
Marketing & Retail Analytics

Part A - RFM

Agenda & Executive Summary of the Data

Problem Statement

An automobile parts manufacturing company has collected data on transactions for 3 years. They do not have any in-house data science team; thus, they have hired you as their consultant. Your job is to use your data science skills to find the underlying buying patterns of the customers, provide the company with suitable insights about their customers, and recommend customized marketing strategies for different segments of customers.

Info

- The data has 20 variables
- All variables does not any null values
- 1 datetime, 5 int, 2 float and 12 object variables
- All the variables have their respective datatypes

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<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 2747 entries, 0 to 2746
Data columns (total 20 columns):
#   Column                                Non-Null Count  Dtype
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0   ORDERNUMBER                          2747 non-null   int64
1   QUANTITYORDERED                      2747 non-null   int64
2   PRICEEACH                            2747 non-null   float64
3   ORDERLINENUMBER                      2747 non-null   int64
4   SALES                                2747 non-null   float64
5   ORDERDATE                            2747 non-null   datetime64[ns]
6   DAYS_SINCE_LASTORDER                 2747 non-null   int64
7   STATUS                               2747 non-null   object
8   PRODUCTLINE                          2747 non-null   object
9   MSRP                                 2747 non-null   int64
10  PRODUCTCODE                          2747 non-null   object
11  CUSTOMERNAME                         2747 non-null   object
12  PHONE                                2747 non-null   object
13  ADDRESSLINE1                         2747 non-null   object
14  CITY                                 2747 non-null   object
15  POSTALCODE                           2747 non-null   object
16  COUNTRY                              2747 non-null   object
17  CONTACTLASTNAME                      2747 non-null   object
18  CONTACTFIRSTNAME                     2747 non-null   object
19  DEALSIZE                             2747 non-null   object
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memory usage: 429.3+ KB
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Shape

The number of rows in the data set = 2747
The number of columns in the data set = 20

Summary - Numerical

- Quantity Ordered is normally distributed
- Price goes from 101 to 252. Right Skewed
- Sales is right skewed and have outliers

	count	mean	std	min	25%	50%	75%	max
ORDERNUMBER	2747.0	10259.76	91.88	10100.00	10181.00	10264.00	10334.50	10425.00
QUANTITYORDERED	2747.0	35.10	9.76	6.00	27.00	35.00	43.00	97.00
PRICEEACH	2747.0	101.10	42.04	26.88	68.74	95.55	127.10	252.87
ORDERLINENUMBER	2747.0	6.49	4.23	1.00	3.00	6.00	9.00	18.00
SALES	2747.0	3553.05	1838.95	482.13	2204.35	3184.80	4503.09	14082.80
DAYS_SINCE_LASTORDER	2747.0	1757.09	819.28	42.00	1077.00	1761.00	2436.50	3562.00
MSRP	2747.0	100.69	40.11	33.00	68.00	99.00	124.00	214.00

Summary - Object

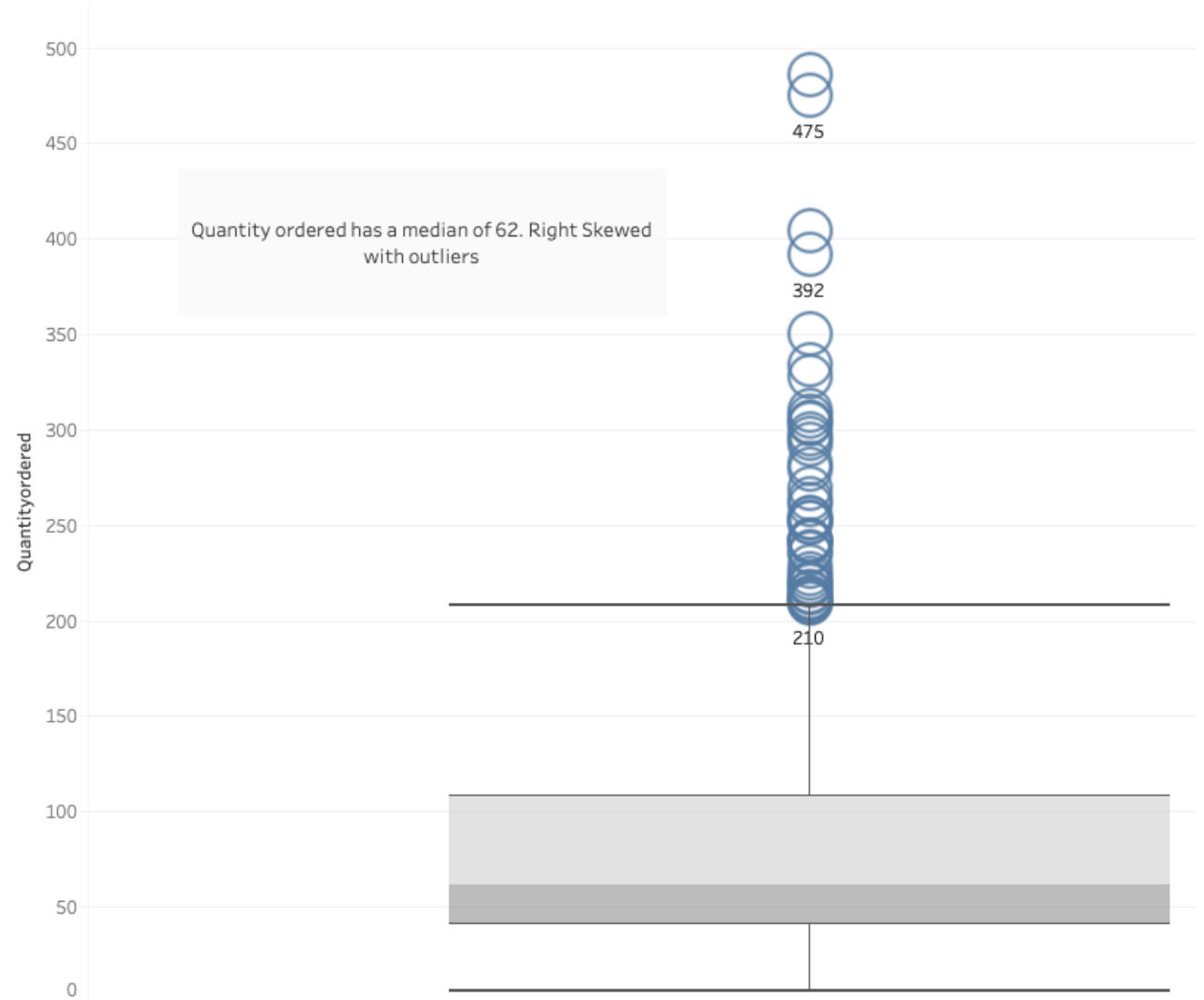
- Product Code had 109 unique SKU's
- There are 89 unique customers
- 71 unique cities and 19 unique countries
- Medium has the higher frequency in the deal size with 1349 out of 2747
- Classic cars is the highest ordered productline

	count	unique	top	freq
STATUS	2747	6	Shipped	2541
PRODUCTLINE	2747	7	Classic Cars	949
PRODUCTCODE	2747	109	S18_3232	51
CUSTOMERNAME	2747	89	Euro Shopping Channel	259
PHONE	2747	88	(91) 555 94 44	259
ADDRESSLINE1	2747	89	C/ Moralarzal, 86	259
CITY	2747	71	Madrid	304
POSTALCODE	2747	73	28034	259
COUNTRY	2747	19	USA	928
CONTACTLASTNAME	2747	76	Freyre	259
CONTACTFIRSTNAME	2747	72	Diego	259
DEALSIZE	2747	3	Medium	1349

Exploratory Analysis and Inferences

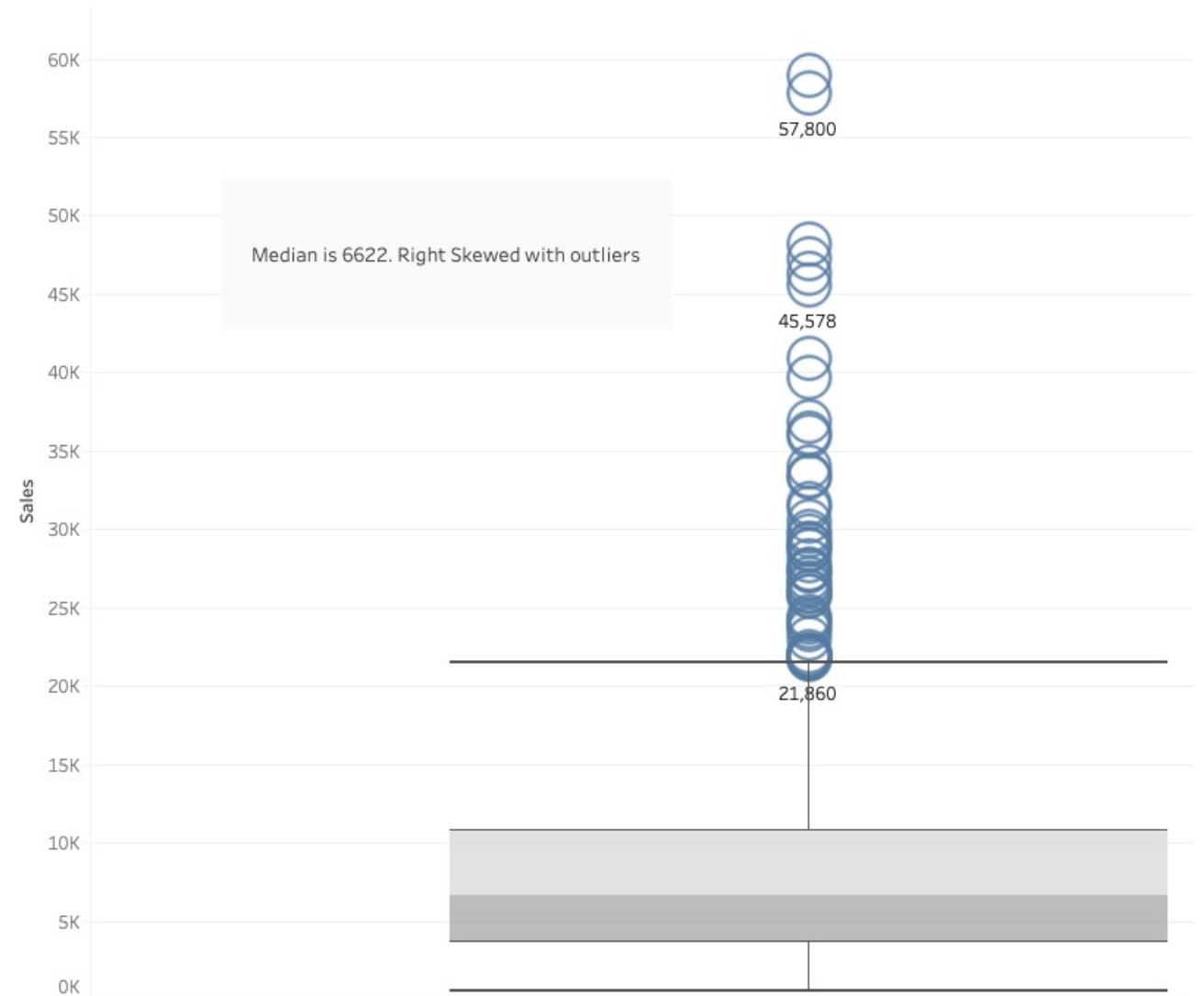
Univariate Analysis

Univariate - Quantity Ordered



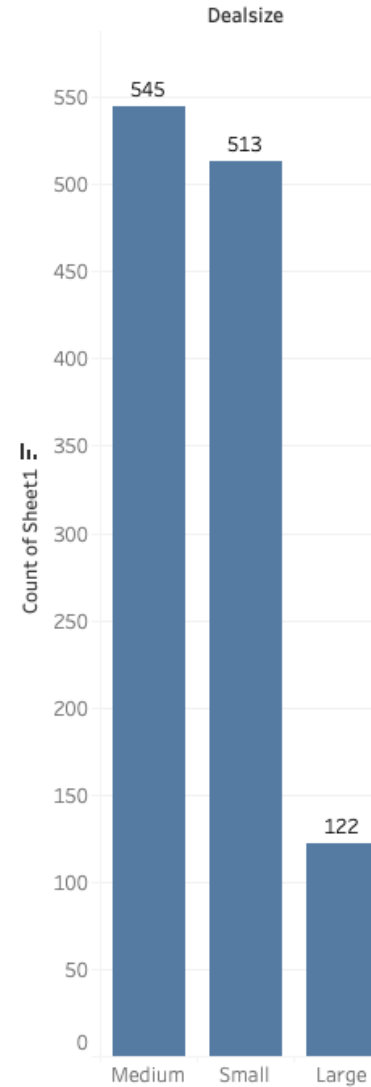
Univariate Analysis

Univariate - Sales Value



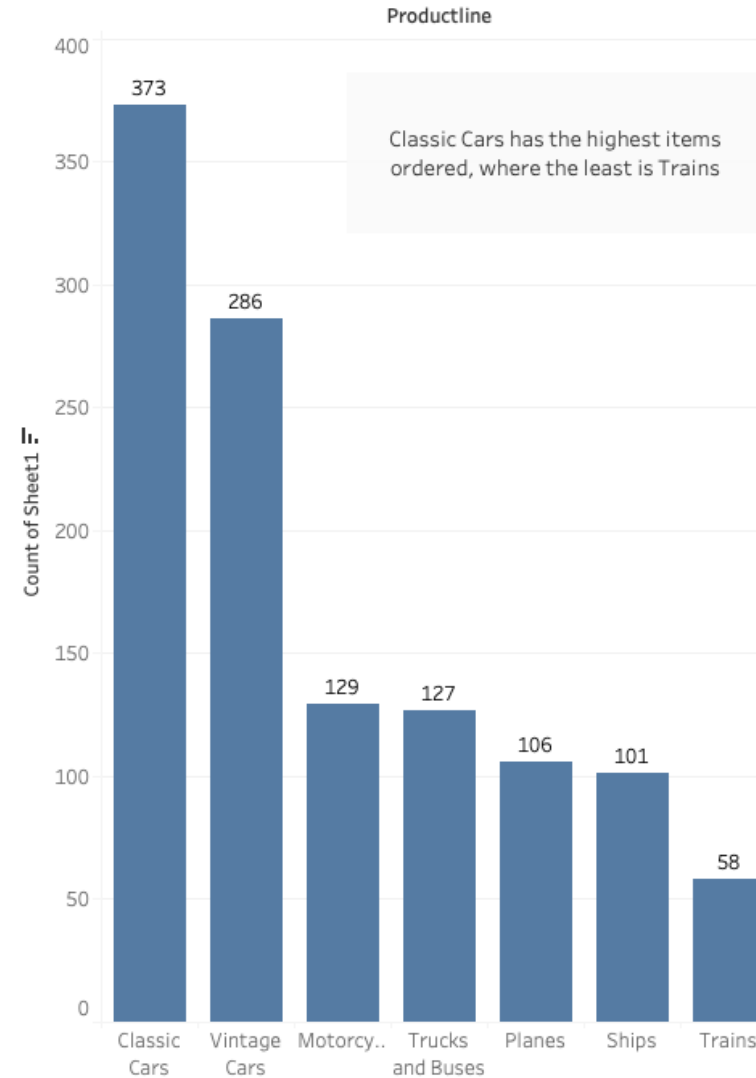
Univariate Analysis

Univariate - Deal size



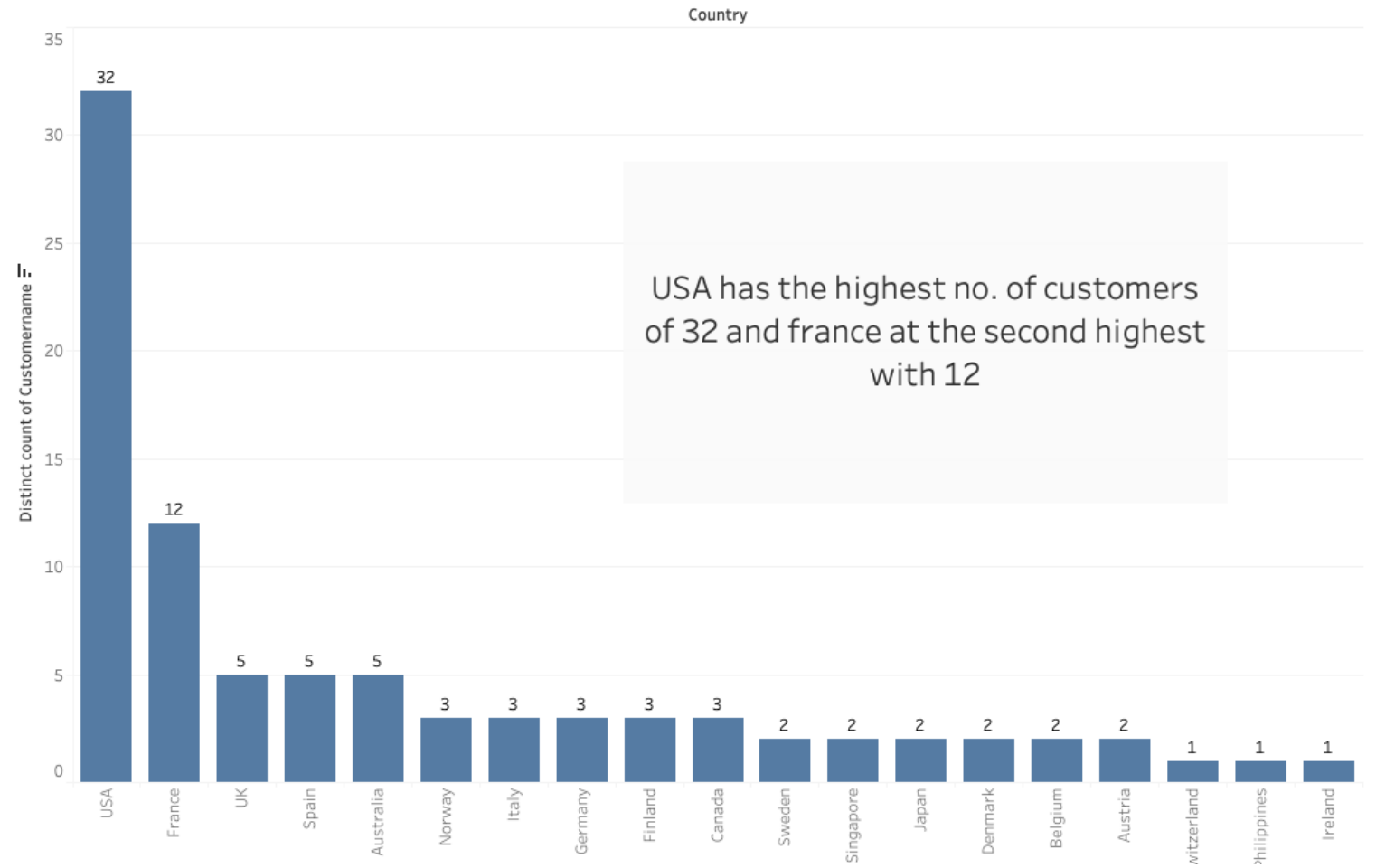
Univariate Analysis

Univariate - Productline



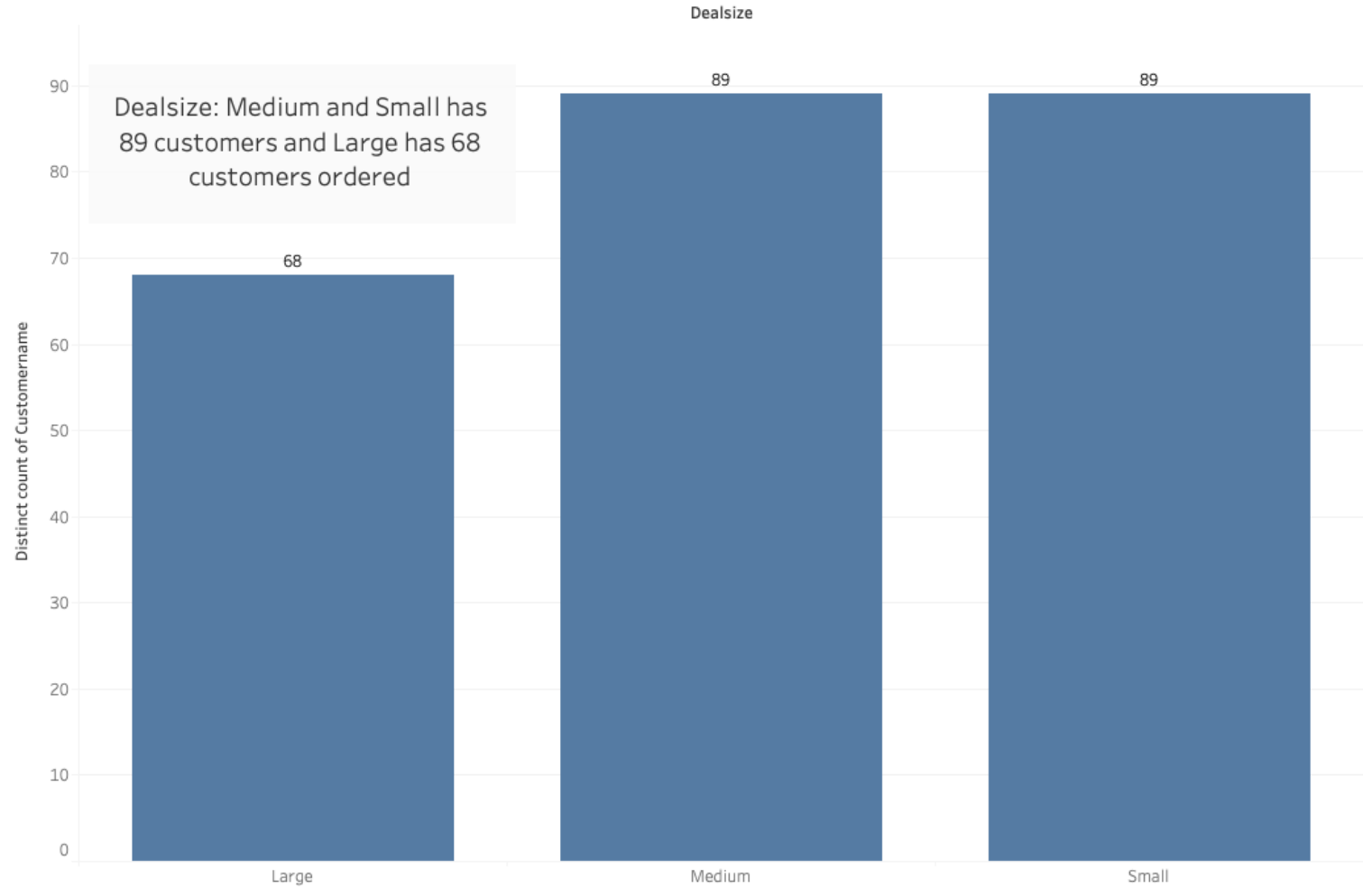
Bivariate Analysis

Bivariate - Country vs Customer



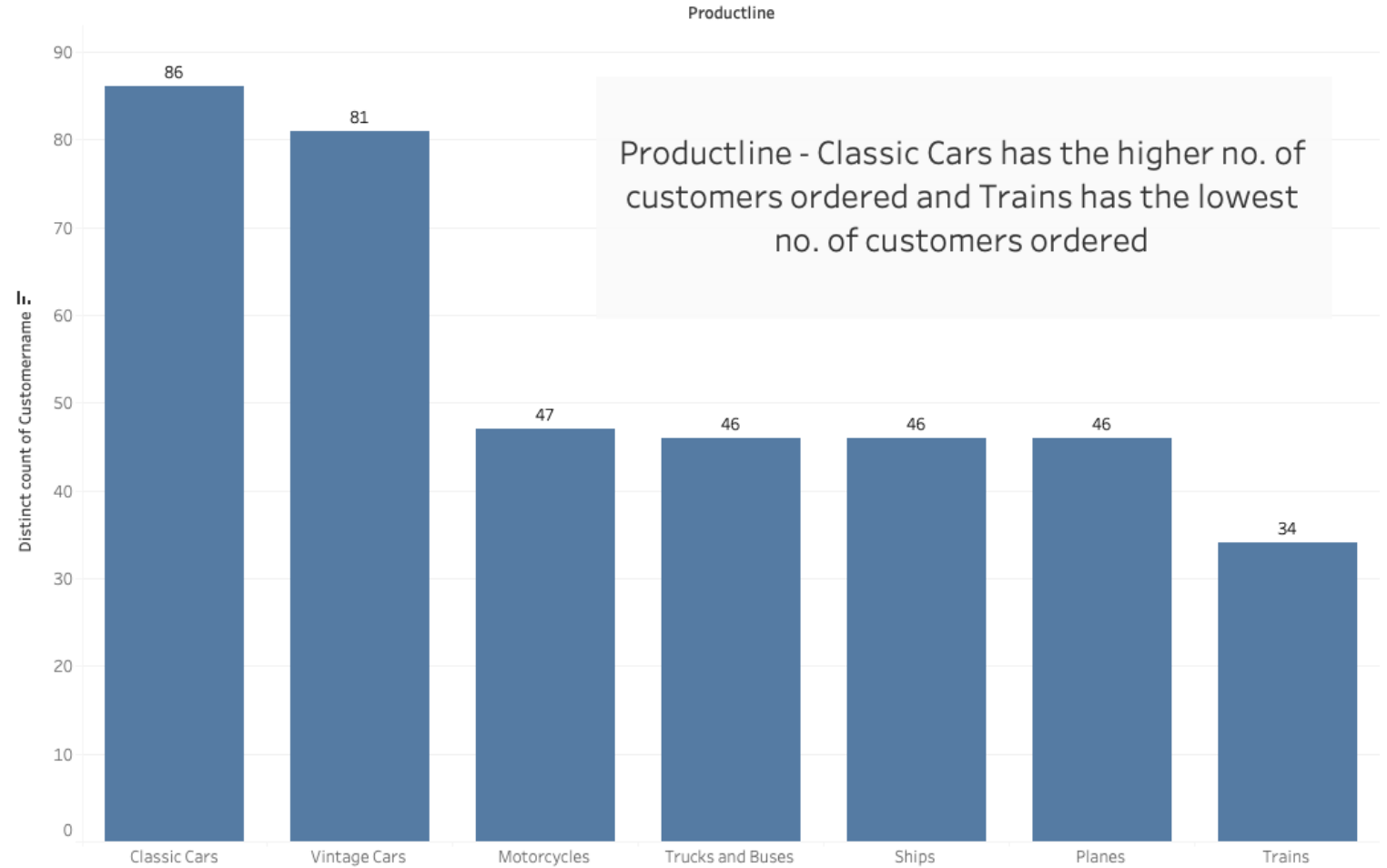
Bivariate Analysis

Bivariate - Dealsize vs Customer



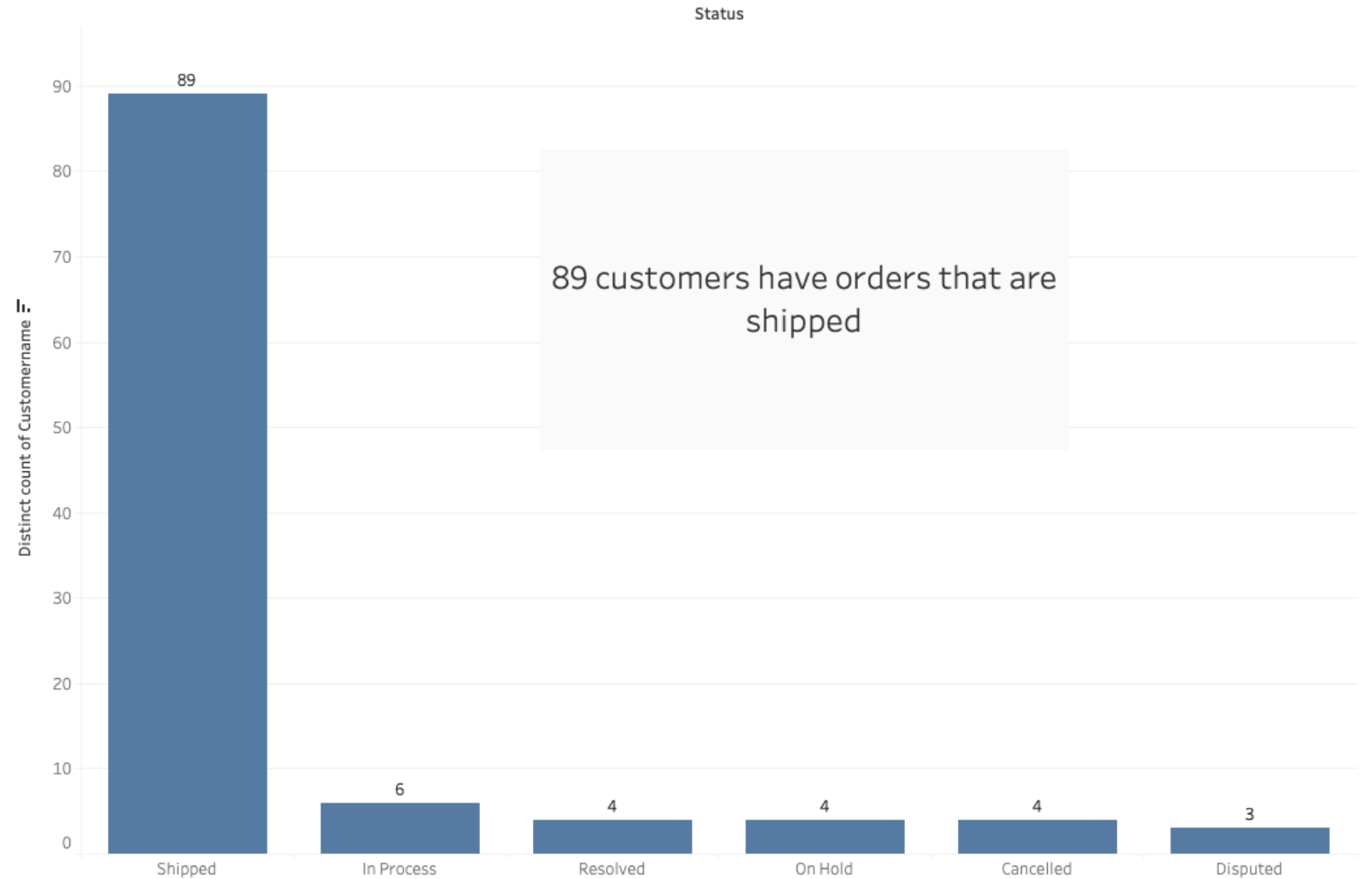
Bivariate Analysis

Bivariate - Productline vs Customer



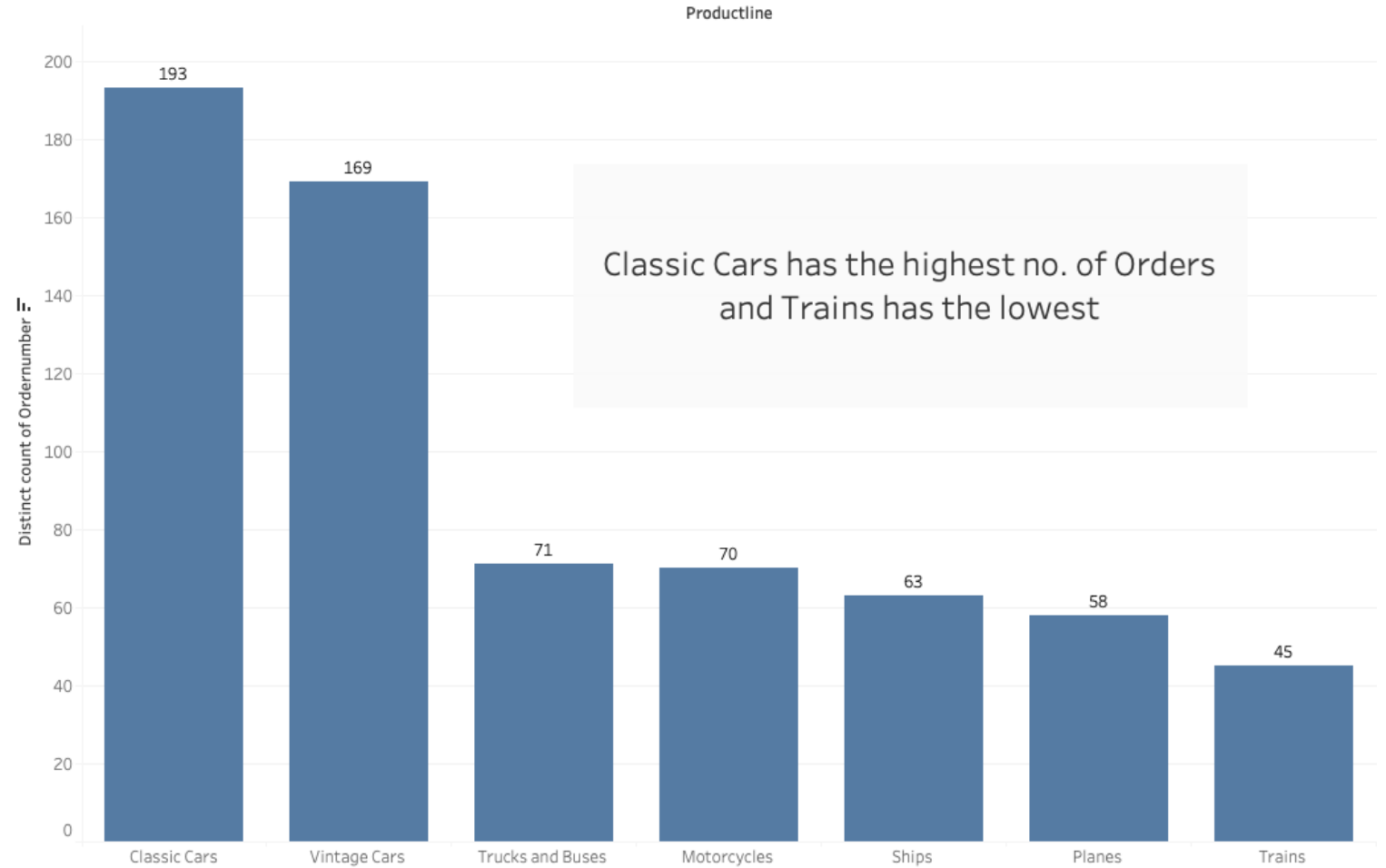
Bivariate Analysis

Bivariate - Status vs Customer



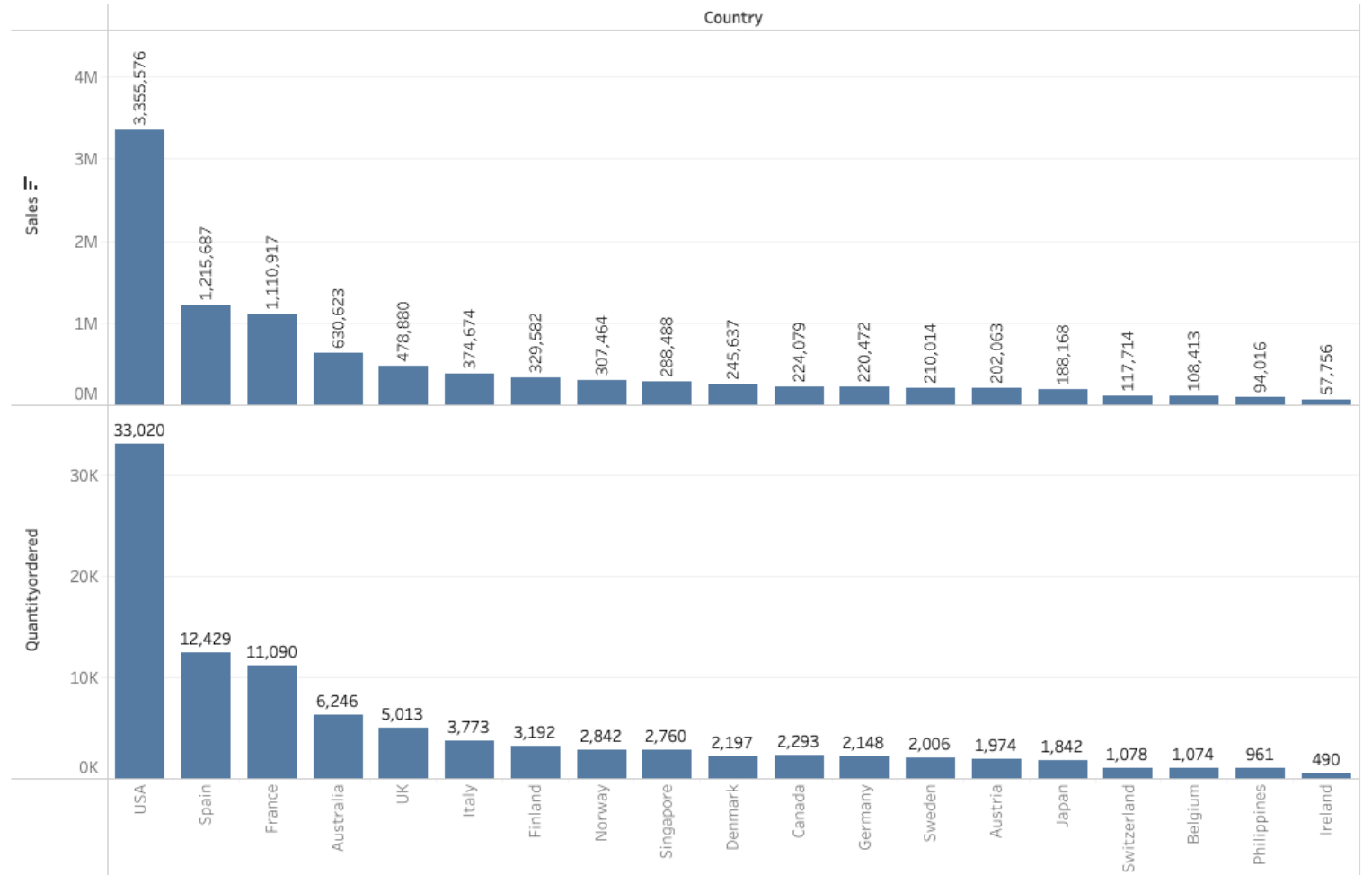
Bivariate Analysis

Bivariate - Order Count vs Productline



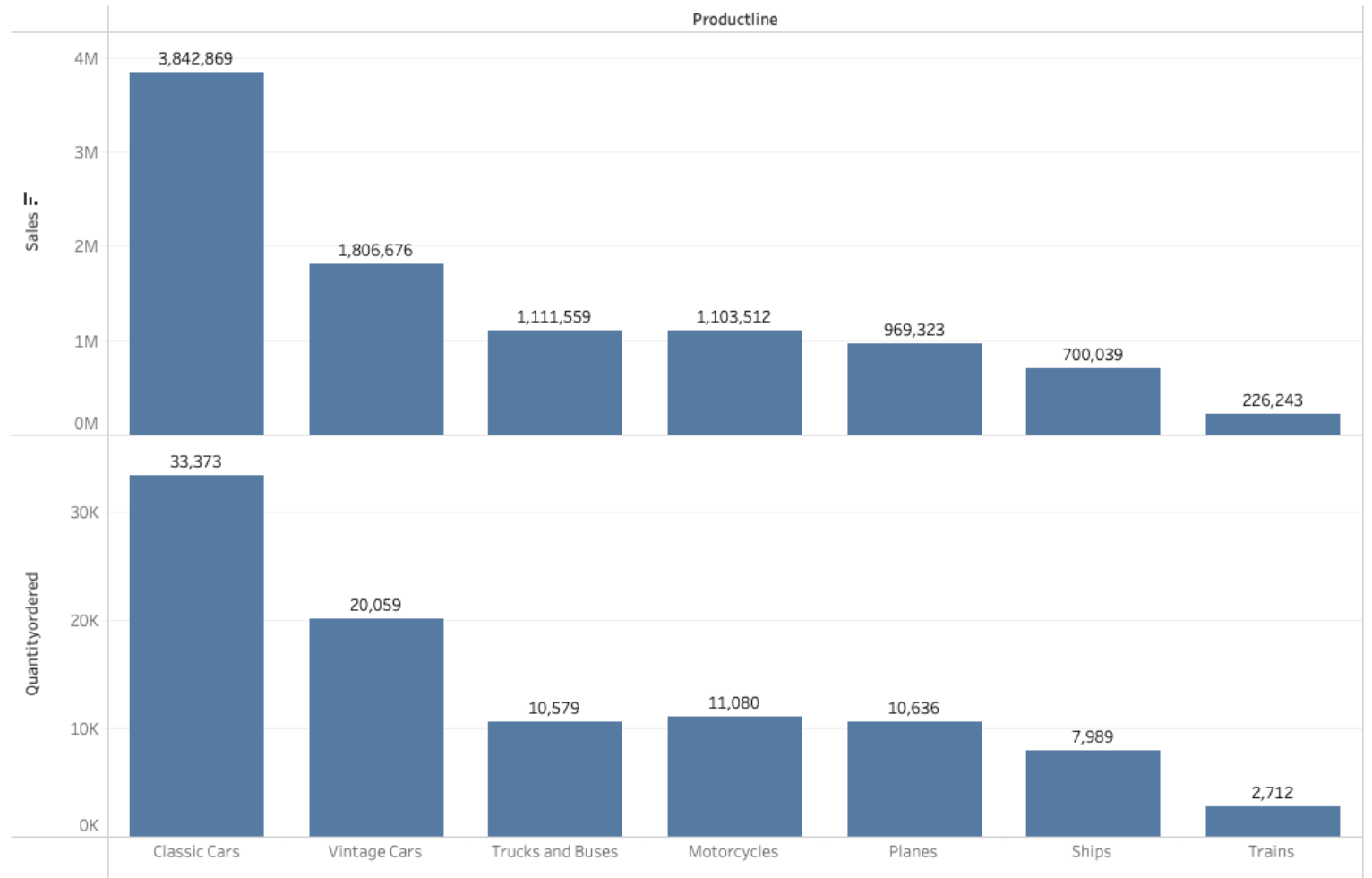
Multivariate Analysis

Multivariate - Sales vs Quantity vs Country



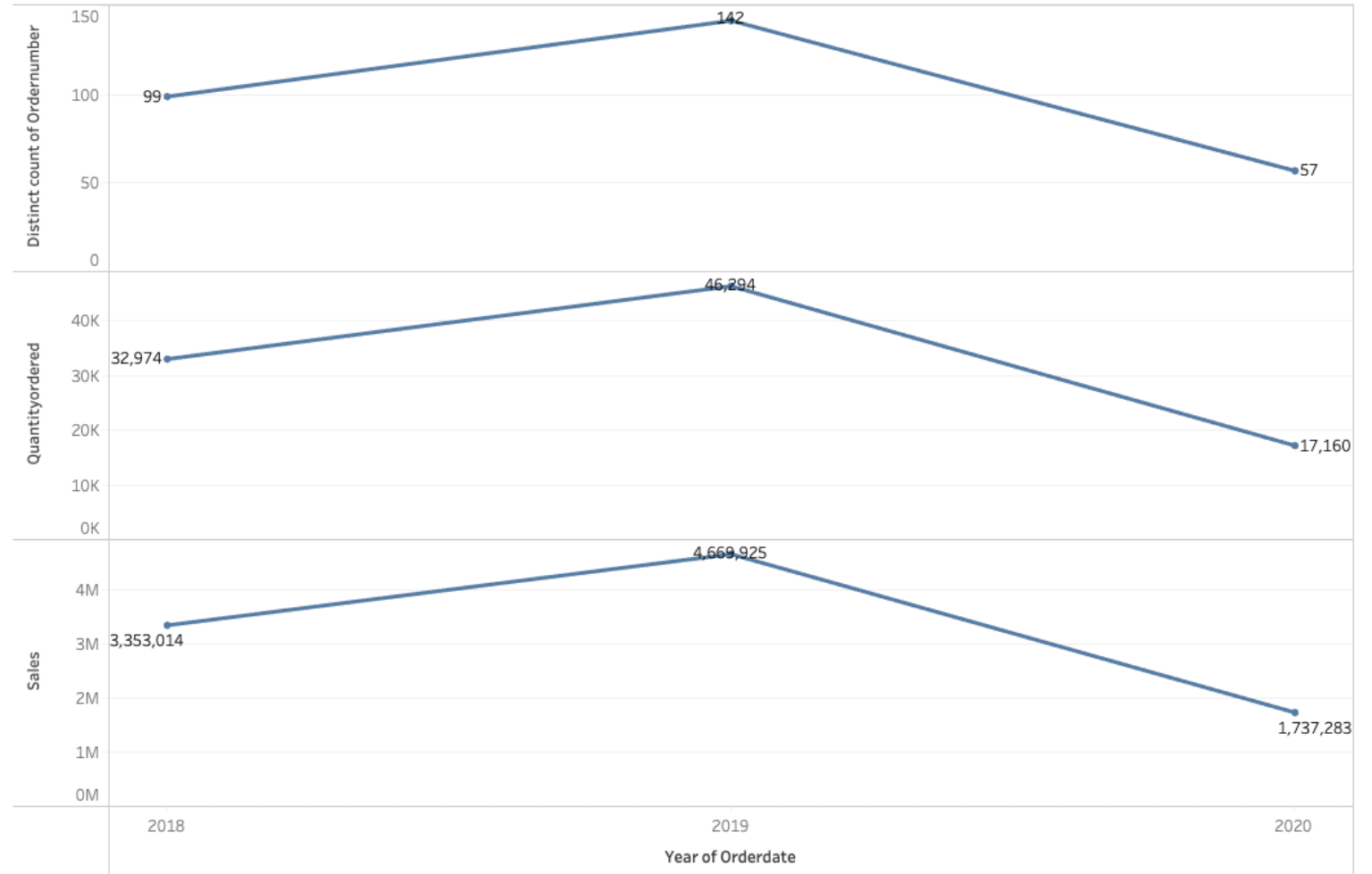
Multivariate Analysis

Multivariate - Sales vs Quantity vs Productline



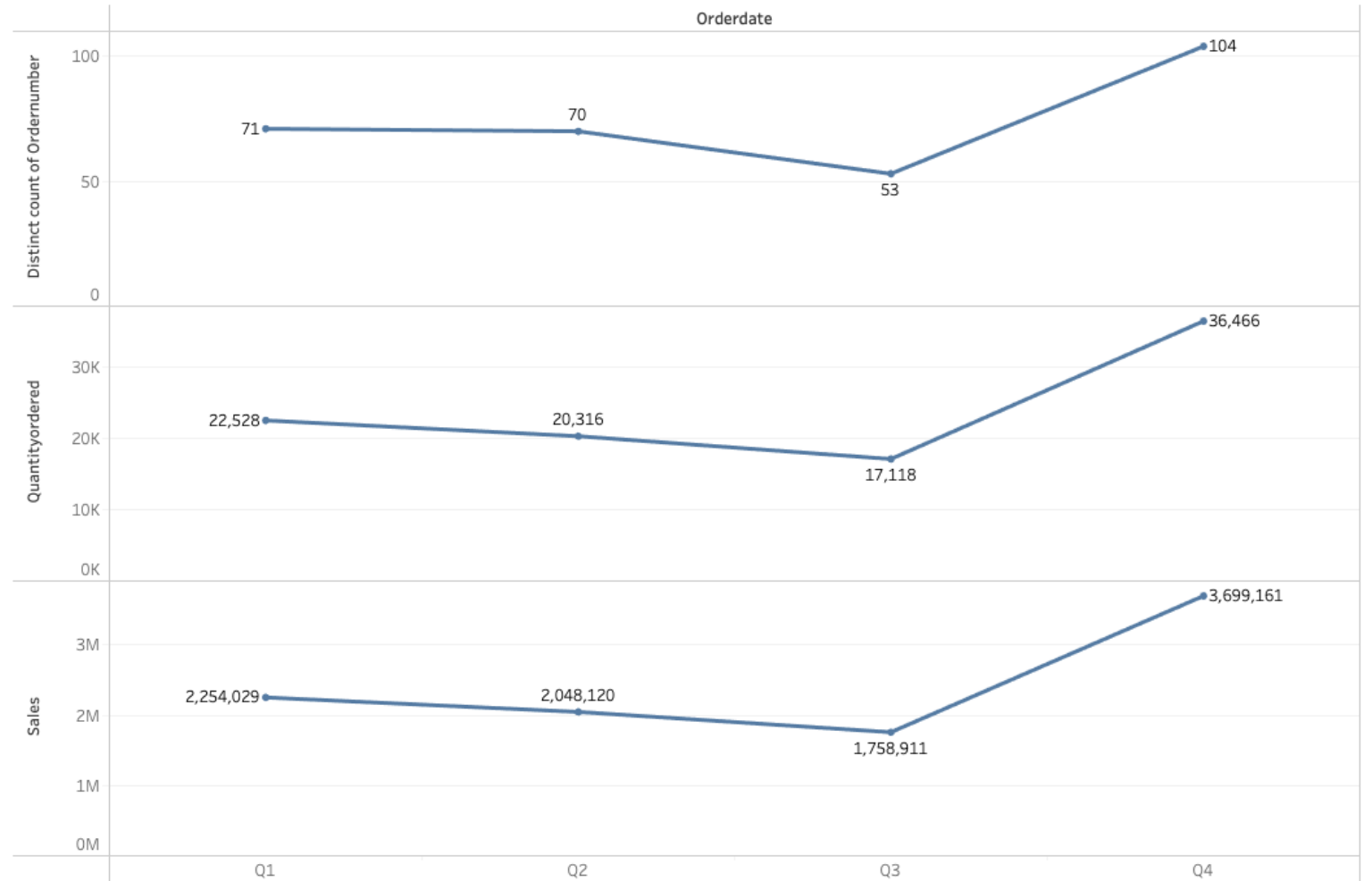
Yearly Trend

Multivariate - Yearly vs Sales vs Quantity vs Orders



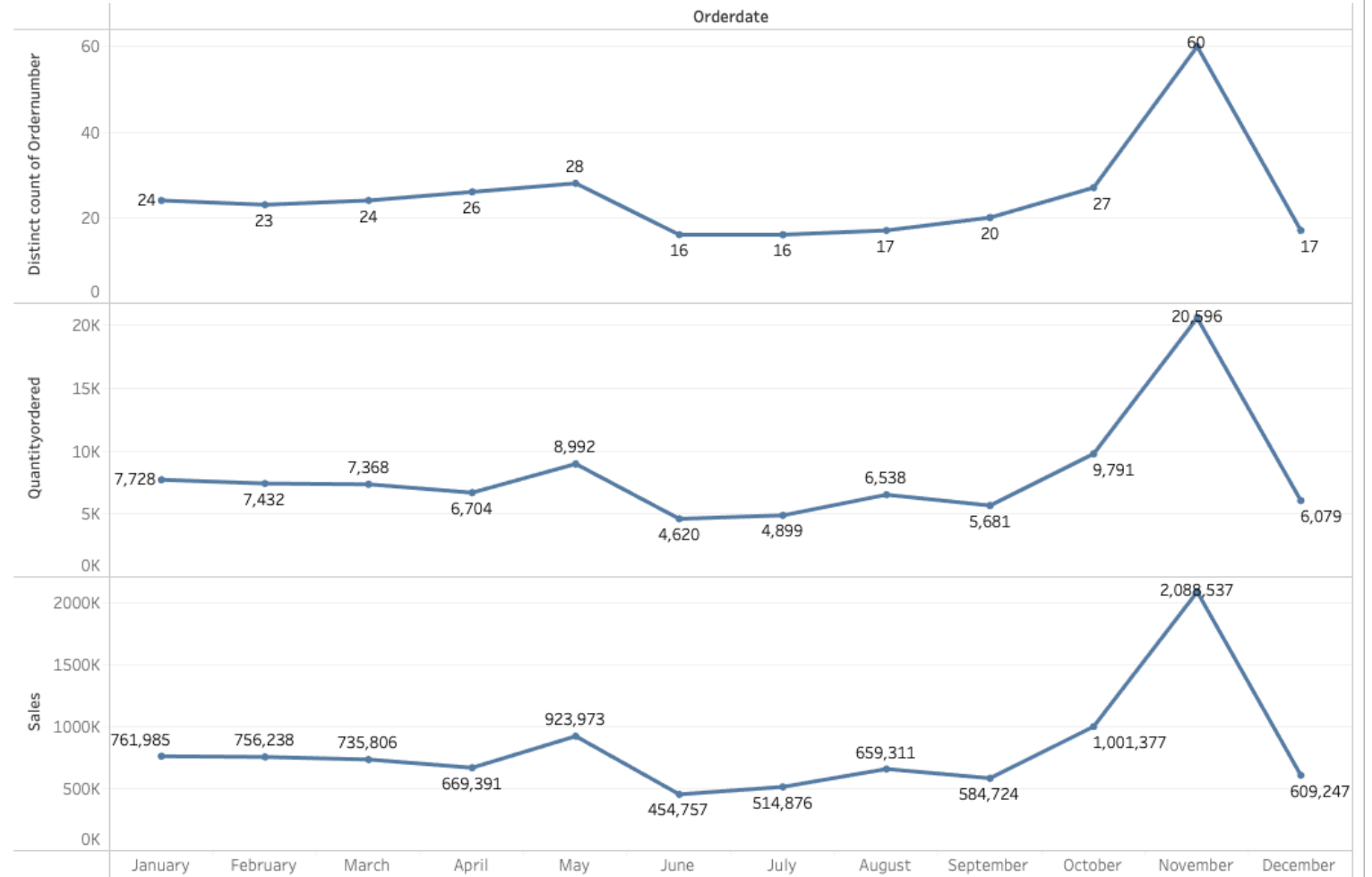
Quarterly Trend

Multivariate - Quartely vs Sales vs Quantity vs Orders



Monthly Trend

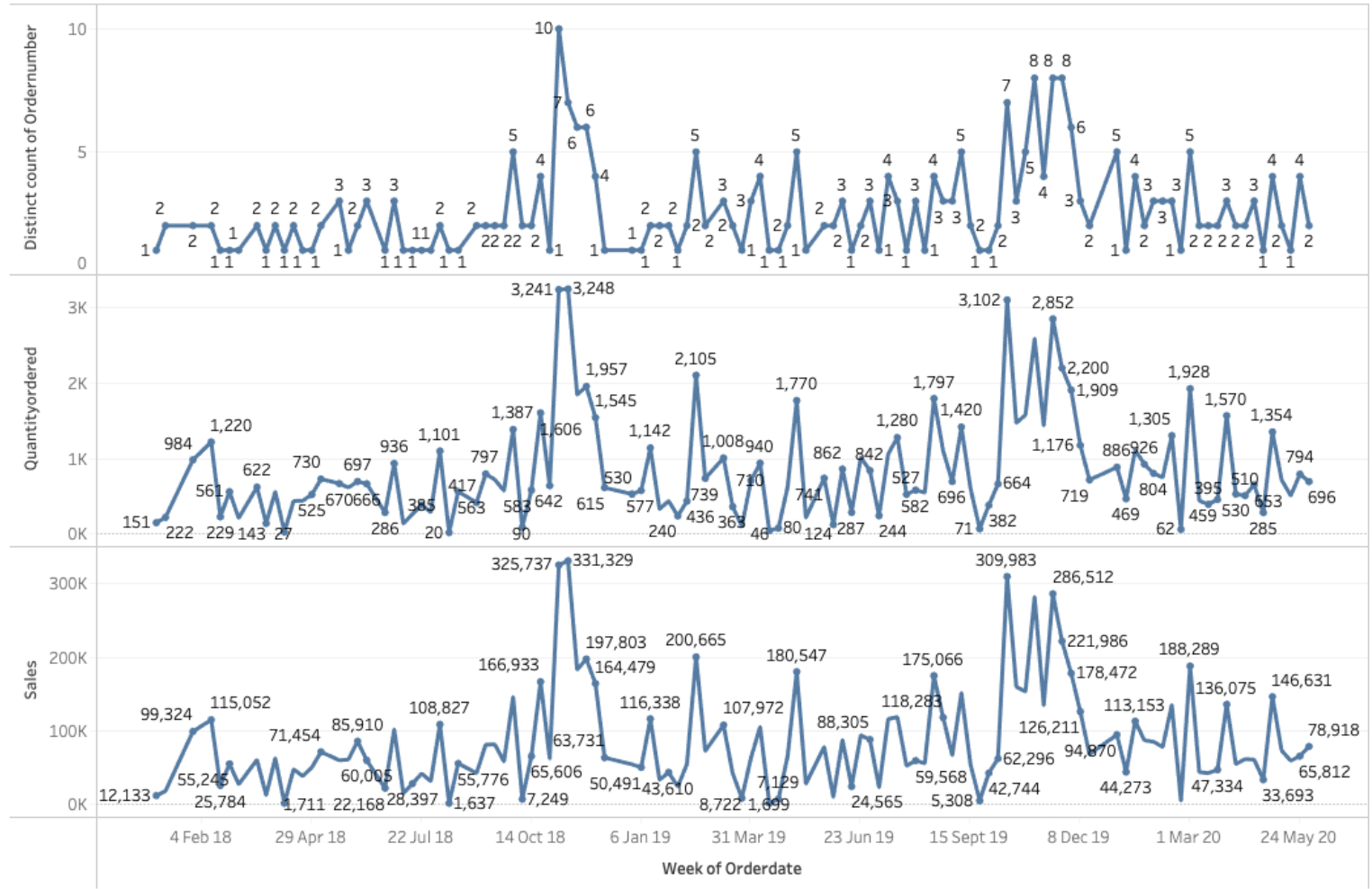
Multivariate - Monthly vs Sales vs Quantity vs Orders



The figure consists of three vertically stacked line charts sharing a common x-axis labeled "Week of Orderdate". The x-axis spans from February 2018 to May 2020, with major ticks every 7 days.

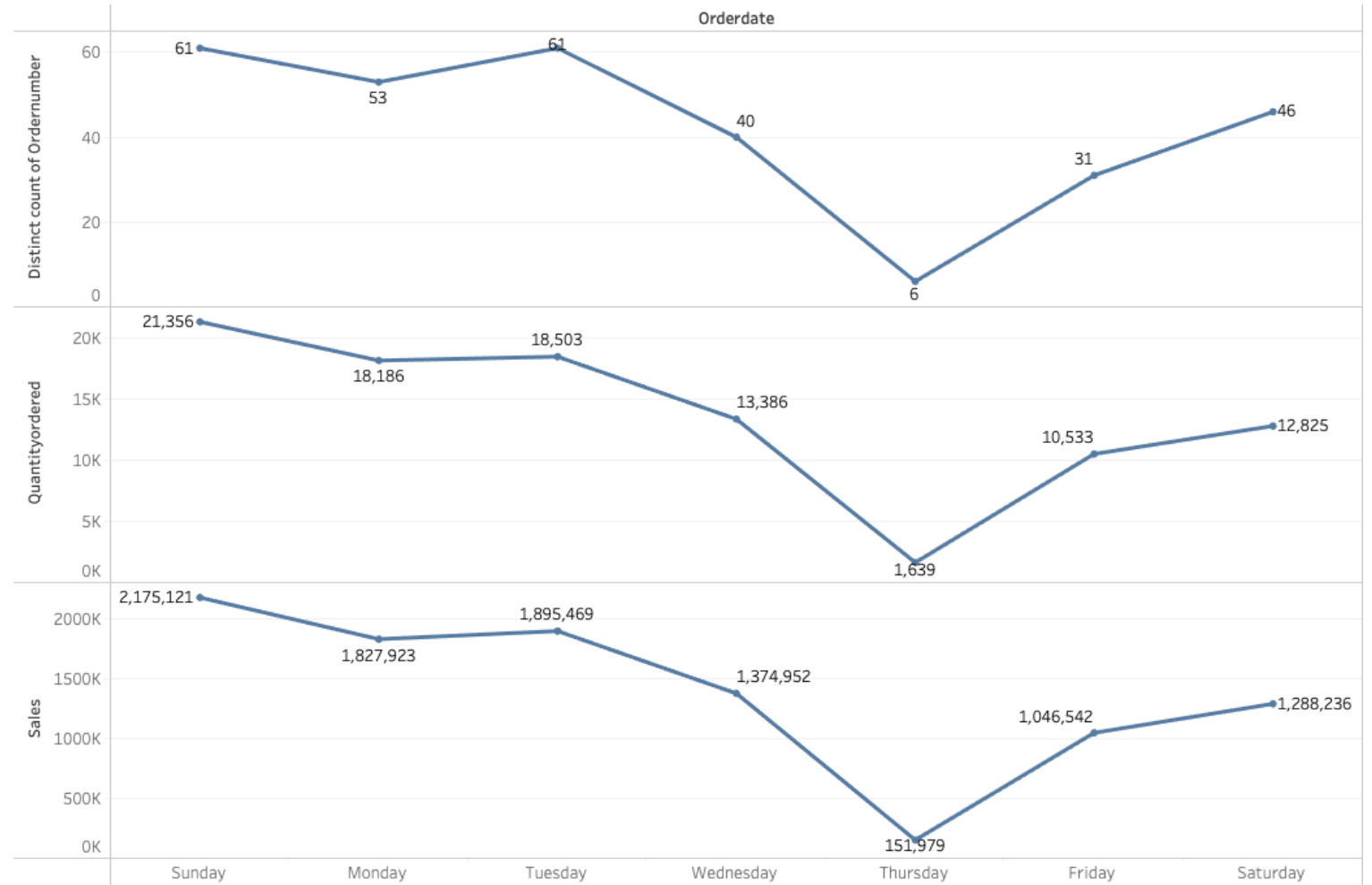
- Top Chart: Distinct count of Order number**
 - Y-axis: 0 to 10.
 - Shows the number of distinct orders per week. The data is highly volatile, with a major peak of 10 in late 2018 and several peaks of 8 in late 2019.
- Middle Chart: Quantity ordered**
 - Y-axis: 0K to 3K.
 - Shows the total quantity ordered per week. The chart shows a clear upward trend with significant peaks, reaching over 3K in late 2018 and late 2019.
- Bottom Chart: Sales**
 - Y-axis: 0K to 300K.
 - Shows the total sales per week. The chart shows a strong correlation with the quantity ordered, with major peaks exceeding 300K in late 2018 and late 2019.

Overall, the charts indicate a period of high activity and sales volume in late 2018 and late 2019, followed by a decline in early 2020.



Weekday Trend

Multivariate - Weekly vs Sales vs Quantity vs Orders (2)



EDA - Inferences

- Quantity ordered has a median of 62. Right Skewed with outliers
- Deal size of medium is higher
- Classic Cars has the highest items ordered, where the least is Trains
- USA has the highest no. of customers of 32 and France at the second highest with 12
- New York city with highest no. of customers
- Deal size: Medium and Small has 89 customers and Large has 68 customers ordered
- Product line - Classic Cars has the higher no. of customers ordered and Trains has the lowest no. of customers ordered

EDA - Inferences

- 89 customers have orders that are shipped
- USA has the highest Orders with 103 and Switzerland & Ireland with 2 orders each
- Madrid city has the highest Orders with 31 and Munich with 1 order
- Large deal size has the lowest order count of 114
- Yearly sales, quantity ordered, and order count shows an increasing trend from 2018-19 and decreasing from 2019-20
- There was a sharp increase in the month of November across years
- There was a dip in sales during Thursday

Customer Segmentation using RFM analysis (4 segments)

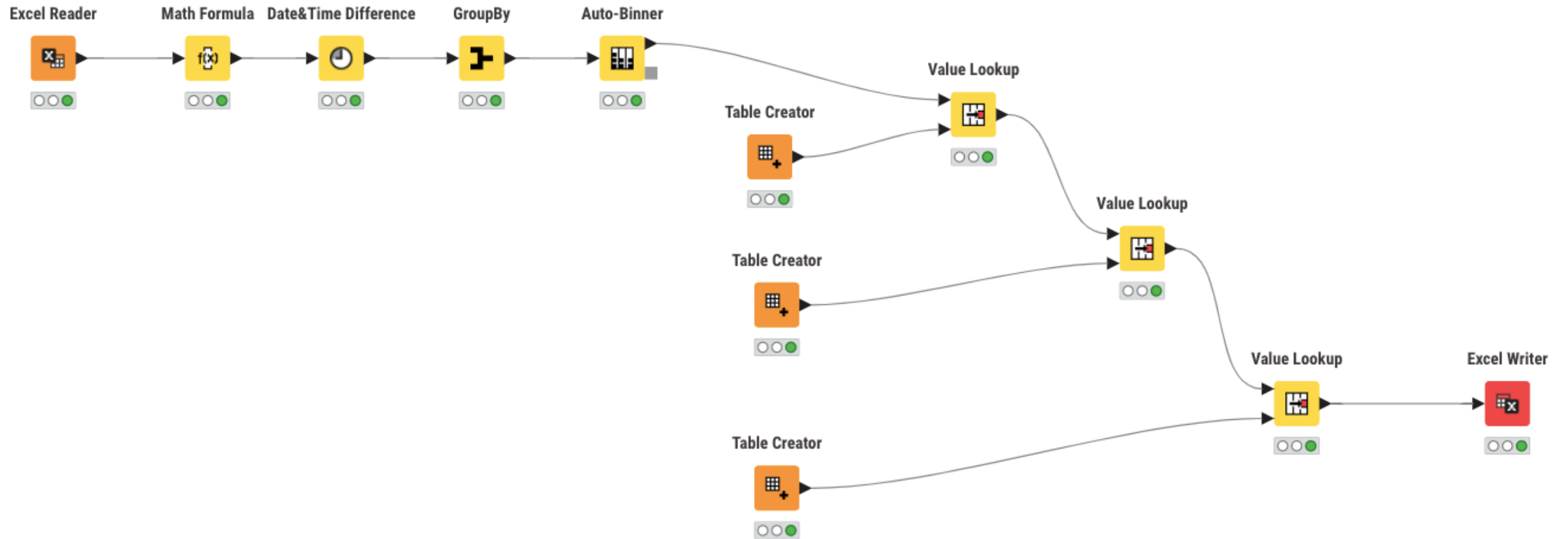
What is RFM?

RFM is a technique used in Sales & Marketing domain for customer segmentation based on their purchase pattern in terms of Recency, Frequency and Monetary

What all parameters used, and assumptions made?

- **RECENCY**: Days since the last order. Calculated by subtracting the order date from the max. date in the data set given (01-AUG-2020)
- **FREQUENCY**: The Order number count. The unique orders are considered customer wise
- **MONETARY**: The sum of total sales value (Quantity Ordered x Price of Each Product) customer wise

Showcase the KNIME workflow image



What results are there in the output table head?

Unique count*(ORDERNUMBER) [Binned]	Min*(RECENCY) [Binned]	Sum(MONETARY) [Binned]
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Recency_Bin	RECENCY	Match Found (#2)
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Freq_Bin	FREQUENCY	Match Found
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Monetary_Bin	MONETARY	Match Found (#1)
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What results are there in the output table head?

Unique count*(ORDERNUMBER) [Binned]	Min*(RECENCY) [Binned]	Sum(MONETARY) [Binned]	Freq_Bin	FREQUENCY	Match Found	Monetary_Bin	MONETARY	Match Found (#1)	Recency_Bin	RECENCY	Match Found (#2)
Bin 2	Bin 3	Bin 4	Bin 2	LM	TRUE	Bin 4	H	TRUE	Bin 3	LM	TRUE
Bin 2	Bin 1	Bin 1	Bin 2	LM	TRUE	Bin 1	L	TRUE	Bin 1	H	TRUE
Bin 1	Bin 4	Bin 3	Bin 1	L	TRUE	Bin 3	HM	TRUE	Bin 4	L	TRUE
Bin 4	Bin 2	Bin 4	Bin 4	H	TRUE	Bin 4	H	TRUE	Bin 2	HM	TRUE
Bin 2	Bin 3	Bin 1	Bin 2	LM	TRUE	Bin 1	L	TRUE	Bin 3	LM	TRUE
Bin 2	Bin 1	Bin 1	Bin 2	LM	TRUE	Bin 1	L	TRUE	Bin 1	H	TRUE
Bin 4	Bin 2	Bin 4	Bin 4	H	TRUE	Bin 4	H	TRUE	Bin 2	HM	TRUE
Bin 2	Bin 2	Bin 1	Bin 2	LM	TRUE	Bin 1	L	TRUE	Bin 2	HM	TRUE
Bin 1	Bin 4	Bin 1	Bin 1	L	TRUE	Bin 1	L	TRUE	Bin 4	L	TRUE
Bin 2	Bin 1	Bin 3	Bin 2	LM	TRUE	Bin 3	HM	TRUE	Bin 1	H	TRUE
Bin 2	Bin 2	Bin 1	Bin 2	LM	TRUE	Bin 1	L	TRUE	Bin 2	HM	TRUE
Bin 4	Bin 3	Bin 3	Bin 4	H	TRUE	Bin 3	HM	TRUE	Bin 3	LM	TRUE
Bin 1	Bin 4	Bin 1	Bin 1	L	TRUE	Bin 1	L	TRUE	Bin 4	L	TRUE

Inferences from RFM Analysis and identified segments

RFM Matrix

RECENCY	FREQUENCY	H	HM	LM	L	Grand Total
H	H	9	2	0	0	11
	HM	0	0	0	0	0
	LM	1	3	6	2	12
	L	0	0	0	0	0
H Total		10	5	6	2	23
HM	H	5	0	0	1	6
	HM	0	0	0	0	0
	LM	1	7	3	4	15
	L	0	0	0	1	1
HM Total		6	7	3	6	22
LM	H	1	1	2	0	4
	HM	0	0	0	0	0
	LM	4	3	3	1	11
	L	0	2	3	2	7
LM Total		5	6	8	3	22
L	H	0	0	0	0	0
	HM	0	0	0	0	0
	LM	1	1	0	0	2
	L	0	3	5	12	20
L Total		1	4	5	12	22
Grand Total		22	22	22	23	89

RFM Matrix

- 9 customers with HHH are active customers. They are the golden customers of the organization
- 44 customers on the segment of LM & HM are at risk. They need more attention where to be focused to get them in the high recency & frequency range
- 12 customers with LLL are almost inactive customers. Reasons need to be analyzed to get them back in the business

Who are your best customers?

(give at least 5)

CUSTOMERNAME	Unique count*(ORDERNUMBER)	Min*(RECENCY)	Sum(MONETARY)
Euro Shopping Channel	26	1	912294
Mini Gifts Distributors Ltd.	17	3	654858
La Rochelle Gifts	4	1	180125
Souveniers And Things Co.	4	3	151571
Salzburg Collectables	4	15	149799

Recency: H, Frequency: H, Monetary: H

Which customers are on the verge of churning? (give at least 5)

CUSTOMERNAME	Unique count*(ORDERNUMBER)	Min*(RECENCY)	Sum(MONETARY)
Australian Collectables, Ltd	3	23	64591
Alpha Cognac	3	65	70488
Quebec Home Shopping Network	3	31	74205
Petit Auto	3	2	74973
Lyon Souveniers	3	76	78570

Recency: H, Frequency: L, Monetary: L

Who are your lost customers? (give at least 5)

CUSTOMERNAME	Unique count*(ORDERNUMBER)	Min*(RECENCY)	Sum(MONETARY)
Anna's Decorations, Ltd	4	84	153996
Australian Collectors, Co.	5	185	200995
Dragon Souveniers, Ltd.	5	91	172990
Land of Toys Inc.	4	199	164069
Muscle Machine Inc	4	183	197737

Recency: L, Frequency: H, Monetary: H

Who are your loyal customers?

(give at least 5)

CUSTOMERNAME	Unique count*(ORDERNUMBER)	Min*(RECENCY)	Sum(MONETARY)
Euro Shopping Channel	26	1	912294
Mini Gifts Distributors Ltd.	17	3	654858
Danish Wholesale Imports	5	47	145042
Reims Collectables	5	63	135043
La Rochelle Gifts	4	1	180125

Recency: H, Frequency: H, Monetary: H/M/L

Thank You