

Return on Ad Spent analysis

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import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
%matplotlib inline
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df = pd.read_csv('marketing_dummy_datasets/revenue_spend_summary.csv')
df.head()
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	Month	Channel	Spend	Revenue
0	2025-01	Facebook	27253.45	85322.04
1	2025-01	Google Ads	16491.11	52596.80
2	2025-01	Email	20465.26	59786.81
3	2025-01	LinkedIn	6479.43	19969.65
4	2025-01	Twitter	24223.00	96533.60

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df.info()
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<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 30 entries, 0 to 29
Data columns (total 4 columns):
 #   Column      Non-Null Count  Dtype
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 0   Month       30 non-null    object
 1   Channel     30 non-null    object
 2   Spend       30 non-null    float64
 3   Revenue     30 non-null    float64
dtypes: float64(2), object(2)
memory usage: 1.1+ KB
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df.describe()
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	Spend	Revenue
count	30.000000	30.000000
mean	15467.592667	39665.172333
std	6966.237614	21521.076380
min	5276.960000	13874.120000
25%	8982.815000	24375.850000
50%	14675.630000	32263.030000
75%	20280.320000	48892.762500
max	27798.990000	96533.600000

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## Calculate ROAS
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df['ROAS'] = df['Revenue'] / df['Spend']
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## Average ROAS by Channel
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roas_by_channel = df.groupby('Channel')
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['ROAS'].mean().sort_values(ascending = False)

## Monthly Trends
roas_trend = df.pivot(index='Month', columns='Channel', values='ROAS')
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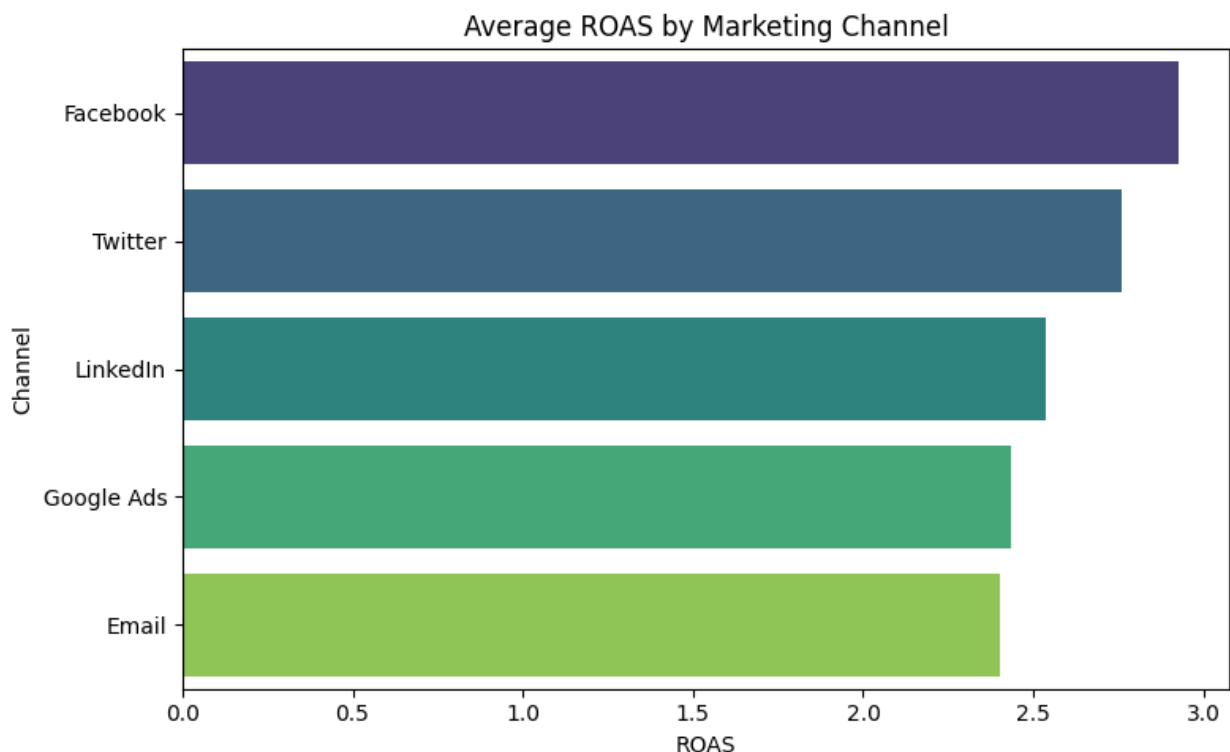
Average Return on Ad Spent by Marketing Channel

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plt.figure(figsize=(8, 5))
sns.barplot(x=roas_by_channel.values, y=roas_by_channel.index,
palette='viridis')
plt.title('Average ROAS by Marketing Channel')
plt.xlabel('ROAS')
plt.ylabel('Channel')
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```

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Passing `palette` without assigning `hue` is deprecated and will be removed in v0.14.0. Assign the `y` variable to `hue` and set `legend=False` for the same effect.

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sns.barplot(x=roas_by_channel.values, y=roas_by_channel.index,
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- **Facebook** delivers the highest ROAS (~2.95), indicating highly efficient ad spend.

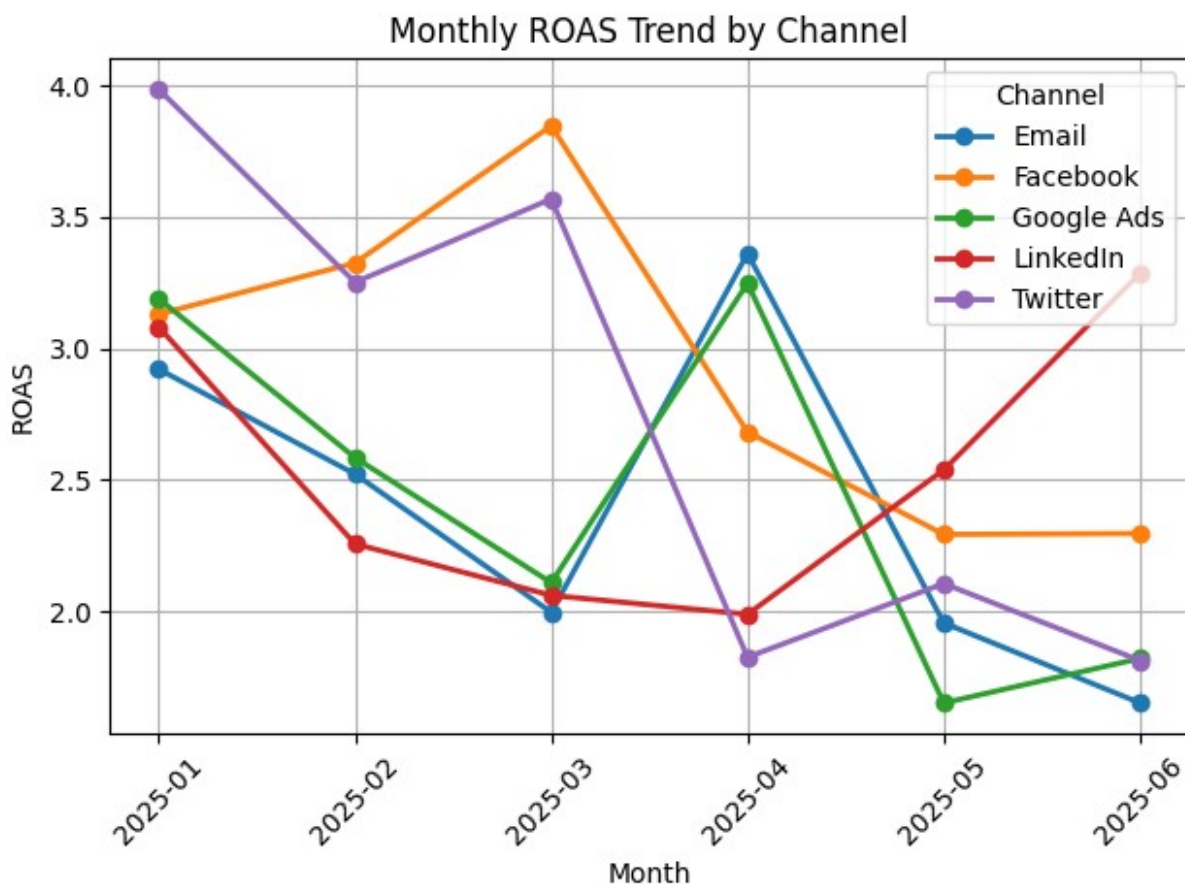
- **Twitter** also performs strongly with a ROAS just under 2.8, making it a reliable channel for returns.
- **Google Ads, Email, and LinkedIn** fall in the 2.4–2.6 range — still above break-even, but slightly less efficient.

ROAS values above 1.0 indicate positive returns. All channels are technically profitable, but some offer much better return invested.

Monthly ROAS Trend by Channel

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plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
roas_trend.plot(marker='o', linewidth=2)
plt.title('Monthly ROAS Trend by Channel')
plt.xlabel('Month')
plt.ylabel('ROAS')
plt.grid(True)
plt.legend(title='Channel')
plt.xticks(rotation=45)
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
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This line chart reveals how each channel's ROAS (Return on Ad Spend) fluctuated month over month from January to June 2025:

- **Facebook** peaked in **March** with the highest ROAS (~3.9), but declined steadily after, indicating possible campaign fatigue or rising costs.
- **Twitter** started extremely strong in **January (~4.0)** but experienced a gradual drop, stabilizing at moderate levels by June.
- **LinkedIn** displayed volatility with a **low point in April (~1.8)** and recovery in June (~3.3), suggesting inconsistent performance.
- **Google Ads** and **Email** showed **relatively stable yet modest ROAS**, with noticeable dips in **May–June**, hinting at reduced efficiency or lead quality.

Overall, ROAS trends emphasize the need to monitor **campaign timing, seasonality, and channel saturation**, and to act quickly when efficiency drops.

Conclusion

- **Facebook and Twitter** consistently delivered the highest average ROAS across the six-month period, with peak performance in March and January, respectively.
- **Email and Google Ads** showed moderate efficiency but trended downward in later months — likely due to audience fatigue or reduced campaign effectiveness.
- **LinkedIn** had the **lowest and most volatile ROAS**, dipping below 2.0 in multiple months, but rebounded slightly in June.

All channels generated positive ROAS (>1.0), meaning they were not loss-making. However, the gap in efficiency across channels highlights optimization opportunities.

Recommendations

1. **Scale High-Performing Channels**
 - Allocate more budget to **Facebook** and **Twitter**, especially around high-performing periods like March and Q1 overall.
2. **Optimize or Pause LinkedIn Campaigns**
 - Audit creative, audience targeting, and bidding strategies for **LinkedIn**. If improvements don't raise ROAS consistently above 2.5, consider shifting spend elsewhere.
3. **Refresh Email and Google Ads Campaigns**
 - Since ROAS declined in May–June, refresh ad creatives, subject lines, or offers.
 - Run **A/B tests** or adjust timing/frequency to boost efficiency.
4. **Incorporate ROAS into Monthly Budget Planning**
 - Use ROAS thresholds (e.g., pause if <1.8, scale if >3.0) in your marketing dashboard.
 - Track monthly ROAS trends by channel to detect issues early.
5. **Combine ROAS with Lead Quality and Retention**
 - Pair ROAS with data from **Lead Conversion** and **Churn** analysis to build a **true customer value lens** — not just upfront revenue.

Aligning spend with proven return drivers will allow the team to maximize impact while reducing wasted investment.

