Kimball Lifecycle Proposal Template

CIS 9440 - Data Warehousing for Analytics

Final Project Milestone 1

Group Number - 12

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This Proposal is the beginning of your semester-long Final Project. The goal of the project is to develop a working Data Warehouse using a commercial database management system. Your project will use data from at least 2 sources, dimensionally model the data inside your Data Warehouse, and connect to a Business Intelligence application to produce valuable, actionable insights.

For motivation on project ideas, search for public datasets that interests you and your group. Then, think about how these datasets (maybe combined with other datasets) could address a problem or opportunity. Below are just a few (of many) public data sources:

1. Kaggle

2. NYC Open Data

3. Opendata.gov

4. Gapminder

5. Zillow

6. NOAA Climate Data

7. Google's public datasets

Data Warehouse Project Title:

YouTube videos statistical analysis for 10 different countries.

Motivation for Project idea:

We want to analyze YouTube trending videos statistics in 10 different countries to learn more about different trends and topics that people from different parts of the world are interested in at the same time frame.

Description of the issues or opportunities the project will address:

The dataset gives us a lot of avenues to analyze the videos people watch across the globe.

1. What category of videos really trend on a daily basis? Is there a connection between multiple Geos?

2. Does the number of views have a relationship with total interaction (like, dislikes or comments)?

3. What kind of videos have a high frequency of restriction enabled on likes or comments?

4. What are the top topics for viewership - entertainment, politics, sports, etc?

5. An opportunity to keep the date format consistent across all countries for which we analyse.

Business Justification:

<u>High-level Business Initiative:</u>

To see any correlation between top trending videos in countries with high YouTube viewership.

<u>BI Sponsors and Stakeholders (who will own this project?)</u>

Analytics team of a consulting firm

<u>What's the Business Value?</u>

Can this exercise be used to extend a possible collaboration with Ad agencies to figure out what kind of videos might bring more traction to their Product Ads for future campaign strategy on trending YouTube videos.

<u>How long will this take? How much will this cost?</u>

This project will take 2 months. The estimated cost for this project is $200.

Technical Justification:

This dataset includes several months (and counting) of data on daily trending YouTube videos. Data is included for the US, GB, DE, CA, and FR regions (USA, Great Britain, Germany, Canada, and France, respectively), with up to 200 listed trending videos per day.

EDIT: Now includes data from RU, MX, KR, JP and IN regions (Russia, Mexico, South Korea, Japan and India respectively) over the same time period.
Each region's data is in a separate file. Data includes the video title, channel title, publish time, tags, views, likes and dislikes, description, and comment count.

<u>Which data sources do we already have for this project?</u>

Dataset: Kaggle (https://www.kaggle.com/datasnaek/youtube-new)

<u>What new data sources do we need (if any)</u>

The source data has a lot of info from multiple geographies (10 to be precise), and we can use it to do all sorts of combinations to find any relationship in trends or patterns of user viewership.

<u>Is the data we have conformed, consistent, and current? (data quality)</u>

Yes, the data is consistent but the category ID is unique for each country so that might need some engineering to properly categorize them. The data for all 10 countries follow the same sequence for data fields so that will be easy to do some analysis. It follows the RDBMS structure with 'video_id' acting as the primary key. As we start digging deep we can see if there is a need for further normalization but it is clearly following up to 3NF.

<u>What technical skills will we need to complete this project?</u>

Data cleaning, data transformation, data analysis.

<u>Will we need any new types of technologies?</u>

We will need Python, Google BigQuery and Tableau

Key Performance Indicators (KPI's) your Data Warehouse will display:

1. Number of likes per total views
2. Number of dislikes per total views
3. Number of comments per total views
4. Number of views by category
5. Top channels with most trending videos (by different granularity)
6. Above 4 KPIs further broken down by countries
7. % of restriction in user engagement by category, country or channels
8. Total number of trending videos removed by country
9. Total number of trending videos removed by category
10. Count of most common tags for each category used YouTube channel owners

(We will continue to add more KPIs worth examining as we proceed with the project execution)