



PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION EFFICIENCY ANALYSIS

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****Analysis Objectives**:**

1. ****Improving On-Time Performance**:** Ensure that public transportation services operate on time and identify areas with consistently poor punctuality.
2. ****Enhancing Passenger Satisfaction**:** Understand passenger feedback to address issues and improve the overall quality of service.
3. ****Optimizing Service Efficiency**:** Increase the efficiency of public transportation services by monitoring key operational metrics.

****Design Thinking Process**:**

Design thinking is an iterative process that helps solve complex problems and create innovative solutions. In the context of public transportation efficiency analysis, you can follow these steps:

1. ****Empathize**:**

- Understand the needs and pain points of both passengers and transportation operators.

- Identify key metrics for efficiency, on-time performance, and passenger satisfaction.

2. **Define**:

- Clearly define the project's objectives and scope.
- Determine the specific metrics and KPIs that will be used to measure efficiency, on-time performance, and passenger satisfaction.

3. **Ideate**:

- Brainstorm potential solutions and data sources.
- Consider innovative ways to visualize and analyze the data.

4. **Prototype**:

- Create mock-ups or wireframes of the IBM Cognos dashboards and reports you plan to build.
- Use these prototypes to gather feedback from stakeholders.

5. **Test and Iterate**:

- Develop a minimum viable product (MVP) of the dashboards and reports.
- Gather feedback from users and stakeholders, and make iterative improvements.

Development Phases:

The development of the project can be broken down into several phases:

1. **Data Collection Process**:

- Collect data from various sources, which may include:
 - GPS tracking systems on vehicles for on-time performance data.
 - Passenger surveys or feedback forms.
 - Operational data, including maintenance records and schedules.
- Implement data extraction, transformation, and loading (ETL) processes to consolidate and clean the data.

2. **Data Storage and Management**:

- Store the cleaned and transformed data in a suitable data repository, such as a relational database or a data warehouse.
- Ensure data is regularly updated and maintained.

3. **Data Visualization Using IBM Cognos**:

- Create a data model in IBM Cognos Framework Manager to support reporting and dashboard creation.
- Design and develop reports and dashboards using IBM Cognos Report Studio and Dashboard.
- Visualize on-time performance with line charts or heat maps, passenger feedback using word clouds and tables, and service efficiency with bar charts or KPIs.
- Implement interactivity, such as filtering and drill-through options, for enhanced user experience.

4. **Code Integration**:

- If necessary, integrate custom code or scripts to enhance data processing or create advanced visualizations.
- Ensure that the code is well-documented and maintainable.

5. **Testing and Optimization**:

- Thoroughly test the dashboards, reports, and data processes for accuracy, performance, and usability.
- Optimize the performance of data queries and dashboard rendering.

6. **Deployment and User Training**:

- Deploy the dashboards and reports to the appropriate platform for users to access.
- Provide training to end users and administrators on how to utilize the tools effectively.

7. **Feedback and Continuous Improvement**:

- Continuously collect feedback from users and stakeholders to identify areas for improvement and make iterative enhancements to the project.

CODE :

```
# Import necessary libraries

import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns

# Load the dataset (replace 'your_dataset.csv' with your actual dataset file)
data = pd.read_csv('your_dataset.csv')

# Data Preprocessing

data['Date'] = pd.to_datetime(data['Date'])
data['ScheduledArrival'] = pd.to_datetime(data['ScheduledArrival'])
data['ActualArrival'] = pd.to_datetime(data['ActualArrival'])

# Calculate delay

data['Delay'] = (data['ActualArrival'] - data['ScheduledArrival']).dt.total_seconds()
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# Calculate key performance indicators

avg_delay = data['Delay'].mean()
on_time_percentage = (data['Delay'] <= 0).mean()
average_passenger_load = data['PassengerCount'].mean()
```

Data Visualization

```
plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))  
sns.histplot(data['Delay'], bins=20, kde=True)  
plt.title('Distribution of Delays')  
plt.xlabel('Delay (minutes)')  
plt.ylabel('Frequency')  
plt.show()
```

Print analysis results

```
print(f'Average Delay: {avg_delay:.2f} minutes')  
print(f'On-Time Percentage: {on_time_percentage:.2%}')  
print(f'Average Passenger Load: {average_passenger_load:.2f} passengers')
```

Route optimization analysis

You can add code here to optimize transportation routes, e.g., using network analysis libraries like NetworkX.

Advanced visualization

Create visualizations that provide insights into route efficiency, passenger distribution, etc.

Machine learning models

Implement ML models to predict delays or optimize schedules based on historical data.

