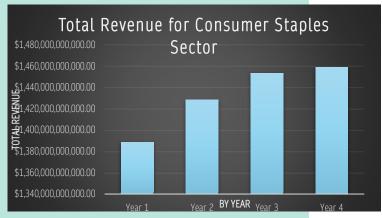
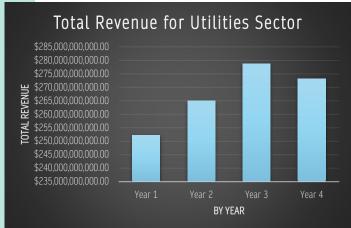
DOES THE INCREASE OR DECREASE OF REVENUE IN THE UTILITIES SECTOR AFFECT CONSUMER

STAPLES REVENUE?





Here are charts for total revenue per year by the Consumer Staples and Utilities sector reported by all companies.

Both distributions are slightly left-skewed meaning the mean is marginally less than the median. Consumer Staples sector's average is \$1,432,461,562,750, whereas its median is \$1,440,971,793,000. The Utilities sector's average is \$267,256,292,750, whereas its median is \$269,045,954,000 This generally suggests the data distribution is approximately symmetrical.

The range for Consumer Staples for all four years (\$70,299,139,000.00) is considerably higher than Utilities for all four years (\$26,577,825,000). The small range for the Utilities sector may show small variability in revenue streams and/or usage by consumers.

For the Consumer Staples sector, the standard deviation (appr. \$32B) is about 2.2% of the average (\$1.432M). This would suggest a stable year-to-year revenue pattern. For the Utilities sector, the standard deviation (\$11.54B) is approximately 4.3% of the mean (\$267.26B). This indicates that the values are fairly consistent, with only moderate fluctuations around the average.

Data Source: NYSE (see attached excel file)