Global Malnutrition Trends: A Power BI Analysis (1983-2019)

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2.3. Initial Project Planning

Project Goals

- Establishing a clear project roadmap.
- Identifying key datasets and data sources.
- Determining the analytical and visualization tools (Power BI).
- Planning workflow stages and deliverables.
- Ensuring alignment with the overall research objectives.

Planning Activities

1. Requirement Analysis:

Defined the scope of the analysis, the key malnutrition indicators (underweight, stunting, and overweight), and the required visual outputs.

2. Data Source Identification:

Selected and reviewed the Global Malnutrition Estimates and Country-Wise Averages datasets for reliability and completeness.

3. Tool and Technology Selection:

Chose Microsoft Power BI for its capability to handle large datasets, perform data modeling, and create dynamic dashboards.

4. Workflow Design:

Outlined a sequential process for data collection, cleaning, modeling, visualization, testing, and documentation.

5. Timeline Development:

Created a project timeline to ensure each phase was completed systematically and within schedule.

Expected Outcome

By the end of the Initial Project Planning phase:

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- A clear roadmap for data analysis and visualization was established.
- The tools, datasets, and methodologies were defined.
- Risks and dependencies were identified and addressed.
- The project was ready to progress into the Data Collection and Preparation Phase.