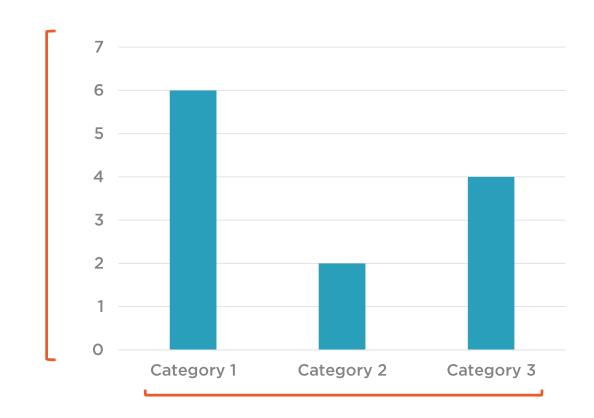






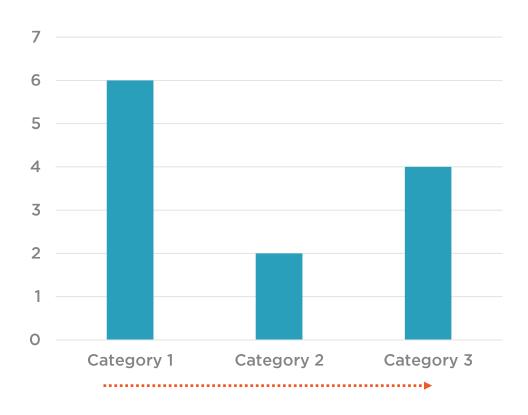


Vertical axis
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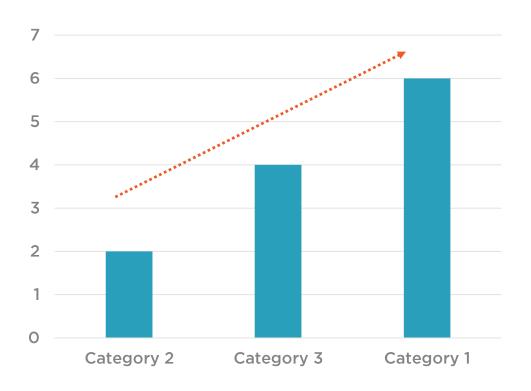


Horizontal axis **CATEGORIES**

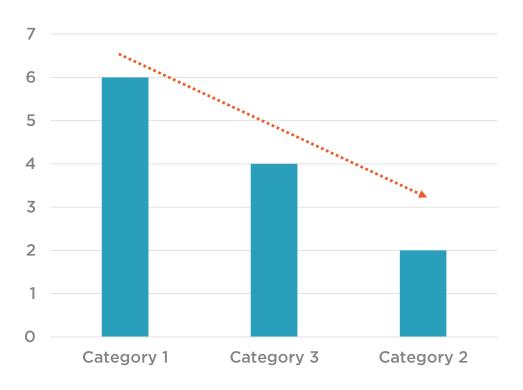






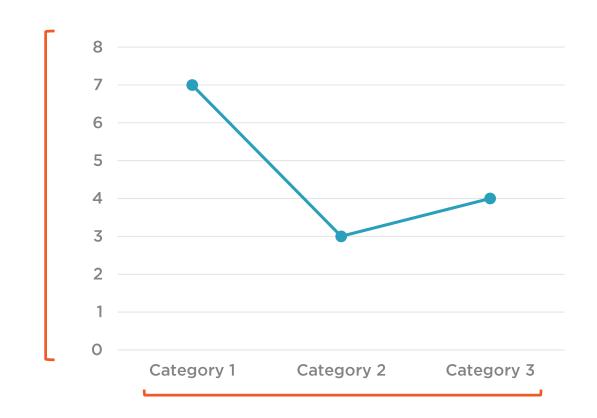






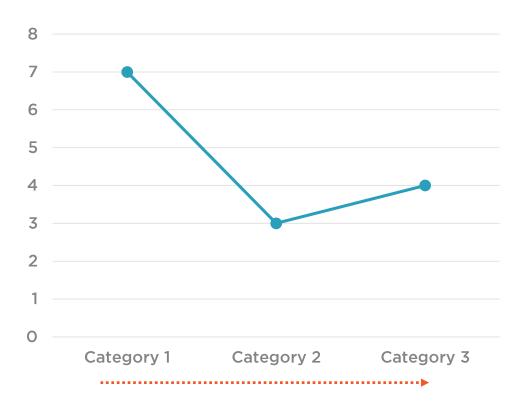


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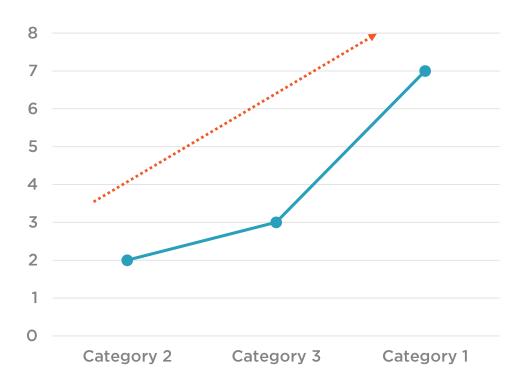


Horizontal axis **CATEGORIES**





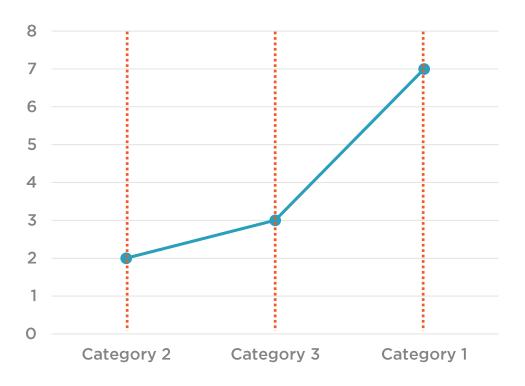




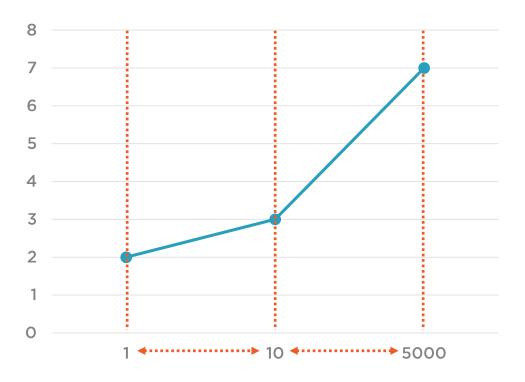








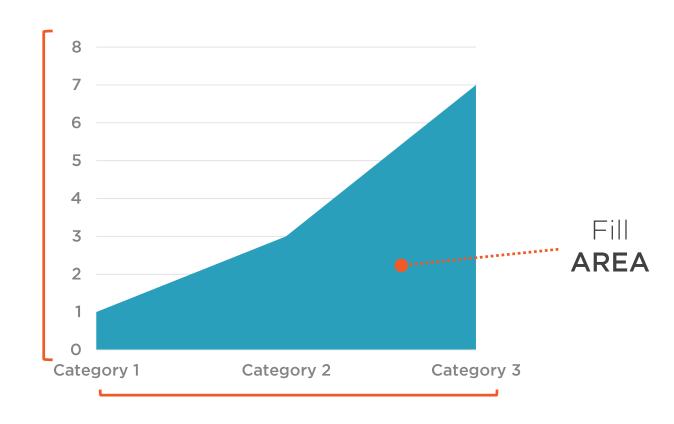






Area Chart

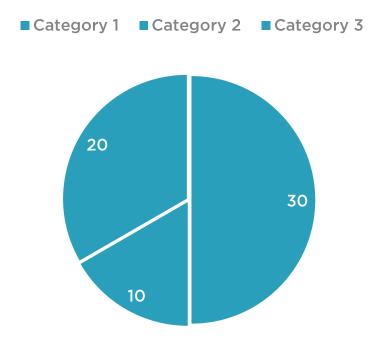
Vertical axis
VALUES



Horizontal axis **CATEGORIES**



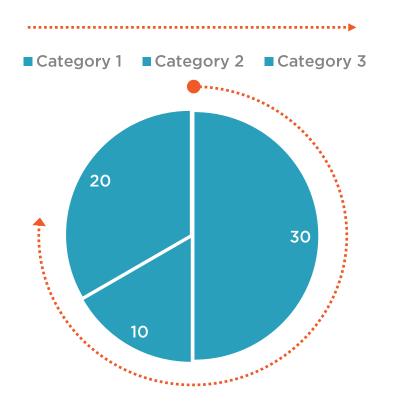
Pie Chart



Each slice represents one **CATEGORY**



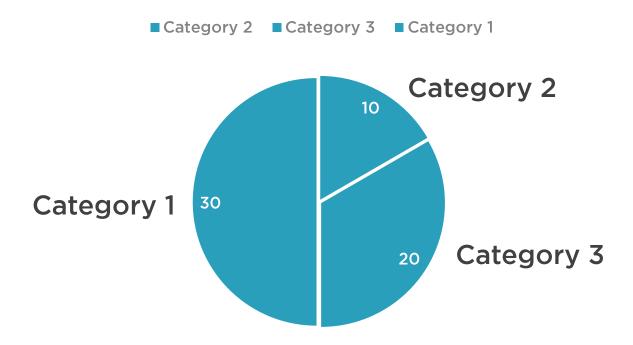
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Summary - Chart Types



Data table

Category-value pairs



Line chart

Show trends and continuity



Bar chart

Long category names



Area chart

Emphasize total over time



Column chart

Arbitrary category order

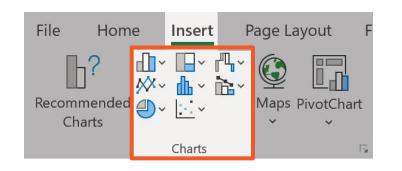


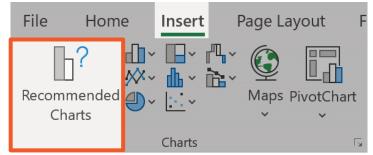
Pie chart

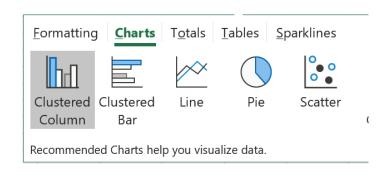
Show proportions



Summary - Creating Charts







Insert specific chart

Recommended charts

Quick Analysis tools



Summary - Changing Chart Types

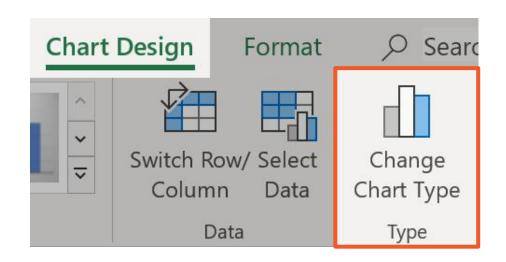


Chart Design ribbon

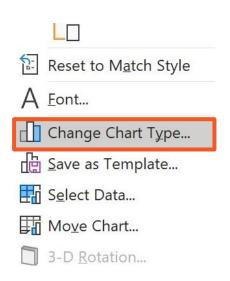


Chart context menu

