

CS5200 Practicum II, Part III

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Setup and Connection

We first connect to the database and import the relevant libraries.

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# 1. Library
library(RMySQL, quietly=T)
library(ggplot2, quietly=T)

# 2. Settings freemysqlhosting.net (max 5MB)
db_name_fh <- "sql9665320"
db_user_fh <- "sql9665320"
db_host_fh <- "sql9.freemysqlhosting.net"
db_pwd_fh <- "ITbDar1jGA"
db_port_fh <- 3306

# 3. Connect to remote server database
mydb.fh <- dbConnect(RMySQL::MySQL(), user = db_user_fh, password = db_pwd_fh,
                    dbname = db_name_fh, host = db_host_fh, port = db_port_fh)

mydb <- mydb.fh
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Verify that the db has the correct tables

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Tables_in_sql9665320

<chr>

rep_facts

sales_facts

2 rows

Verify that the tables are populated correctly.

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SELECT * FROM rep_facts
LIMIT 20
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total_sold <dbl>	total_qty_sold <int>	total_transactions <int>	sales_rep <chr>	y... <int>	quarter <int>	product <chr>
8924	9700	9	Helmut Schwab	2020	1	Alaraphosol
50310	13000	11	Helmut Schwab	2020	1	Bhiktarvizem
14976	10400	11	Helmut Schwab	2020	1	Clobromizen
13038	10600	9	Helmut Schwab	2020	1	Colophrazen
420	10500	8	Helmut Schwab	2020	1	Diaprogenix
19822	10600	13	Helmut Schwab	2020	1	Gerantrazeophe
10200	10200	11	Helmut Schwab	2020	1	Presterone
20293	9100	8	Helmut Schwab	2020	1	Proxinostat
6204	2200	5	Helmut Schwab	2020	1	Xinoprozen
4680	6500	6	Helmut Schwab	2020	1	Xipramin

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Question 2: Analytical Queries

Analytical Query I

We first query for all the data on sales reps, the year, and their total_sold. We then use r to filter for the top 5 sales reps.

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sql <- "SELECT
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In .local(conn, statement, ...) :
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Decimal MySQL column 0 imported as numeric
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        sales_rep,
        year,
        SUM(total_sold) AS total_sold_per_year
FROM
    rep_facts
GROUP BY
    sales_rep,
    year
ORDER BY
    sales_rep,
    total_sold_per_year DESC;"

top_reps <- dbGetQuery(mydb, sql)

# Takes the data and splits it by year to filter for only the top 5 sales reps
filter_top_5 <- function(df) {
  df_list <- split(df, df$year)
  top_5_list <- lapply(df_list, function(x) x[order(-x$total_sold_per_year), ][1:5, ])
  do.call(rbind, top_5_list)
}

top_reps_filtered <- filter_top_5(top_reps)

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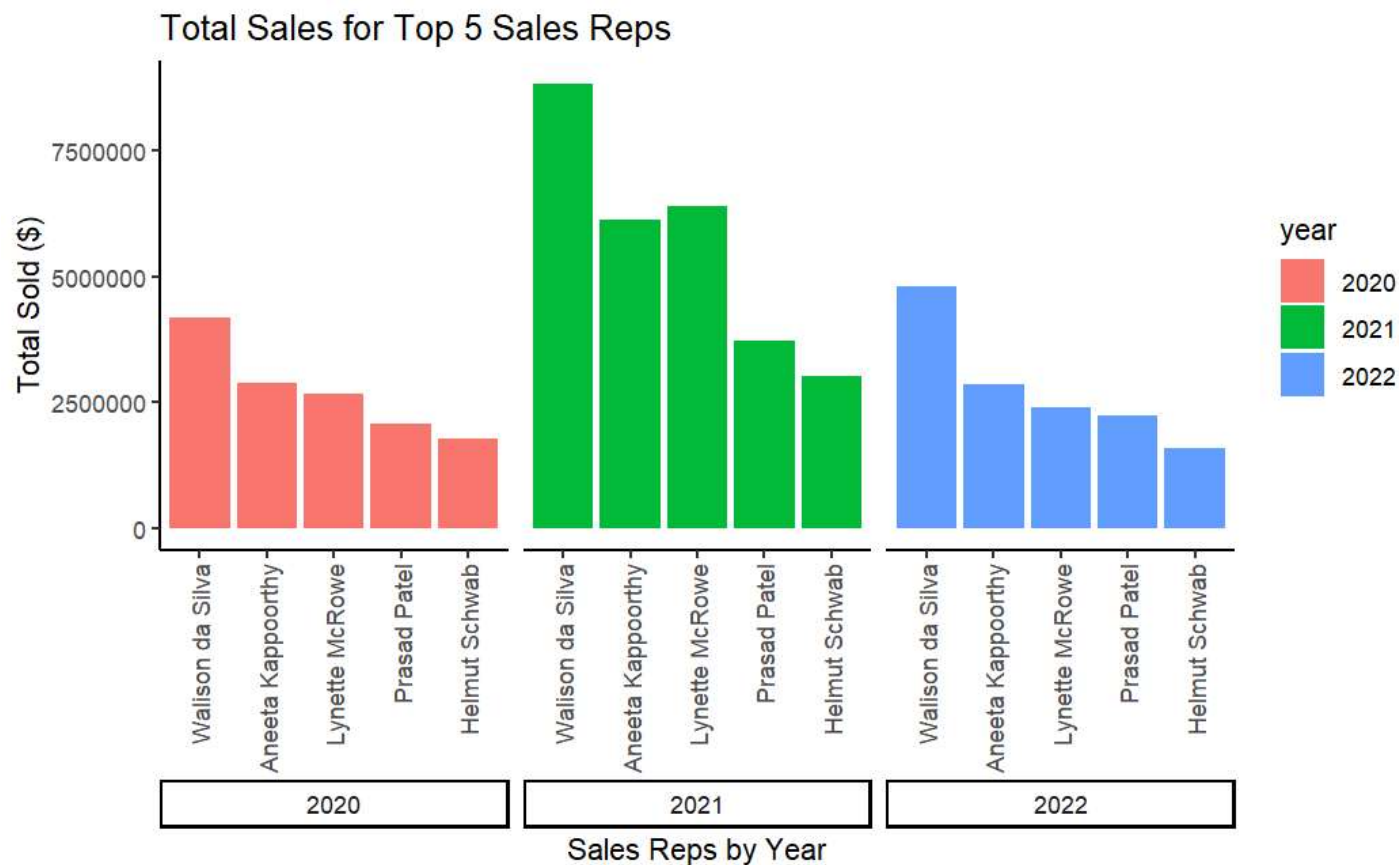
To visualize the top 5 sales reps in a way that's useful, we create a bar chart that organizes the sales reps by year and orders it in decreasing order of total_sold. Here we use ggplot to help with the visualization. We offer 2 versions of this data visualization.

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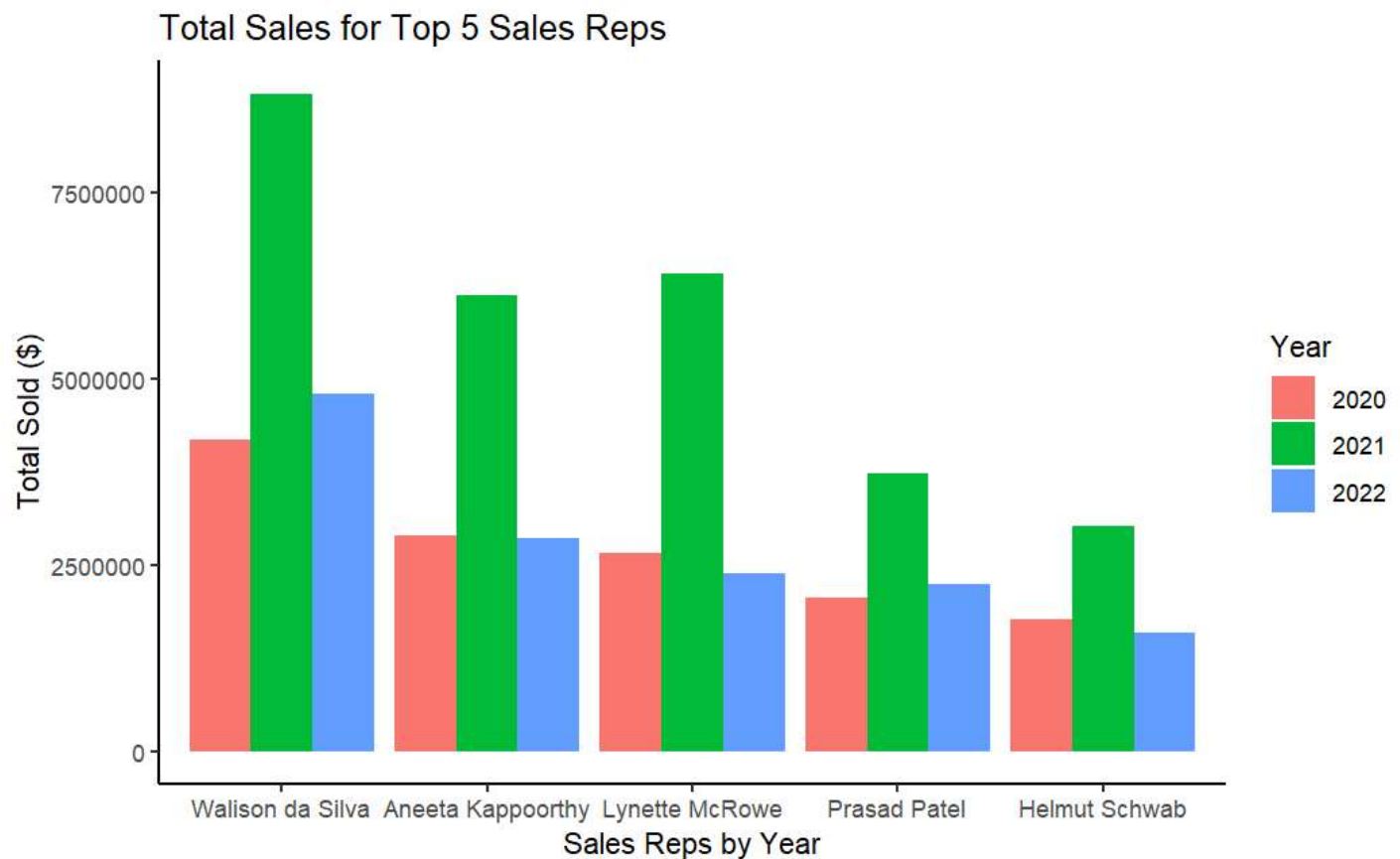
```

# Version 1: Grouping by year, with a bar for each sales rep.
# This version helps to show trends of relative performance between the reps
# .. for each year.
ggplot(top_reps_filtered, aes(x = reorder(sales_rep, -total_sold_per_year), y = total_sold_per_year, group = factor(year), fill = factor(year)))+
  geom_col(position = position_dodge())+
  facet_wrap(~year, strip.position = "bottom")+
  theme_classic()+
  theme(strip.placement = "outside")+
  theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 90, vjust = 0.5, hjust=1))+
  labs(x = "Sales Reps by Year", y = "Total Sold ($)")+
  ggtitle("Total Sales for Top 5 Sales Reps")+
  guides(fill=guide_legend(title="year"))

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# Version 2: Grouping by Sales Rep, with a bar for each year.
# This version helps to show an individual rep's contribution over the time span.
ggplot(top_reps_filtered, aes(x = reorder(sales_rep, -total_sold_per_year), y = total_sold_per_year, fill = factor(year))) +
  geom_col(position = position_dodge()) +
  theme_classic() +
  labs(x = "Sales Reps by Year", y = "Total Sold ($)") +
  ggtitle("Total Sales for Top 5 Sales Reps") +
  guides(fill = guide_legend(title = "Year")) +
  theme(strip.placement = "outside")
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Analytical Query 2

We first query for the regional total by year and save it in a data frame.

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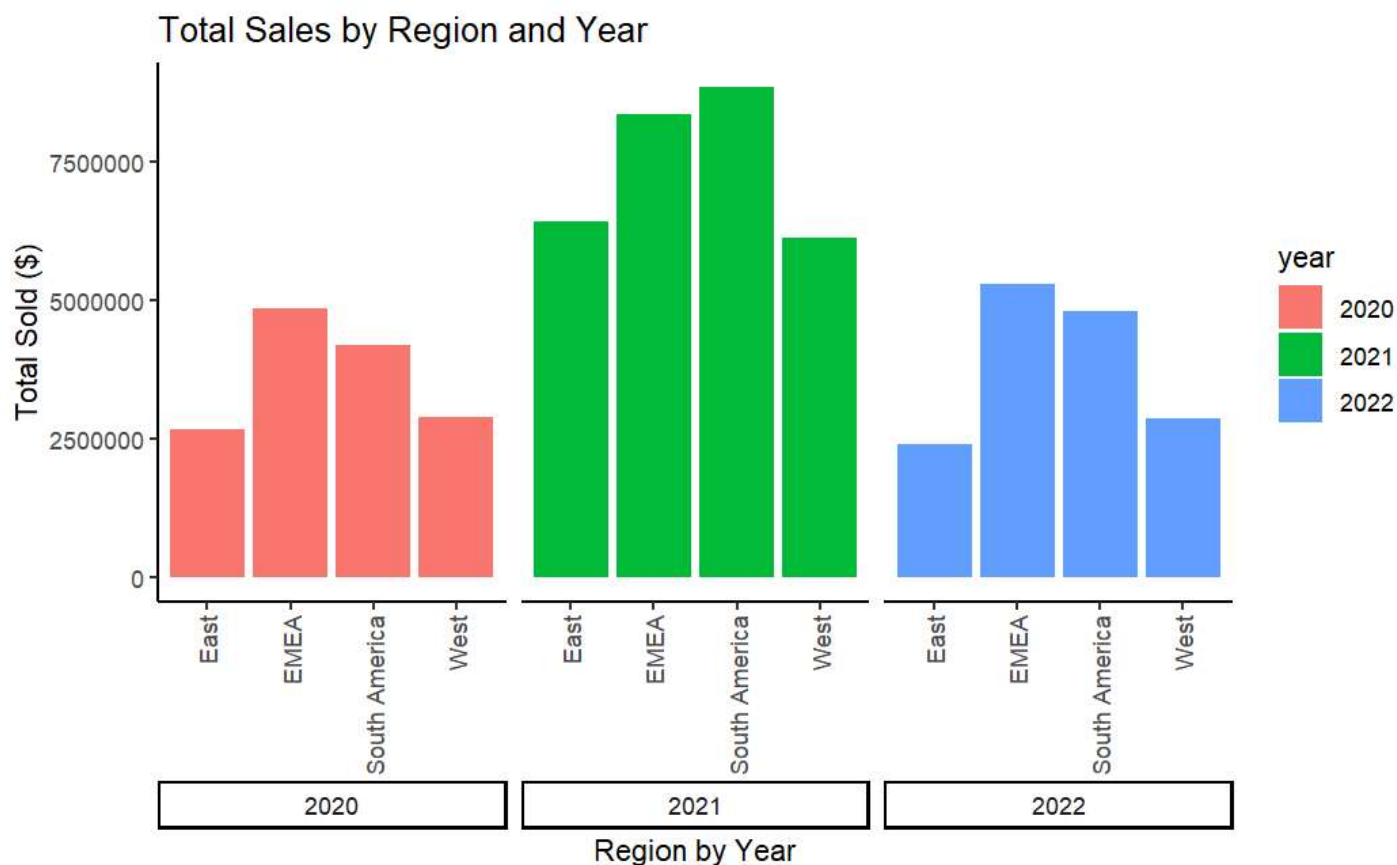
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sql <- "SELECT
    year,
    region,
    SUM(total_sold) AS regional_total
FROM sales_facts
GROUP BY year, region"

regional_totals <- dbGetQuery(mydb, sql)
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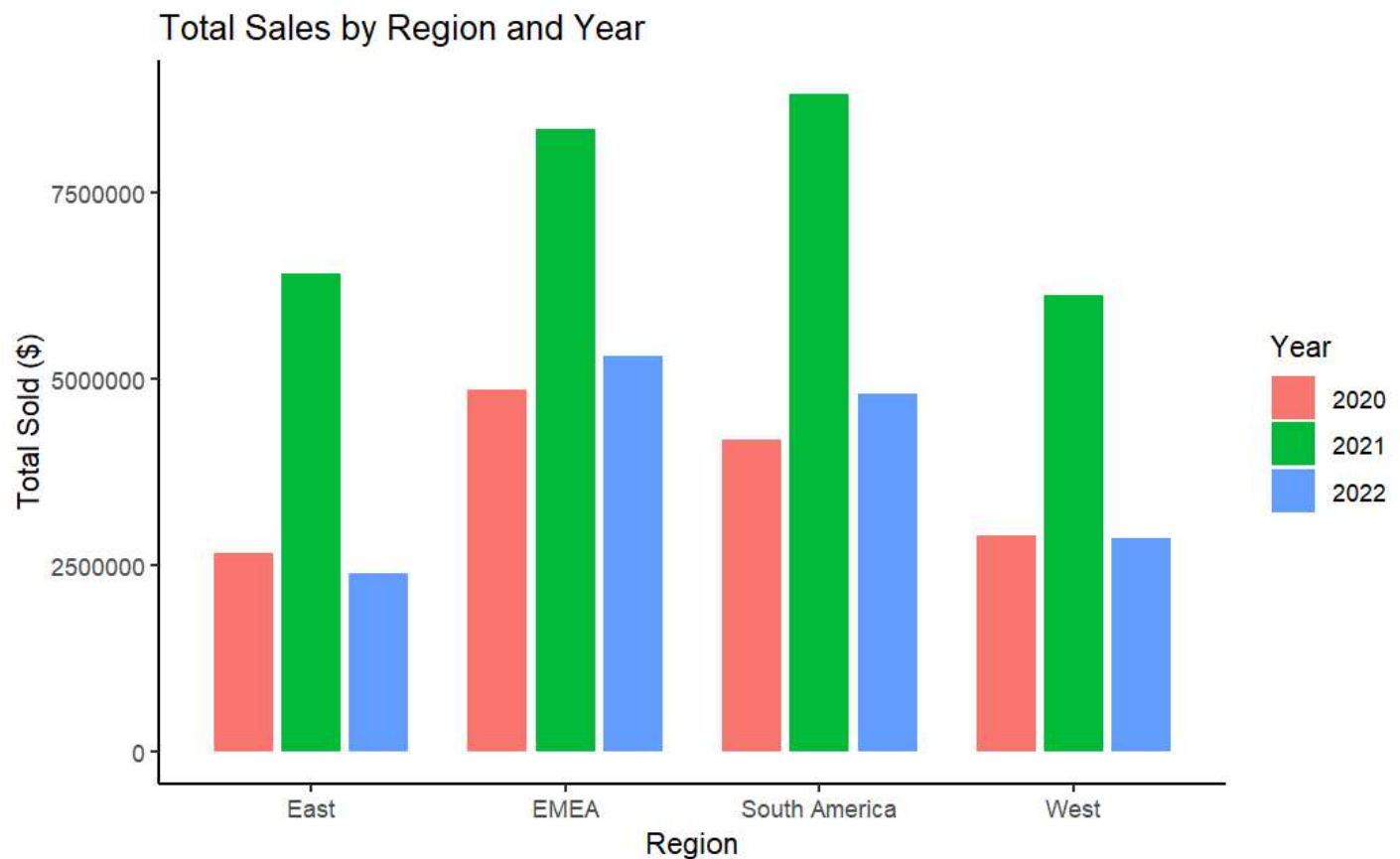
We use ggplot to visualize the data in an easy-to-read way. We offer 2 versions of this data visualization.

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```
# Version 1: Group by year then by region.
# Helps to visualize how sales changed over the year relative to the other regions.
ggplot(regional_totals, aes(x = region, y = regional_total, group = factor(year), fill = factor(year)))+
  geom_col(position = position_dodge())+
  facet_wrap(~year, strip.position = "bottom")+
  theme_classic()+
  theme(strip.placement = "outside")+
  theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 90, vjust = 0.5, hjust=1))+
  labs(x = "Region by Year", y = "Total Sold ($)")+
  ggtitle("Total Sales by Region and Year")+
  guides(fill=guide_legend(title="year"))
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# Version 2: Group by region with a bar for each year.
# Helps to visualize how a region performed over the course of the time period.
ggplot(regional_totals, aes(x = region, y = regional_total, fill = factor(year))) +
  geom_col(position = position_dodge(width = 0.8), width = 0.7) +
  theme_classic() +
  labs(x = "Region", y = "Total Sold ($)") +
  ggtitle("Total Sales by Region and Year") +
  guides(fill = guide_legend(title = "Year")) +
  theme(strip.placement = "outside")
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Analytical Query III

We first query for total by year and quarter and save it to a data frame.

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sql <- "SELECT
  year,
  quarter,
  SUM(total_sold) AS total
FROM sales_facts
GROUP BY year, quarter"
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totals.df <- dbGetQuery(mydb, sql)
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totals.df
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year <int>	quarter <int>	total <dbl>
2020	1	3542172
2020	2	3899126
2020	3	3965597
2020	4	3191442
2021	1	6048599

year <int>	quarter <int>	total <dbl>
2021	2	8211374
2021	3	8512541
2021	4	6935652
2022	1	3719365
2022	2	4015091

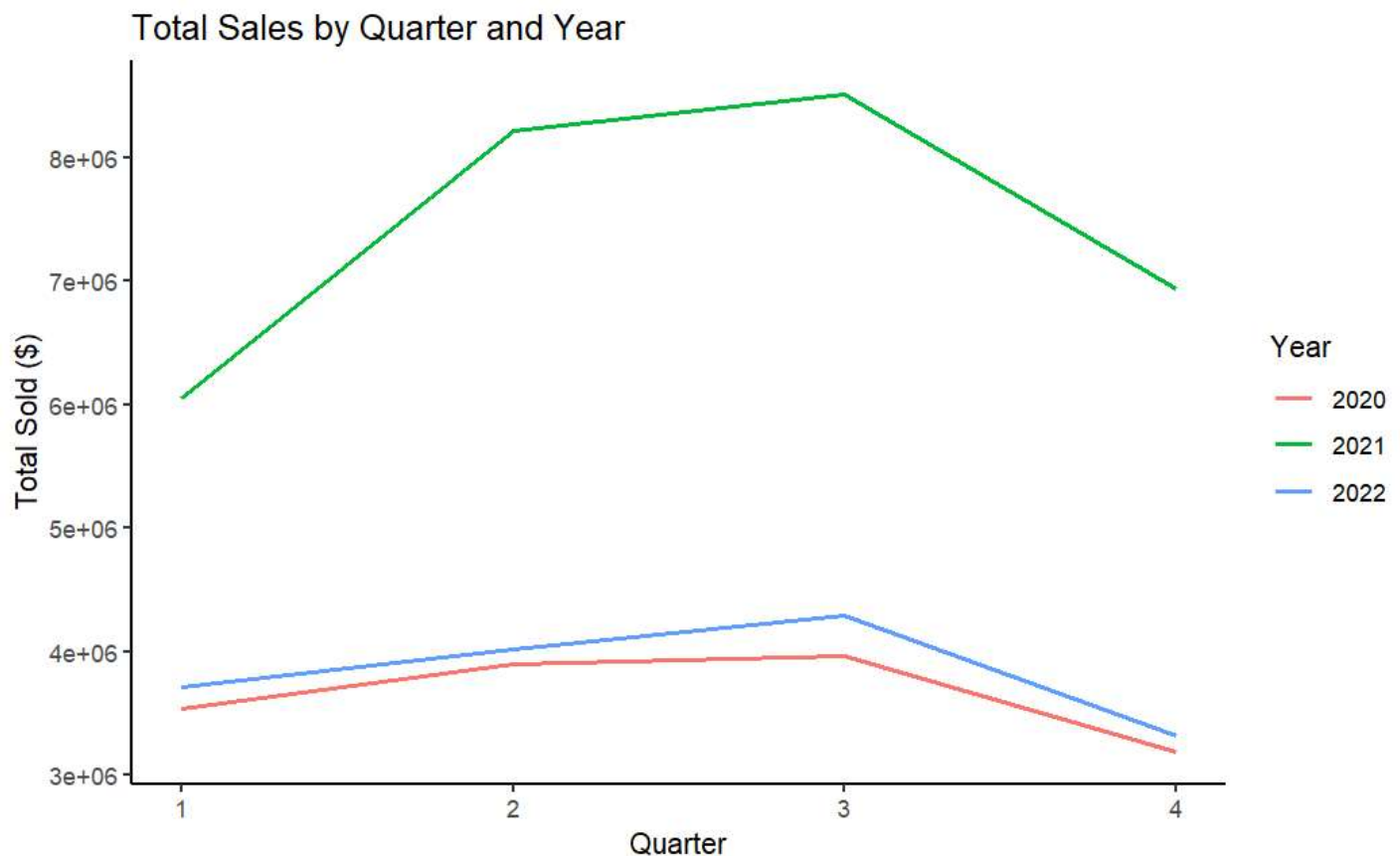
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To visualize the data, we use a line plot in ggplot.

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ggplot(totals.df, aes(x = quarter, y = total, group = factor(year), color = factor(year))) +  
  geom_line(lwd = 0.75) +  
  theme_classic() +  
  labs(x = "Quarter", y = "Total Sold ($)") +  
  ggtitle("Total Sales by Quarter and Year") +  
  guides(color = guide_legend(title = "Year"))
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Disconnect from database

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dbDisconnect(mydb)
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