

CASE-STUDY STYLE SQL QUESTIONS

1. If Olist wants to improve customer satisfaction, which operational metrics should be analyzed?

Customer satisfaction in Olist is mainly driven by:

- **Delivery performance**
- **Order issues (late delivery)**
- **Review scores**
- **Seller performance**

Metric 1: Average Delivery Time vs Review Score

```
SELECT
  ROUND(
    DATEDIFF(
      o.order_delivered_customer_date,
      o.order_purchase_timestamp
    )
  ) AS delivery_days,
  AVG(r.review_score) AS avg_review_score,
  COUNT(*) AS total_orders
FROM orders o
JOIN order_reviews r ON o.order_id = r.order_id
WHERE o.order_status = 'delivered'
GROUP BY delivery_days
ORDER BY delivery_days desc limit 10;
```

	delivery_days	avg_review_score	total_orders
▶	208	2.0000	1
	196	1.0000	1
	195	2.5000	2
	194	4.0000	1
	191	1.0000	1
	190	1.0000	1
	188	3.0000	2
	187	5.0000	1
	186	4.0000	1
	183	5.0000	1

Metric 2: Late Delivery Rate

```
SELECT
  ROUND(
    COUNT(CASE
      WHEN o.order_delivered_customer_date > o.order_estimated_delivery_date
      THEN 1 END) * 100.0 / COUNT(*),
    2
  ) AS late_delivery_percentage
FROM orders o
WHERE o.order_status = 'delivered';
```

	late_delivery_percentage
▶	8.11

Metric 3: Review Score by Delivery Status

```
SELECT
CASE
    WHEN o.order_delivered_customer_date <= o.order_estimated_delivery_date
    THEN 'On Time'
    ELSE 'Late'
END AS delivery_status,
AVG(r.review_score) AS avg_review_score,
COUNT(*) AS total_orders
FROM orders o
JOIN order_reviews r ON o.order_id = r.order_id
WHERE o.order_status = 'delivered'
GROUP BY delivery_status;
```

	delivery_status	avg_review_score	total_orders
▶	On Time	4.2937	88653
	Late	2.5685	7708

Metric 4: Seller-Level Customer Satisfaction

```
SELECT
    oi.seller_id,
    COUNT(r.review_id) AS total_reviews,
    AVG(r.review_score) AS avg_review_score
FROM order_items oi
JOIN order_reviews r ON oi.order_id = r.order_id
GROUP BY oi.seller_id
HAVING COUNT(r.review_id) >= 50
ORDER BY avg_review_score desc limit 10;
```

	seller_id	total_reviews	avg_review_score
▶	d9bd94811c3338dceb4181f3dbc0c73e	61	4.8197
	d13e50eaa47b4cbe9eb81465865d8cfc	69	4.8116
	83e197e95a1bbabc8c75e883ed016c47	55	4.7455
	d566c37fa119d5e66c4e9052e83ee4ea	71	4.7183
	376a891762bbdec02b4b6adec3fdda	58	4.6724
	080199a181c46c657dc5aa235411be3b	82	4.6098
	5b925e1d006e9476d738aa200751b73b	66	4.6061
	116ccb1a1604bc88e4d234a8c23f33de	73	4.6027
	e882b2a25a10b9c057cc49695f222c19	60	4.6000
	1bb2bdb95f4841f1bba2c0d2cd83d3c9	85	4.5882

🔗 **Summary:** To improve customer satisfaction, it's important to analyse delivery time, late delivery rate, review scores, and seller-level performance, as these metrics directly affect customer experience and repeat purchases.

2. Which categories should Olist prioritise for marketing based on revenue and growth?

Marketing should focus on:

- **High revenue categories**
- **Emerging categories with growth momentum**
- **Fast-growing categories**

Metric 1: Revenue by Category

SELECT

p.product_category_name_english,

SUM(oi.price) AS total_revenue

FROM order_items oi

JOIN products p ON oi.product_id = p.product_id

JOIN orders o ON oi.order_id = o.order_id

WHERE o.order_status = 'delivered'

GROUP BY p.product_category_name_english

ORDER BY total_revenue DESC limit 10;

Result Grid	Filter Rows:	Export
product_category_name_english	total_revenue	
health_beauty	1233131.7208693027	
watches_gifts	1166176.9777069092	
bed_bath_table	1023434.7600488663	
sports_leisure	954852.5489358902	
computers_accessories	888724.6074113846	
furniture_decor	711927.6923160553	
housewares	615628.690759182	
cool_stuff	610204.101855278	
auto	578966.6507818699	
toys	471286.48043489456	

Metric 2: High Growth but Medium Revenue Categories (Hidden Opportunities)

SELECT

p.product_category_name_english,

COUNT(DISTINCT o.order_id) AS total_orders,

SUM(oi.price) AS total_revenue

FROM orders o

JOIN order_items oi ON o.order_id = oi.order_id

JOIN products p ON oi.product_id = p.product_id

WHERE o.order_status = 'delivered'

GROUP BY p.product_category_name_english

HAVING total_revenue BETWEEN 100000 AND 500000

ORDER BY total_orders DESC limit 10;

Result Grid	Filter Rows:	Export	Wrap
product_category_name_english	total_orders	total_revenue	
telephony	4093	309860.22948408127	
toys	3804	471286.48043489456	
garden_tools	3448	470495.2820520401	
perfumery	3086	390144.64856529236	
baby	2808	398487.83999443054	
electronics	2517	155043.92941069603	
stationery	2264	223788.68987584114	
fashion_bags_accessories	1820	149329.39039039612	
pet_shop	1688	211695.64004659653	
office_furniture	1254	268154.3111114502	


Metric 3: Monthly Revenue Growth by Category

```
WITH monthly_category_revenue AS (  
    SELECT  
        p.product_category_name_english,  
        DATE_FORMAT(o.order_purchase_timestamp, '%Y-%m') AS month,  
        SUM(oi.price) AS revenue  
    FROM orders o  
    JOIN order_items oi ON o.order_id = oi.order_id  
    JOIN products p ON oi.product_id = p.product_id  
    WHERE o.order_status = 'delivered'  
    GROUP BY p.product_category_name_english, month  
)
```

```
SELECT  
    product_category_name_english,  
    month,  
    revenue,  
    ROUND(  
        (revenue - LAG(revenue) OVER (  
            PARTITION BY product_category_name_english  
            ORDER BY month  
        )) / LAG(revenue) OVER (  
            PARTITION BY product_category_name_english  
            ORDER BY month  
        ) * 100,  
        2  
    ) AS mom_growth_pct
```

```
FROM monthly_category_revenue;
```

product_category_name_english	month	revenue	mom_growth_pct
agro_industry_and_commerce	2017-01	65.96999931335449	NULL
agro_industry_and_commerce	2017-02	224.8400001525879	240.82
agro_industry_and_commerce	2017-03	81.9900016784668	-63.53
agro_industry_and_commerce	2017-05	1579.9399642944336	1826.99
agro_industry_and_commerce	2017-06	1390	-12.02

 **Summary:** To prioritise categories for marketing, it's important to analyse category-level revenue, month-over-month growth, and order volume to identify high-performing and fast-growing categories with strong ROI potential.

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