

# Sales Performance

SQL+POWER BI

# Business Objective (This project will solve business problems)

- How are sales, revenue and profit trending over time?
- Which product, regions, and sales representative drive performance?
- Where are leakages (Low profit, declining sales)?
- How can management optimize strategies?

# Total sales, profit, and profit margin

- select

```
round(sum(sales_amount),2) as total_sales,  
round(sum(sales_amount-cost_amount),2) as total_profit,  
round(sum(sales_amount-cost_amount)*100/sum(sales_amount),2) as profit_margin  
from ecommerce_sales_dataset;
```

The screenshot shows a database query results grid titled "Result Grid". The grid has three columns: "total\_sales", "total\_profit", and "profit\_margin". There is one data row with the values 470485095.46, 109335604.46, and 23.24 respectively. The "total\_sales" value is highlighted in orange.

	total_sales	total_profit	profit_margin
▶	470485095.46	109335604.46	23.24

# Monthly sales trend

- select  
Year(order\_date) as year,  
month(order\_date) as month,  
round(sum(sales\_amount),2) as monthly\_sales  
from ecommerce\_sales\_dataset  
group by Year(order\_date), month(order\_date)  
order by year, month;

	year	month	monthly_sales
▶	2022	1	13943754.02
	2022	2	10080537.99
	2022	3	11160132.94
	2022	4	12094275.79
	2022	5	14690523.58
	2022	6	12564827.22
	2022	7	13600657.96
	2022	8	11396095.39
	2022	9	12392349.07
	2022	10	11463620.22

# Sales by region

- select region,round(sum(sales\_amount),2) as total\_sales,  
round(sum(sales\_amount-cost\_amount),2) as profit

```
from ecommerce_sales_dataset  
group by region  
order by sum(sales_amount);
```

	region	total_sales	profit
▶	North	114467421.19	26484131.19
	South	115400391.74	26688035.74
	West	119125276.26	28158842.26
	East	121492006.27	28004595.27

# Top 10 product by sales

- select product,  
round(sum(sales\_amount),2) as Total\_sales  
from ecommerce\_sales\_dataset  
group by product  
order by sum(sales\_amount) desc  
limit 10;

Result Grid		Filter Rows:
	product	Total_sales
▶	Smartwatch	62702705.26
	Laptop	60204765.55
	Smartphone	59795361.8
	Headphones	58842842.74
	Keyboard	58714954.68
	Camera	57491162.26
	Mouse	57388857.36
	Tablet	55344445.81

# Best Sales representatives

- select salesRepresentative,  
count(distinct order\_id) as total\_orders,  
round(sum(sales\_amount),2) as total\_sales,  
round(sum(sales\_amount-cost\_amount),2) as total\_profit  
from ecommerce\_sales\_dataset  
group by salesRepresentative  
order by sum(sales\_amount) desc  
limit 5;

Result Grid | Filter Rows:  Export: Wrap

	salesRepresentative	totalOrders	totalSales	totalProfit
▶	Sneha	795	63098611.35	14495817.35
	Vikram	776	62733972.54	14335307.54
	Anjali	766	59914013.44	13874659.44
	Amit	741	59417797.3	14018355.3
	Neha	743	56944248.15	13440689.15

# YOY Growth

- select

```
year(order_date) as year,  
sum(sales_amount) as total_sales,  
Lag(sum(sales_amount))over(order by year(order_date)) as prev_year_sales,  
  
round((sum(sales_amount)-Lag(sum(sales_amount))over(order by  
year(order_date)))/(Lag(sum(sales_amount))over(order by  
year(order_date)))*100,2) as yoy_growth_pct  
from ecommerce_sales_dataset  
group by year(order_date)  
order by year;
```

Result Grid | Filter Rows:  Export: Wrap Cell Content:

	year	total_sales	prev_year_sales	yoy_growth_pct
▶	2022	148570447.9999994	NULL	NULL
	2023	163166458.61999968	148570447.9999994	9.82
	2024	158748188.8399999	163166458.61999968	-2.71

# Average Order values

- select

```
round((round(sum(sales_amount),2)) / count(distinct order_id),2) as AOV  
from ecommerce_sales_dataset;
```

AOV	78414.18
▶	78414.18

# Monthly Sales with MoM Growth (CTE + LAG)

- with monthly\_sales as (

```
    select month(order_date) as month,
           sum(sales_amount) as total_sales
      from ecommerce_sales_dataset
  group by month(order_date))
select month, total_sales, lag(total_sales)
  over (order by month) as previous_month_sales,
        round((total_sales-lag(total_sales)over(order by month))*100.0
          /lag(total_sales)over(order by month),2) as mom_growth_percentage
   from monthly_sales  order by month;
```

Result Grid | Filter Rows: | Export: | Wrap Cell Content: |

	month	total_sales	previous_month_sales	mom_growth_percentage
▶	1	40093527.279999994	NULL	NULL
	2	33072332.470000014	40093527.279999994	-17.51
	3	38415523.89000003	33072332.470000014	16.16
	4	38952308.29000004	38415523.89000003	1.4
	5	43828195.39000004	38952308.29000004	12.52
	6	40028123.54999998	43828195.39000004	-8.67
	7	42128000.49999999	40028123.54999998	5.25
	8	39119318.02999997	42128000.49999999	-7.14
	9	38517074.41	39119318.02999997	-1.54
	10	38713942.01000006	38517074.41	0.51

Result 12 ×

# Running Total Sales (Window Function)

- ```
select order_date, sales_amount, sum(sales_amount)over(      order by
order_date rows between unbounded preceding and current row) as
running_total_sales
```

from

ecommerce\_sales\_dataset

order by order\_date;

|   | order_date | sales_amount | running_total_sales |
|---|------------|--------------|---------------------|
| ▶ | 2022-01-01 | 136780.07    | 136780.07           |
|   | 2022-01-01 | 237637.31    | 374417.38           |
|   | 2022-01-01 | 123642.8     | 498060.18           |
|   | 2022-01-01 | 35575.84     | 533636.02           |
|   | 2022-01-01 | 58857.99     | 592494.01           |
|   | 2022-01-01 | 271820.65    | 864314.66           |
|   | 2022-01-01 | 19856.58     | 884171.24           |
|   | 2022-01-01 | 93258.57     | 977429.81           |
|   | 2022-01-01 | 1386.55      | 978816.3600000001   |
|   | 2022-01-02 | 173678.97    | 1152445.32          |

# Top 3 Products per Region (RANK)

- with product\_sales as (select region, product, sum(sales\_amount) as total\_sales  
from ecommerce\_sales\_dataset  
group by region, product),ranked\_products as (select region,  
product, total\_sales, rank() over (partition by region order by total\_sales  
desc) as sales\_rank from product\_sales)  
select \*from ranked\_productswhere sales\_rank <= 3  
order by region, sales\_rank;

Result Grid | Filter Rows:  Export: Wrap

|   | region | product    | total_sales        | sales_rank |
|---|--------|------------|--------------------|------------|
| ▶ | East   | Laptop     | 17139034.650000006 | 1          |
|   | East   | Camera     | 16434606.82        | 2          |
|   | East   | Mouse      | 16128760.13        | 3          |
|   | North  | Smartwatch | 15337752.68999999  | 1          |
|   | North  | Smartphone | 15249436.420000006 | 2          |
|   | North  | Keyboard   | 14740993.980000002 | 3          |
|   | South  | Tablet     | 16376009.989999995 | 1          |
|   | South  | Smartwatch | 15910175.139999999 | 2          |
|   | South  | Smartphone | 15243279.009999994 | 3          |
|   | West   | Laptop     | 16248632.000000005 | 1          |

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# Sales Rep Performance vs Regional Average

- with rep\_sales as (  
    select region, salesRepresentative, sum(salesAmount)  
        as rep\_sales from ecommerce\_sales\_dataset  
        group by region, salesRepresentative)  
    select region, salesRepresentative, rep\_sales,  
        round(avg(rep\_sales)over(partition by region), 2 ) as regional\_avg\_sales,  
        rep\_sales - avg(rep\_sales) over  
            (partition by region) as performance\_gap  
    from rep\_sales  
    order by region, performance\_gap desc;

Result Grid | Filter Rows:  Export: Wrap Cell Content:

|   | region | salesRepresentative | rep_sales          | regional_avg_sales | performance_gap    |
|---|--------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| ▶ | East   | Anjali              | 17320042.350000005 | 15186500.78        | 2133541.566250004  |
|   | East   | Neha                | 16414832.330000004 | 15186500.78        | 1228331.5462500025 |
|   | East   | Sneha               | 16084286.600000005 | 15186500.78        | 897785.8162500039  |
|   | East   | Amit                | 15281060.330000002 | 15186500.78        | 94559.5462500006   |
|   | East   | Karan               | 14617905.540000003 | 15186500.78        | -568595.2437499985 |

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Result Grid | Filter Rows:  Export: Wrap Cell Content:

|  | region | salesRepresentative | rep_sales          | regional_avg_sales | performance_gap    |
|--|--------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
|  | North  | Sneha               | 17258681.069999997 | 14308427.65        | 2950253.4212499987 |
|  | North  | Vikram              | 15775248.970000004 | 14308427.65        | 1466821.3212500066 |
|  | North  | Amit                | 15634578.959999986 | 14308427.65        | 1326151.3112499882 |
|  | North  | Anjali              | 14260451.709999997 | 14308427.65        | -47975.93875000067 |
|  | North  | Neha                | 14025921.200000001 | 14308427.65        | -282506.4487499967 |

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# Power BI dashboard design

- DAX for KPI cards
- Total Sales =  $\text{SUM}(\text{orders}[\text{sales\_amount}])$
- Total Profit =  $\text{SUM}(\text{orders}[\text{sales\_amount}]) - \text{SUM}(\text{orders}[\text{cost}])$
- Profit Margin % =  $\text{DIVIDE}([\text{Total Profit}], [\text{Total Sales}], 0)$
- AOV =  $\text{DIVIDE}([\text{Total Sales}], \text{DISTINCTCOUNT}(\text{orders}[\text{order\_id}]))$
- MoM Growth % =  
 $\text{DIVIDE}([\text{Total Sales}] - \text{CALCULATE}([\text{Total Sales}], \text{PREVIOUSMONTH}(\text{orders}[\text{order\_date}])), \text{CALCULATE}([\text{Total Sales}], \text{PREVIOUSMONTH}(\text{orders}[\text{order\_date}])))$

# Dashboard overview

- KPI cards – Sales, Profit, Profit Margin
- Slicers – Product, Region, and Representative
- Line chart – monthly sales trend
- Bar chart – Sales by region
- Pie chart - Category wise sales
- Donut chart - Sales by Representative
- Column chart – Sales by product type
- Bar chart – Total profit by years

# Business Insights

- key KPIs
- total sales: ₹470.5m
- total profit: ₹109.3m
- overall profit margin: 23.24%
- total orders: 6,000
- The business shows a healthy profit margin (~23%), indicating good pricing control and cost efficiency across categories.

# Sales Trend & Seasonality

- Sales show **consistent performance across years (2022–2024)**
- Slight peaks observed in **mid-year and festive months**
- No extreme volatility → stable demand pattern
- This suggests predictable revenue cycles, making it easier to plan inventory, staffing, and promotions

# Regional Performance

| Region | Total Sales | Total Profit |
|--------|-------------|--------------|
| East   | ₹121.5M     | ₹28.0M       |
| West   | ₹119.1M     | ₹28.2M       |
| South  | ₹115.4M     | ₹26.7M       |
| North  | ₹114.5M     | ₹26.4M       |

- **East and West** are top-performing regions
- Sales and profit are **fairly evenly distributed**
- No region is severely underperforming
- Actionable Takeaway - Double down on marketing and premium products in East & West while experimenting with localized offers in North & South.

# Top Products by Revenue

| Product    | Sales  | Profit | Margin % |
|------------|--------|--------|----------|
| Smartwatch | ₹62.7M | ₹14.8M | 23.6%    |
| Laptop     | ₹60.2M | ₹13.8M | 23.0%    |
| Smartphone | ₹59.8M | ₹13.6M | 22.8%    |
| Headphones | ₹58.8M | ₹13.8M | 23.5%    |
| Keyboard   | ₹58.7M | ₹13.4M | 22.8%    |

- Insights - **Wearables (Smartwatch)** lead in revenue
- Electronics dominate top 5
- All major products operate in a **tight margin band (22.7–23.6%)**
- Revenue is diversified — no single product dependency. This reduces risk and allows stable long-term growth.

# Low-Margin Products (Profit Leakage Risk)

| Product    | Margin % |
|------------|----------|
| Keyboard   | 22.75%   |
| Smartphone | 22.84%   |
| Laptop     | 23.00%   |
| Camera     | 23.15%   |
| Mouse      | 23.16%   |

- Insight - These products sell well but generate **slightly lower margins**. Even a 1–2% margin improvement here could significantly boost profits.
- Actionable Takeaway - Optimize supplier contracts, adjust pricing, or bundle accessories to lift margins for these high-volume SKUs.

# Sales Representative Performance

| Sales Rep | Sales  | Profit |
|-----------|--------|--------|
| Sneha     | ₹63.1M | ₹14.5M |
| Vikram    | ₹62.7M | ₹14.3M |
| Anjali    | ₹59.9M | ₹13.9M |
| Amit      | ₹59.4M | ₹14.0M |
| Neha      | ₹56.9M | ₹13.4M |

- Insights - **Sneha & Vikram** are consistent top performers
- Performance gap between top & bottom reps is moderate
- Indicates a **well-balanced sales team**
- Actionable Takeaway - Replicate best practices from top reps and roll them into training programs for mid-tier performers.

# Profitability Pattern

- all categories maintain a stable profit margin band
- no extreme loss-making product
- profit tracks closely with revenue → clean cost structure
- business insight - the business is well-controlled financially, but growth will come more from volume scaling and upselling than drastic cost-cutting.