

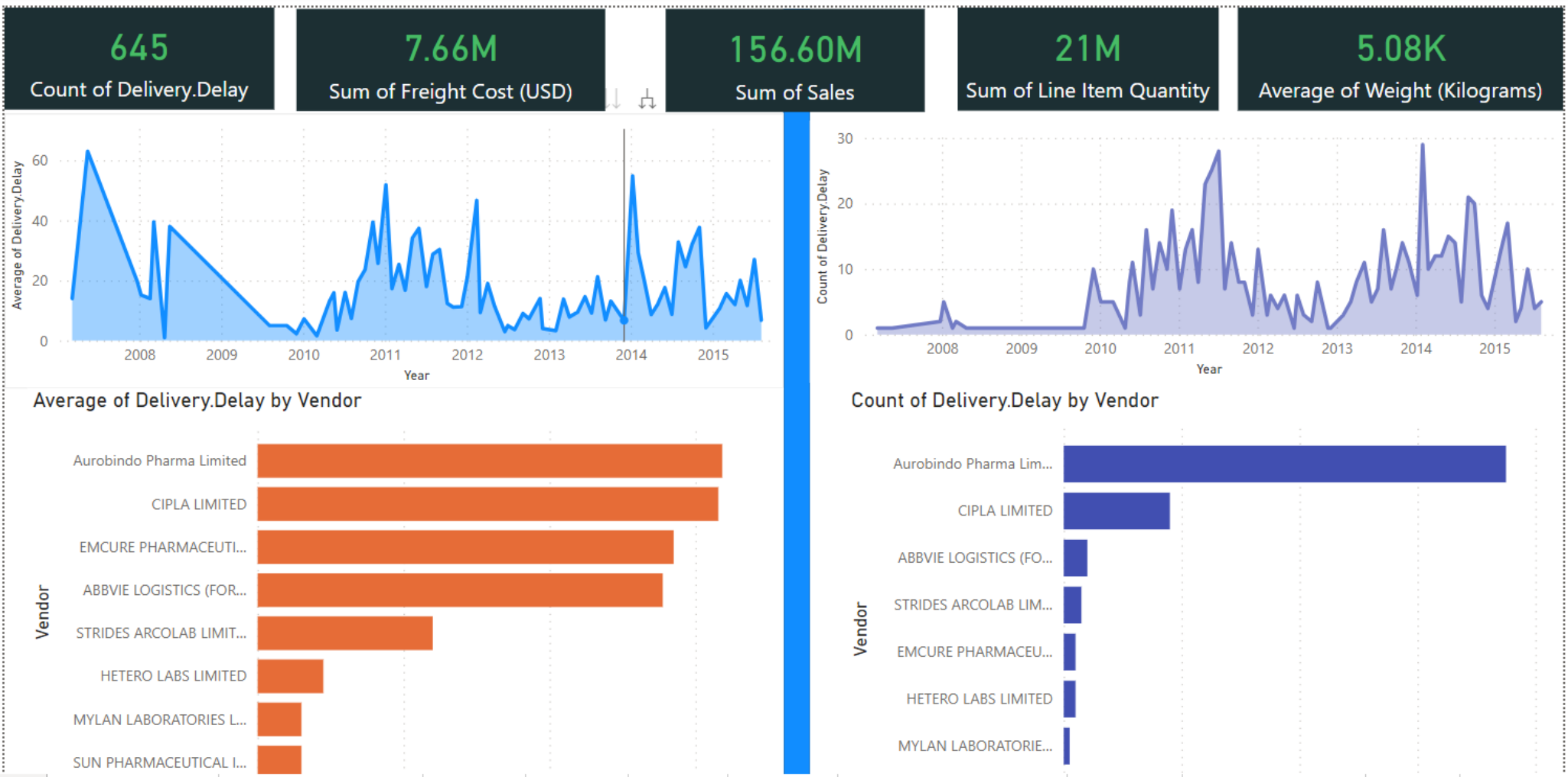
Intro to PowerBI

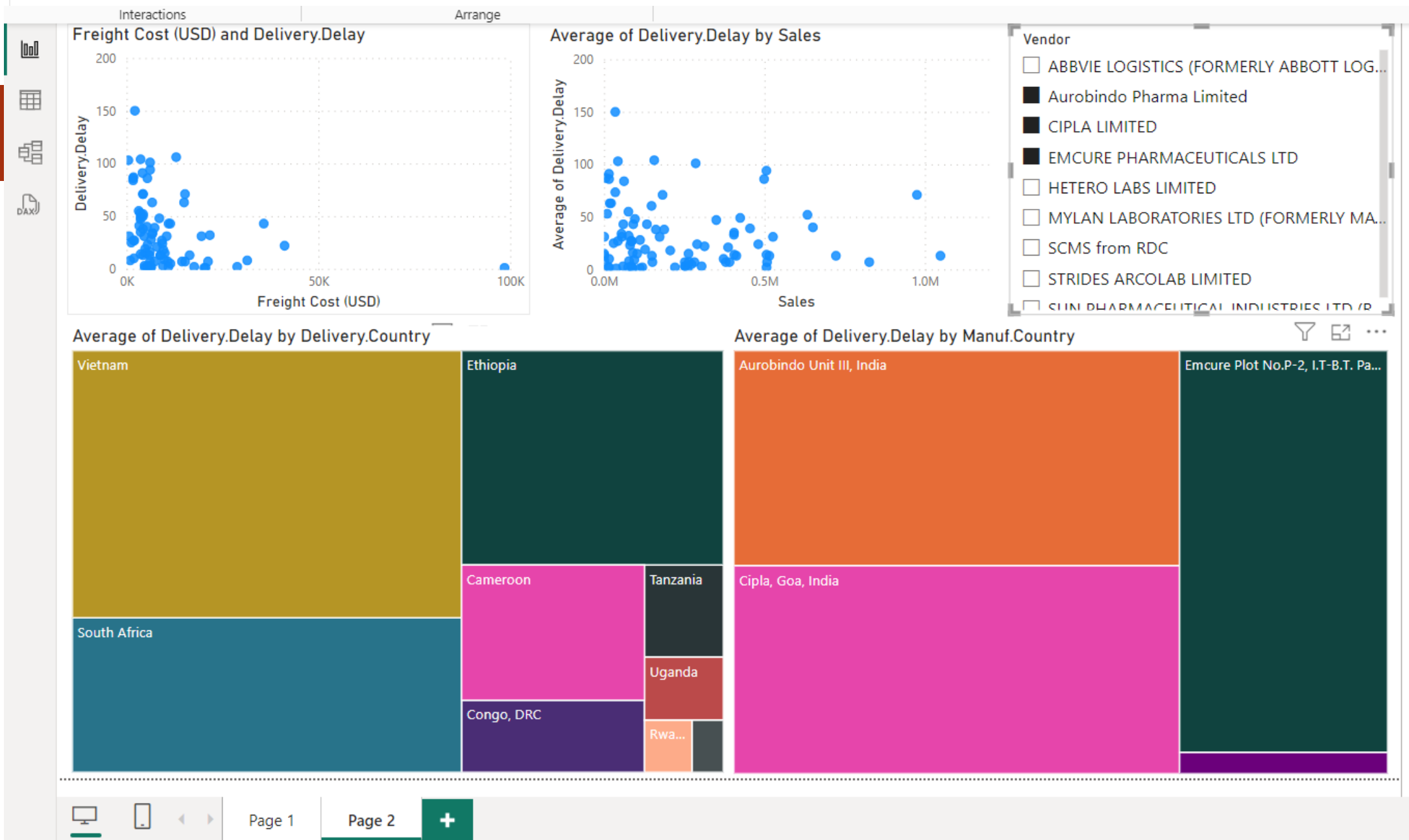
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Setup a Dashboard

Give a single
perspective into
the problem

Dashboard





Create a Title Page

- Add buttons, text boxes, shapes and images.
- Add actions to form an interactive report



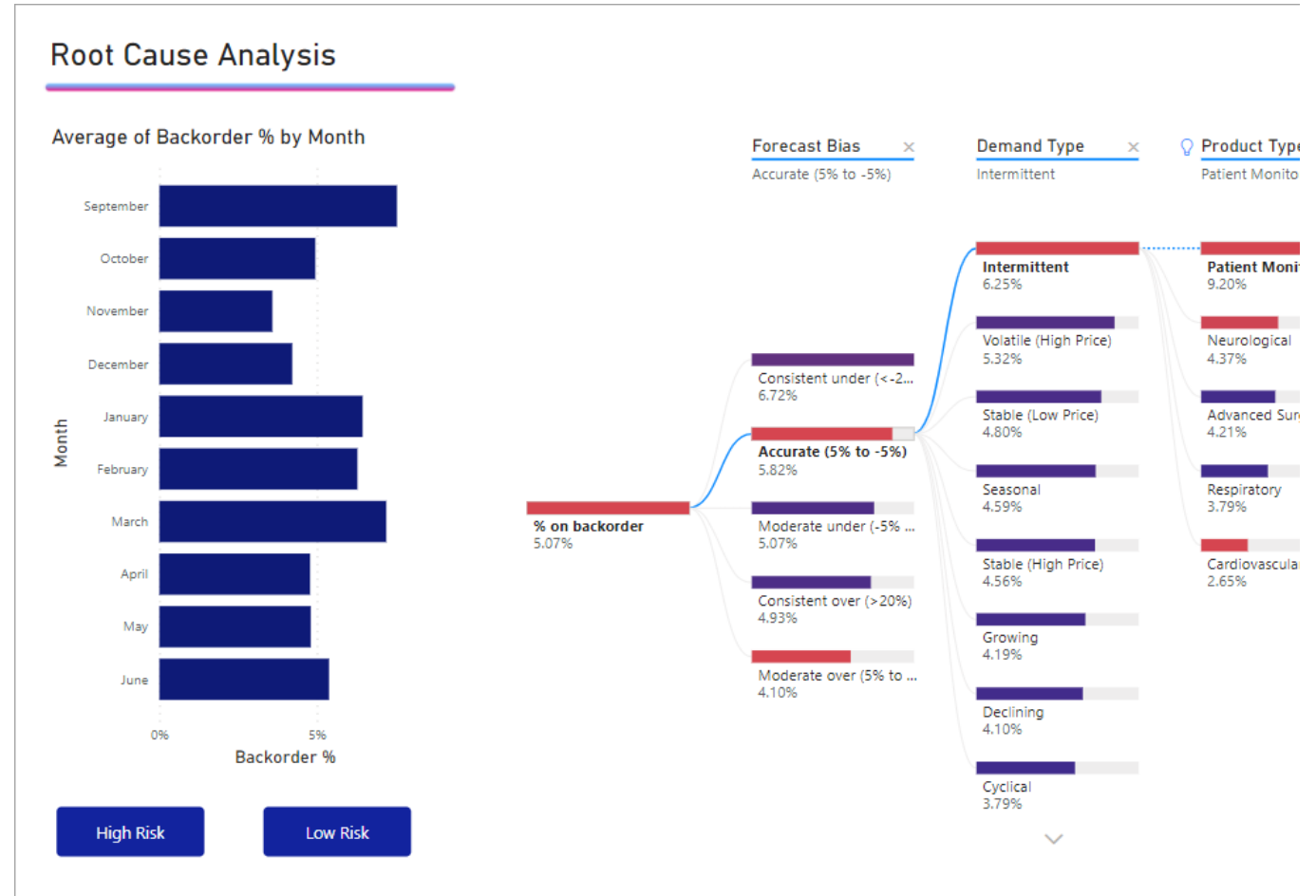
The screenshot displays the IBA report editor interface. The main canvas shows a title page design with a background image of a hand holding a white pill next to a glowing green molecular structure. The title 'Supply Chain Case Study' is prominently displayed in a large, white, sans-serif font. Below the title, a 'Problem Statement' box contains the text 'Analysis of the Efficiency of Supply chain of a Pharmaceutical Company'. The interface includes a left sidebar with icons for various report elements, a top navigation bar with page tabs (Page 3, Page 1, Page 2), and a right sidebar with a 'Format button' and a 'Filters' panel. The 'Format button' panel is open, showing options for 'Button', 'General', and 'Action'. The 'Action' section is expanded, showing settings for 'Type' (Page navigation), 'Bookmark' (None), 'Destination' (Page 1), and 'Web URL'. A 'Tooltip' toggle is also visible at the bottom of the panel. The bottom of the screen shows a status bar with the text 'Page 3 of 3'.

PowerBI Part II

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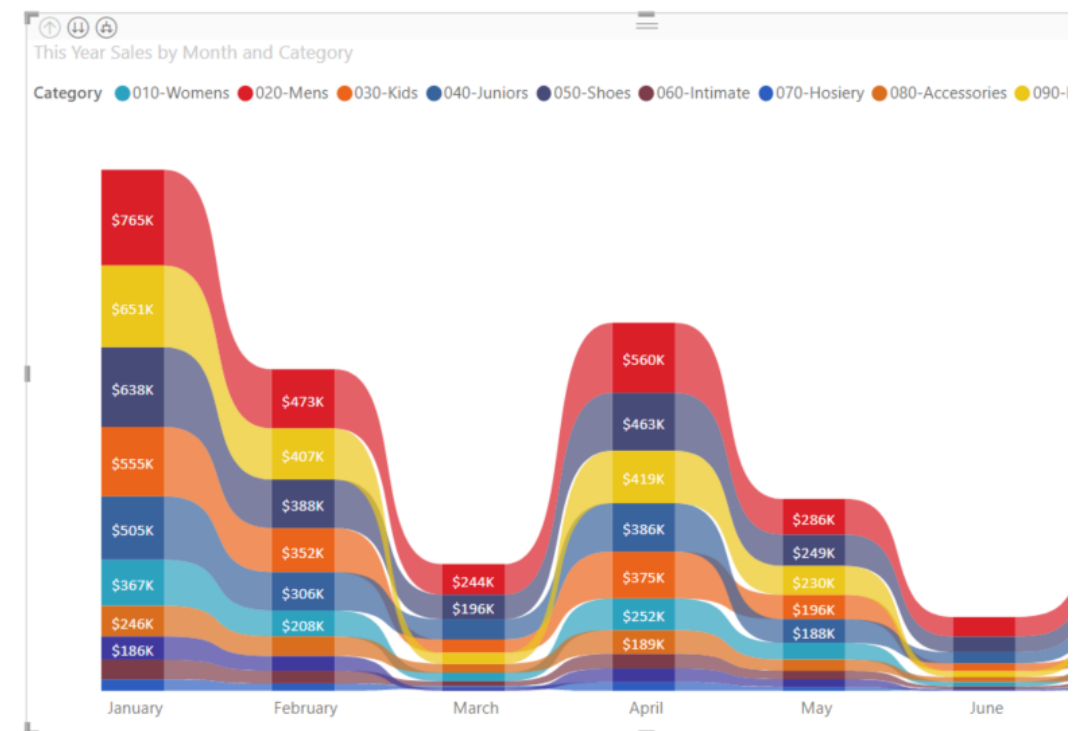
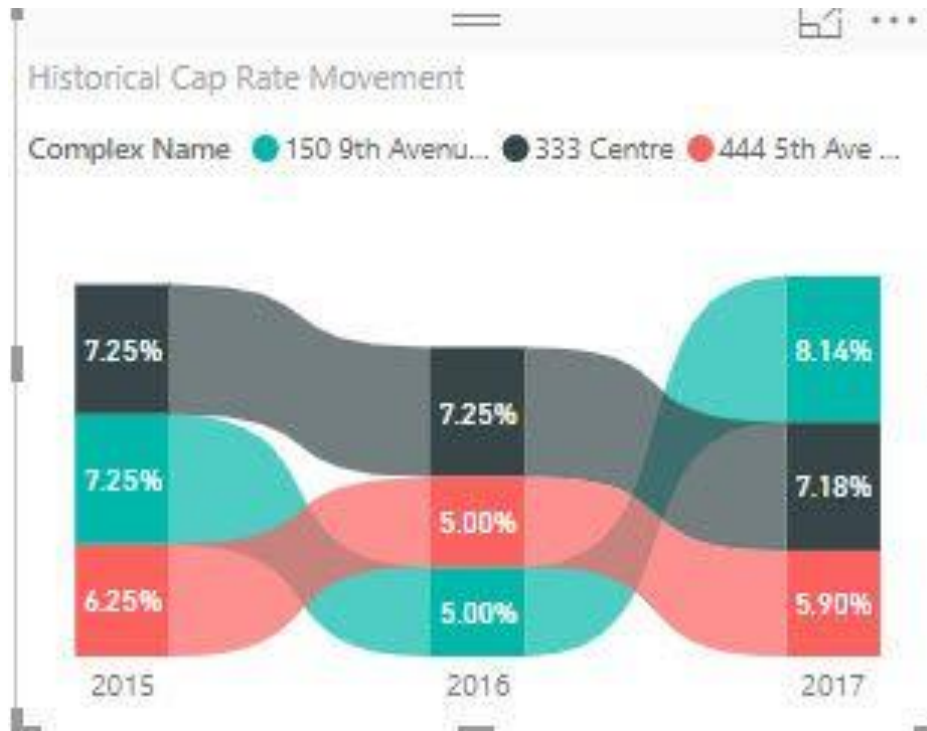
Decomposition tree

- The decomposition tree visual lets you visualize data across multiple dimensions. It automatically aggregates data and enables drilling down into your dimensions in any order. It is also an artificial intelligence (AI) visualization, so you can ask it to find the next dimension to drill down into based on certain criteria. This makes it a valuable tool for ad hoc exploration and conducting root cause analysis.

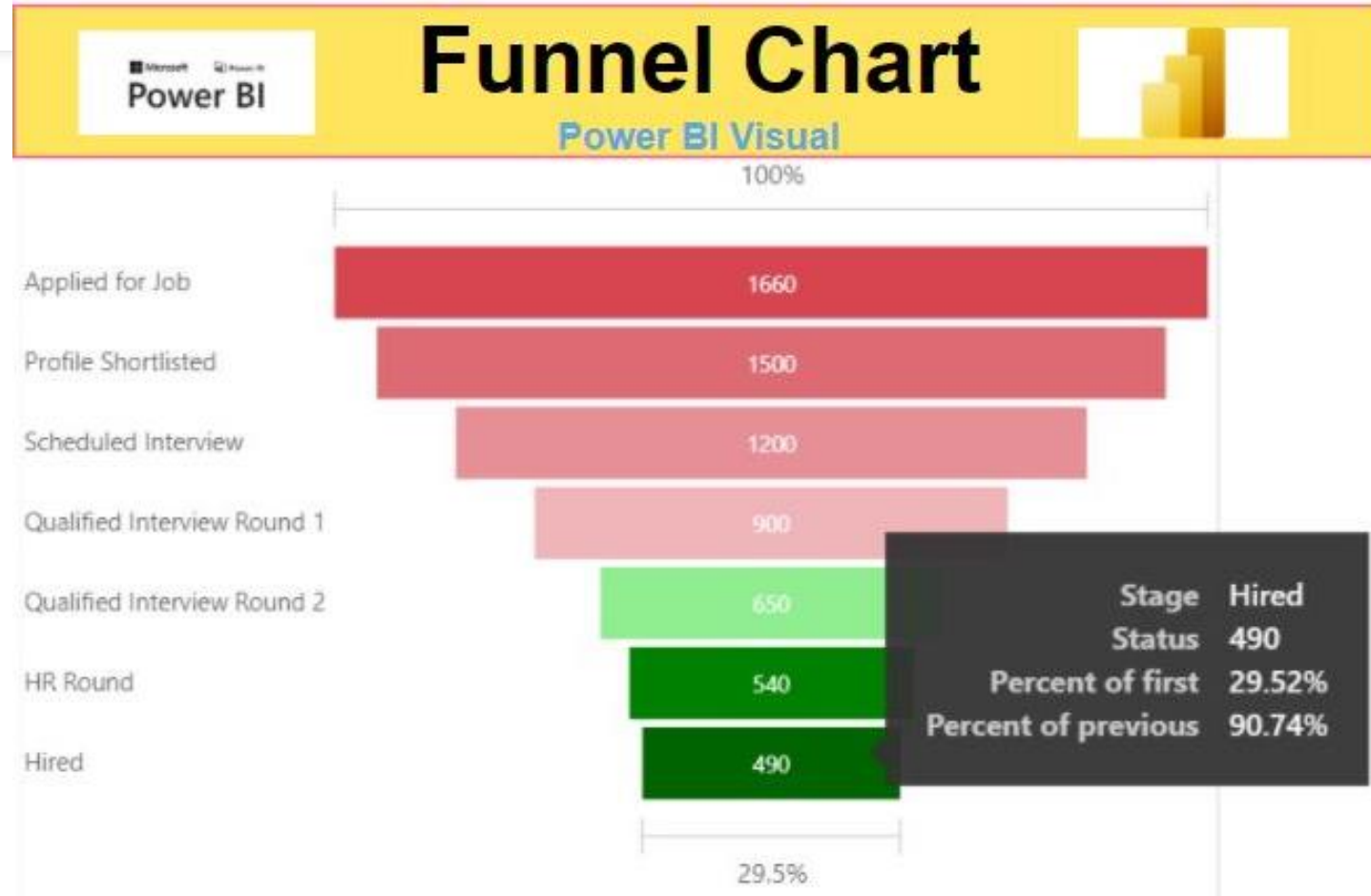


Ribbon Chart

- Power BI Ribbon Chart is useful to quickly identify which categorical data has the highest rank (large values).



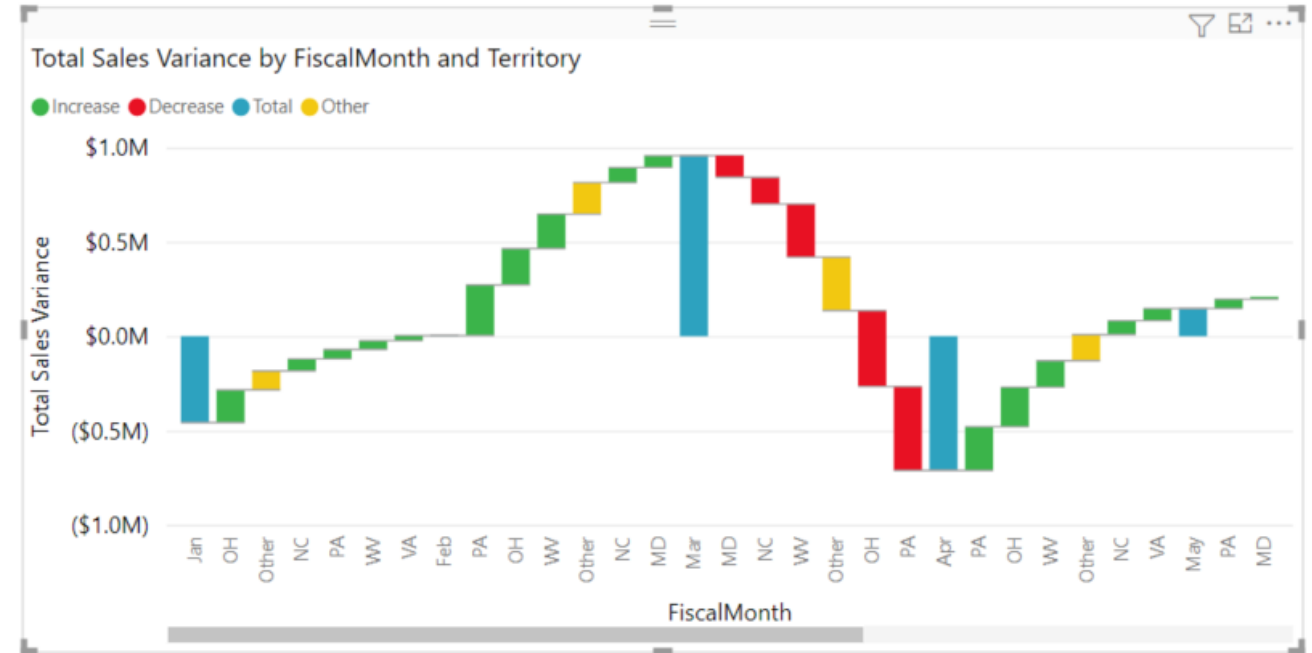
Funnel chart



- Funnel charts show values across multiple stages in a process. For example, you could use a funnel chart to show the number of sales prospects at each stage in a sales pipeline. Typically, the values decrease gradually, allowing the bars to resemble a funnel.

Waterfall chart

- Waterfall charts show a running total as Power BI adds and subtracts values. These charts are useful for understanding how an initial value (like net income) is affected by a series of positive and negative changes. The columns are color coded so you can quickly notice increases and decreases.



Get more visuals...

- Sankey
- Tornado
- Timeline Slicer
- Radar
- Sunburst
- Bullet



Sankey Chart

Microsoft Corporation

★★★★★ (126)

Flow diagram where the width of the series is proportional to the quantity of the flow



Tornado chart

Microsoft Corporation

★★★★★ (54)

Comparing the relative importance of variables between two groups



Timeline Slicer

Microsoft Corporation

★★★★★ (242)

Graphical date range selector to use for filtering dates



Radar Chart

Microsoft Corporation

★★★★★ (130)

Multiple measures plotted over a categorical axis. Useful to compare attributes



Sunburst

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★★★★★ (98)

Multilevel donut chart for effectively visualizing hierarchical data



Bullet Chart

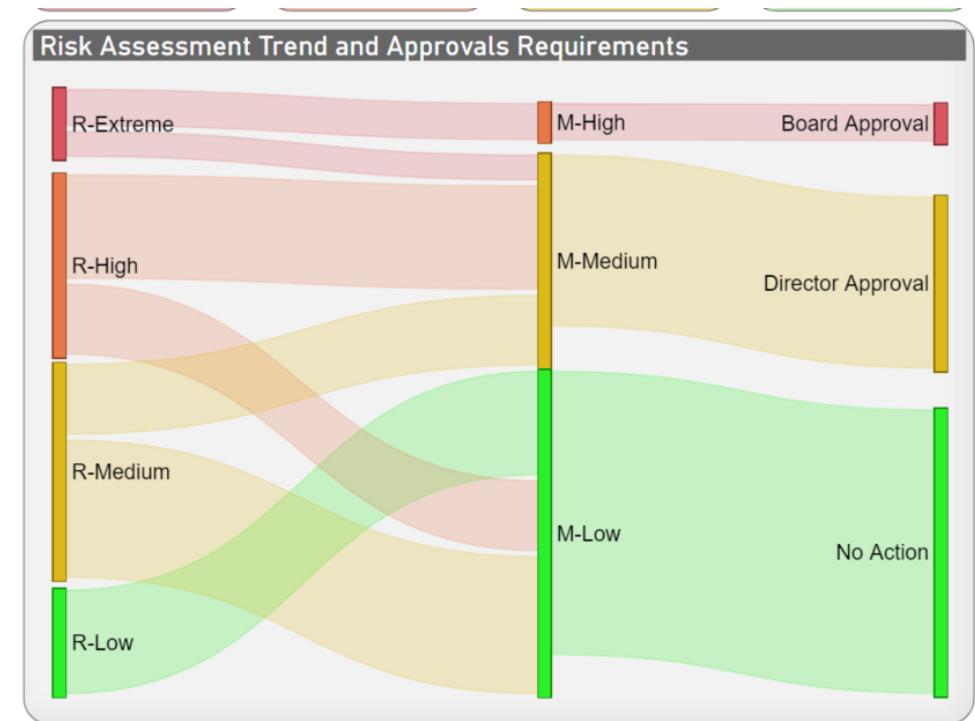
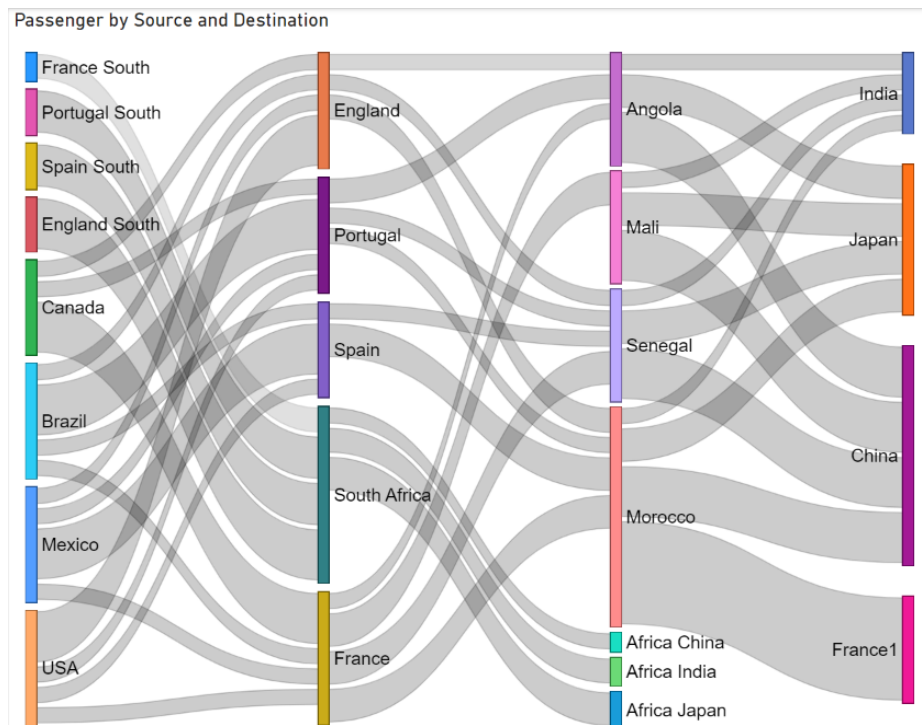
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A bar chart with extra visual elements to provide additional context. Useful for tracking goals

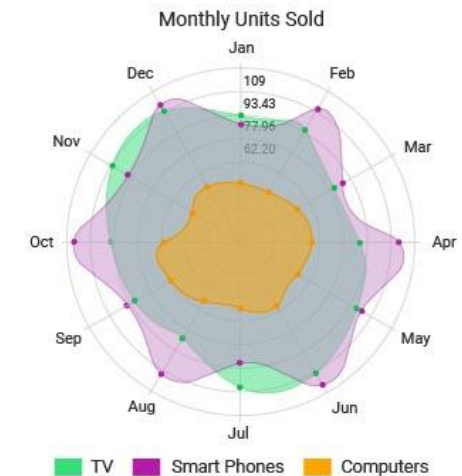
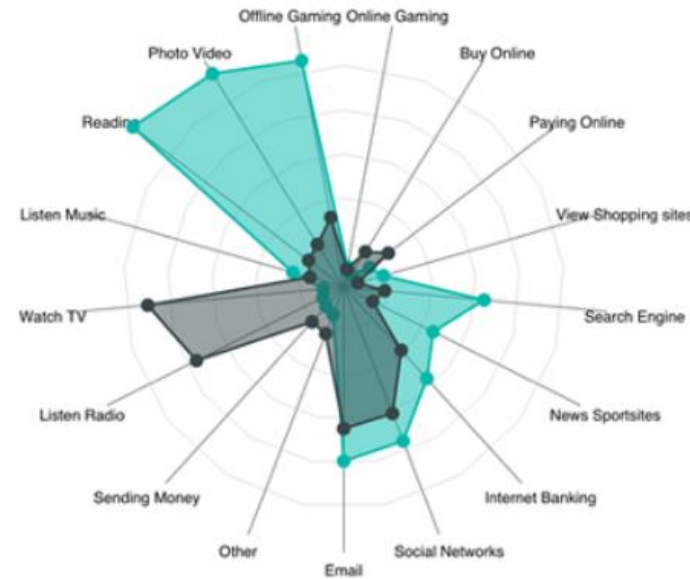
Sankey chart

- The Sankey chart is a beautiful visualization used to illustrate a flow of data (source -destination) from multiple levels and to multiple destinations. The things being connected are called nodes and the connections are called links.



Radar chart

- A radar chart is used to display multiple categories of data on the chart. It is also known as a web chart, spider chart.



PowerBI Contd.

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Slicer Types

< Back to report

Delivery Date

3/8/2007

8/25/2015

- Slicer for Delivery Date
- Default - Time Slicer due to Date format
- Switch to Vertical List
- Enable Date hierarchy
- Adjust the Date hierarchy to show years only
- You may try other slicer settings to explore.

Visualizations

Format visual

Search

Visual General

▼ Slicer settings

▼ Options

Style

Between

Vertical list

Tile

Between

Before

After

Dropdown

Relative Date

Relative Time



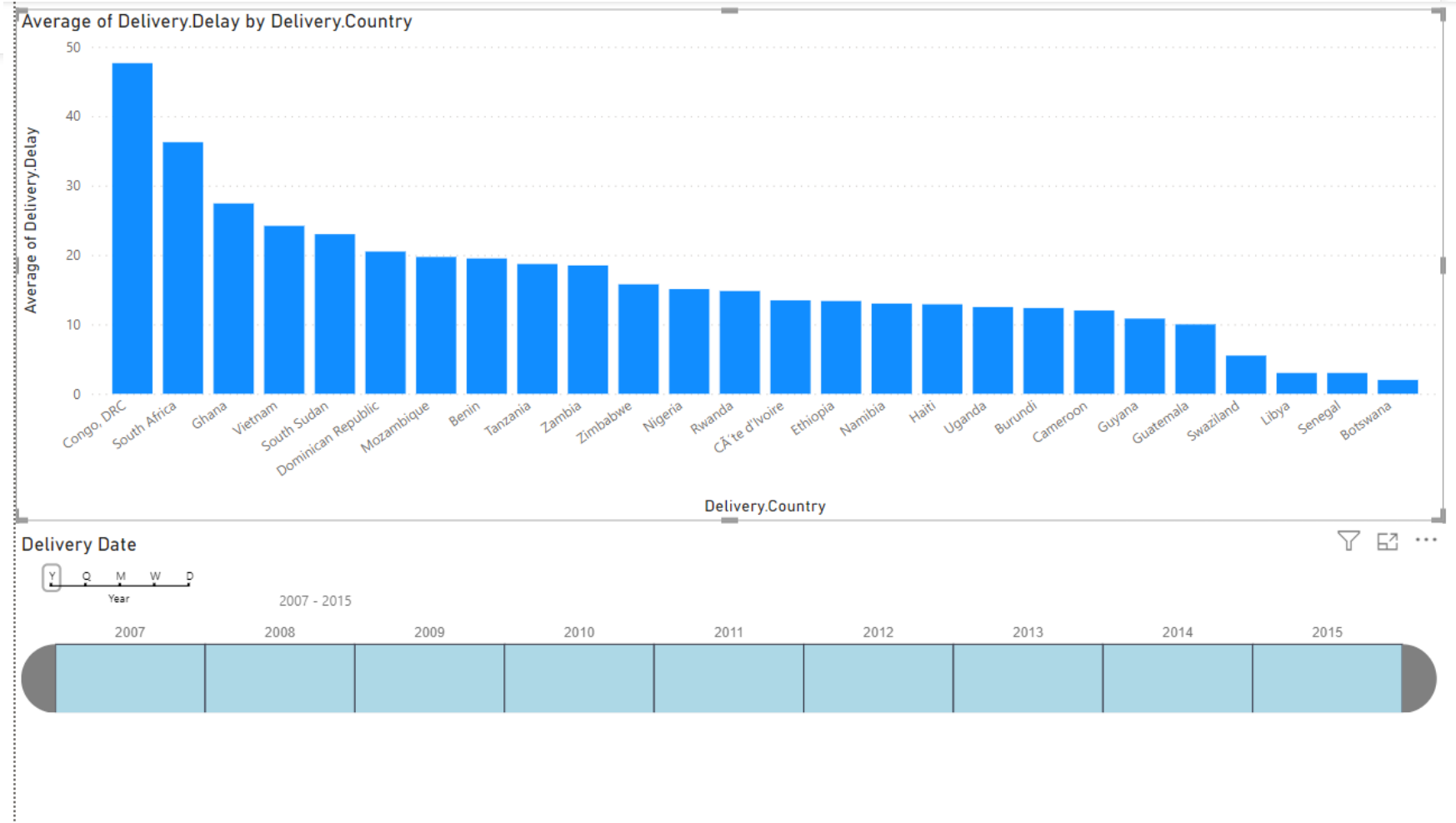
Timeline Slicer

- Graphical date range selector to use for filtering dates

Try it Yourself

Delivery country with Average of Delivery Delay.

Explore the timeline slicer.

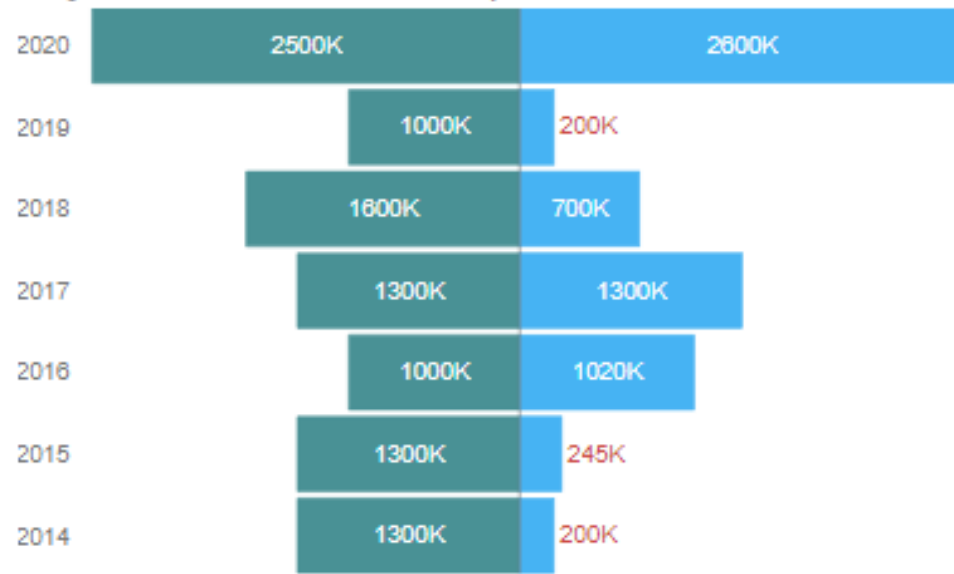


Tornado chart

- Tornado charts, are a special type of Bar chart, where the data categories are listed vertically instead of the standard horizontal presentation, and the categories are ordered so that the largest bar appears at the top of the chart, the second largest appears second from the top, and so on. It allows for a side-by-side comparison for 2 things.

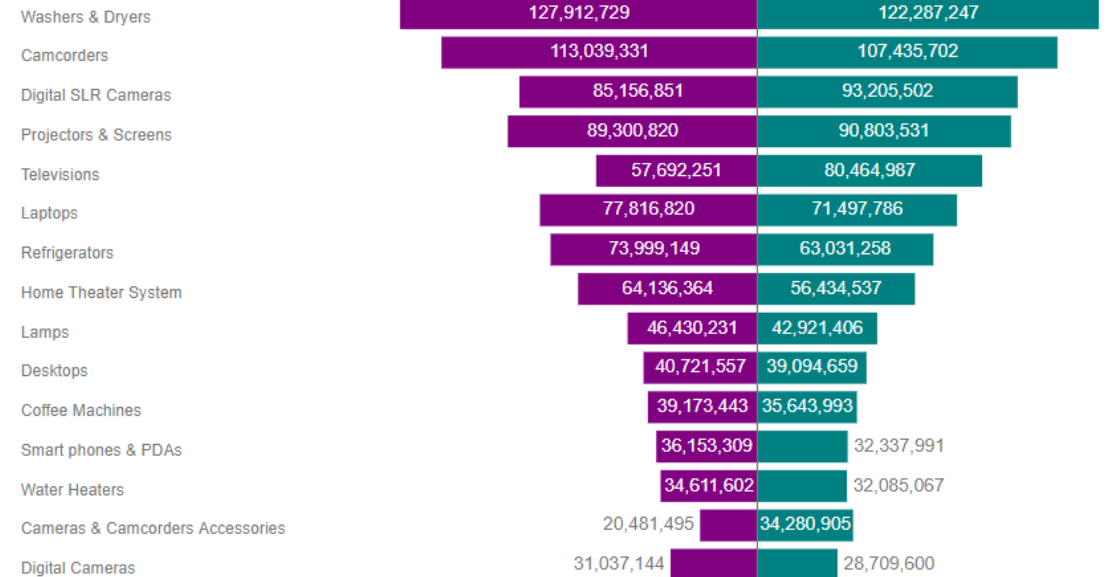


Target Sales and Actual Sales by Year



Sales Amount by Subcategory and City

● Beijing ● Berlin



Tornado

Group

Delivery.Country

Legend

Dosage Form

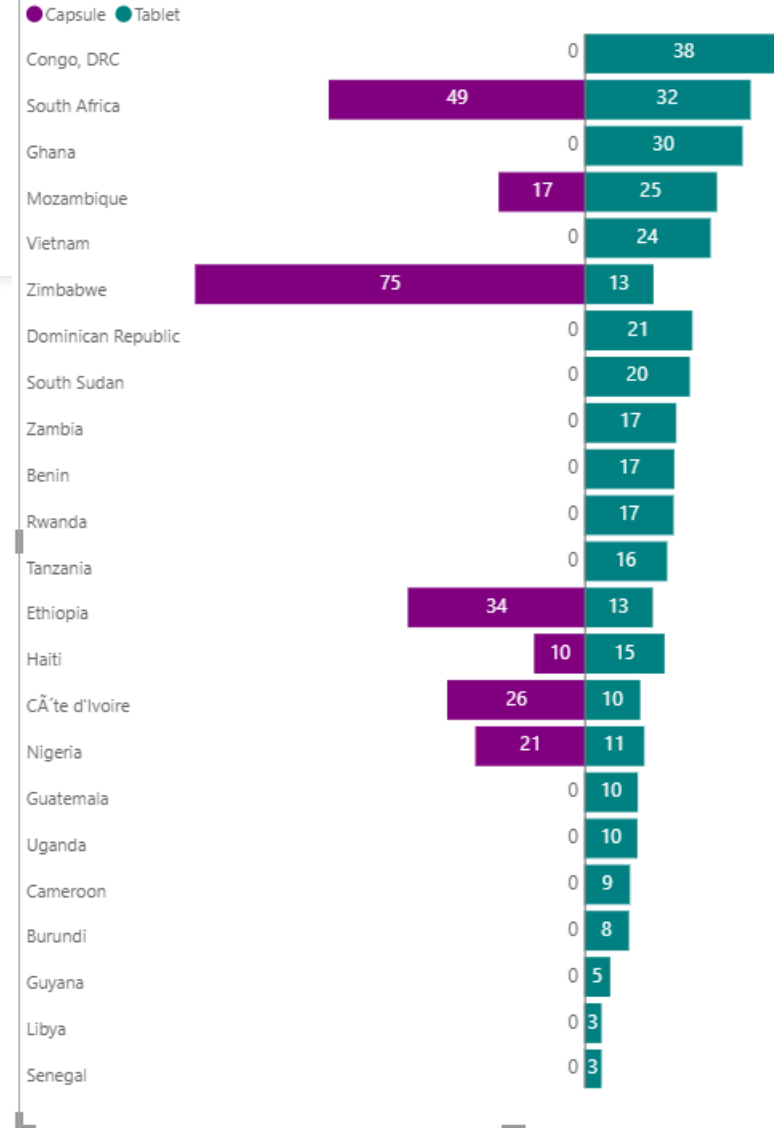
Values

Average of Delivery.Delay

Comparing Delay of Tablets Vs Capsules

Filter Dosage Form -
select Tablet and
Capsule

Average of Delivery.Delay by Delivery.Country and Dosage Form

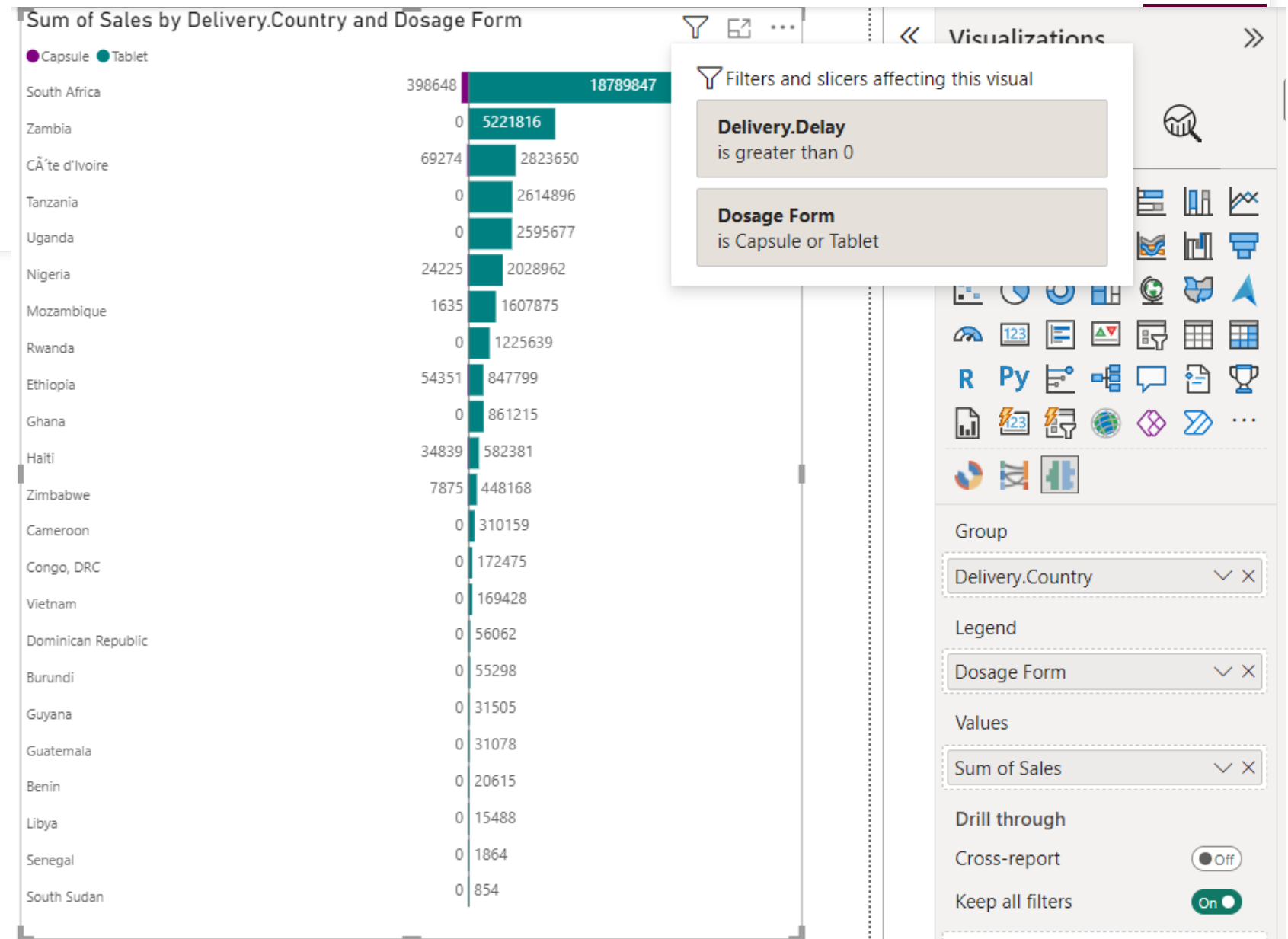


Filters and slicers affecting this visual

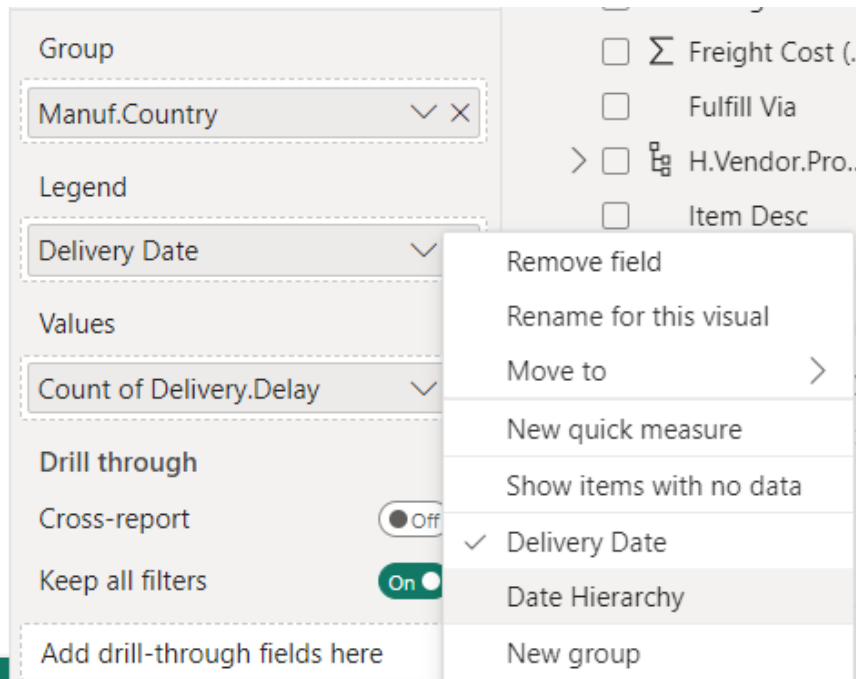
Delivery.Delay
is greater than 0

Dosage Form
is Tablet or Capsule

Tornado - Example



Tornado - Year Comparison



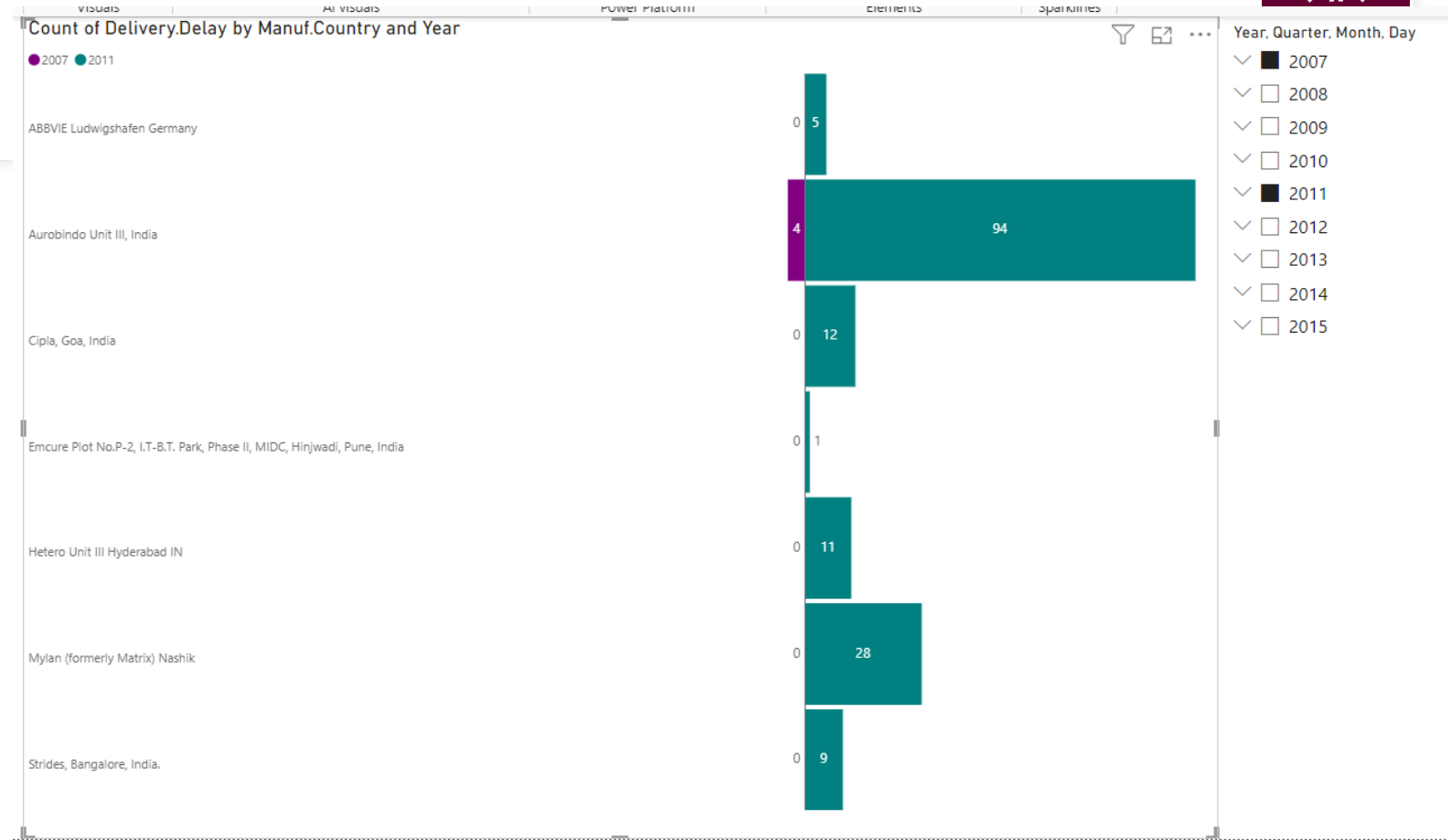
2-year Delay Comparison

Switch to Delivery Date Hierarchy.

Add a slicer to control the 2 years selected for comparison

Insert Slicer → Delivery Date

Tornado - 2-year comparison of Count of Delivery Delay for each Manufacturing Country



Doughnut charts and Pie Charts

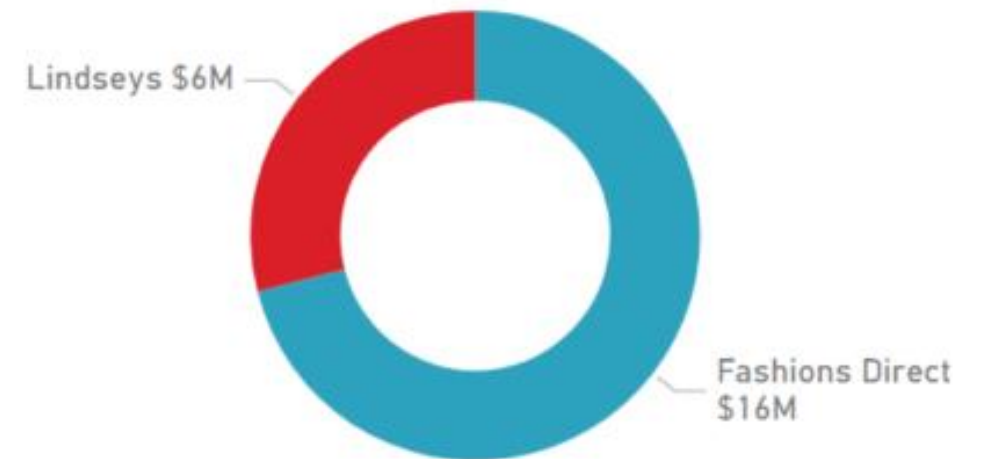
- Doughnut charts are similar to pie charts. They show the relationship of parts to a whole. The only difference is that the center is blank and allows space for a label or icon.

This Year Sales by Chain



Chain ● Fashions Direct ● Lindseys

This Year Sales by Chain

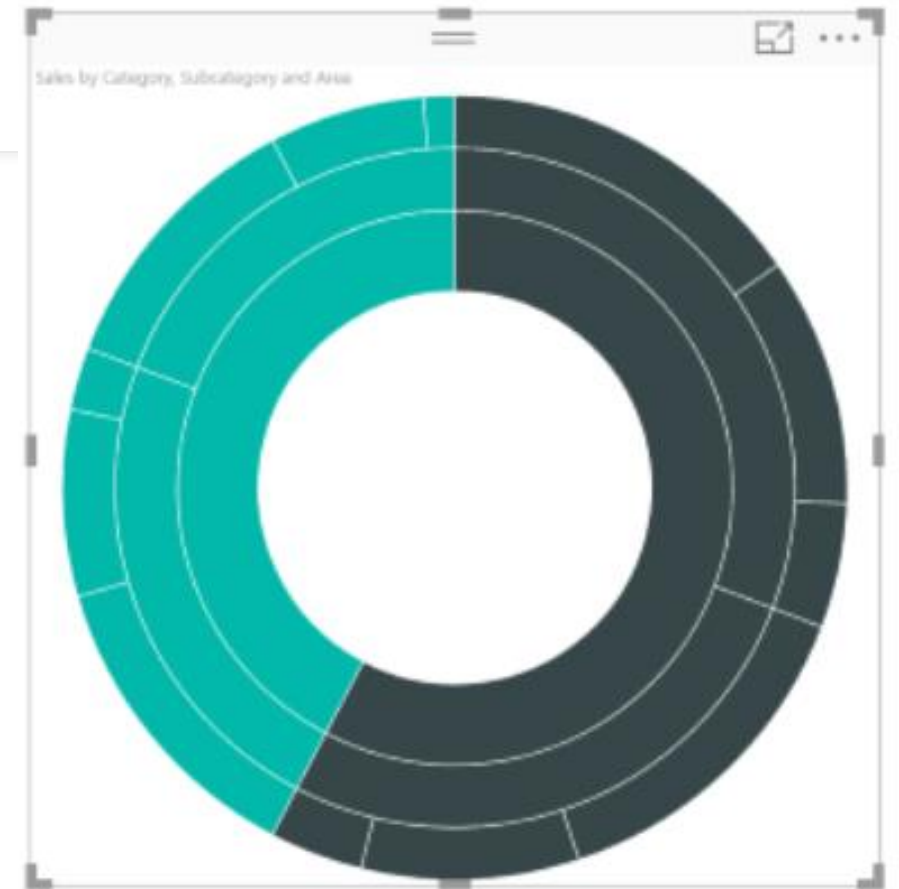


Lindseys \$6M

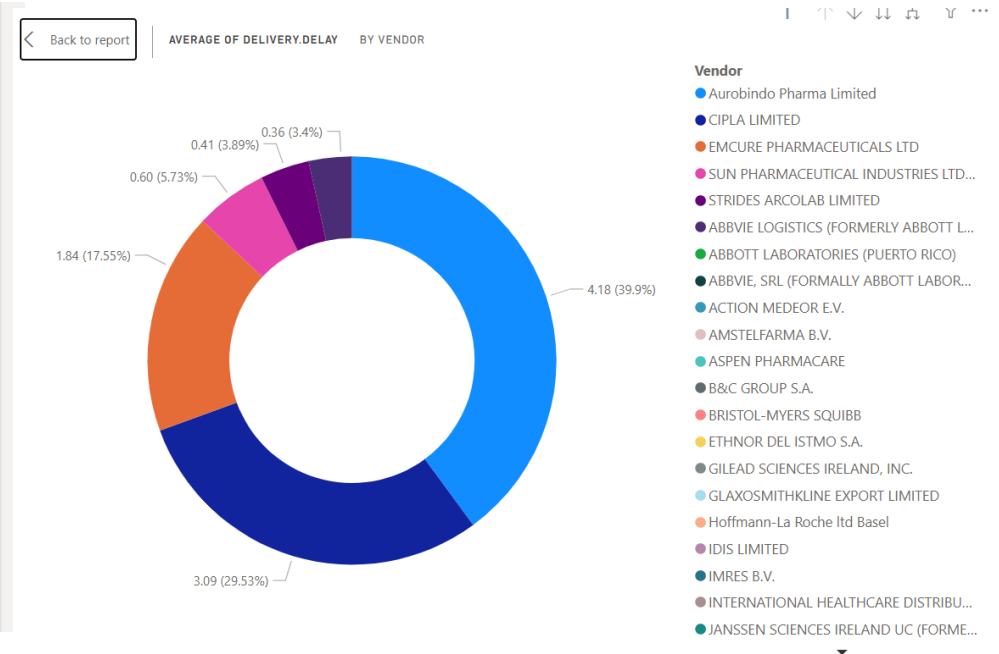
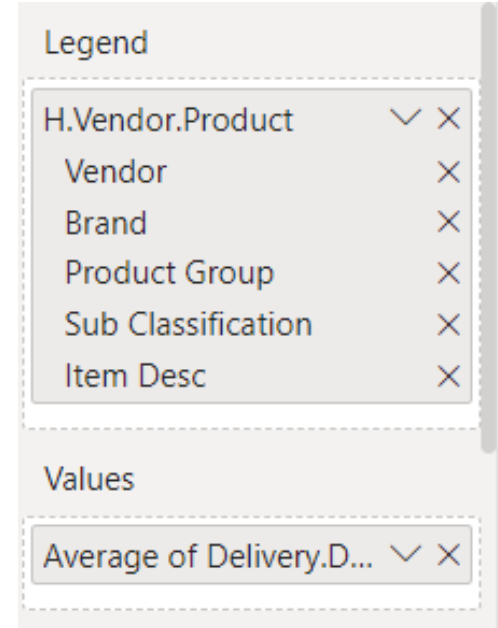
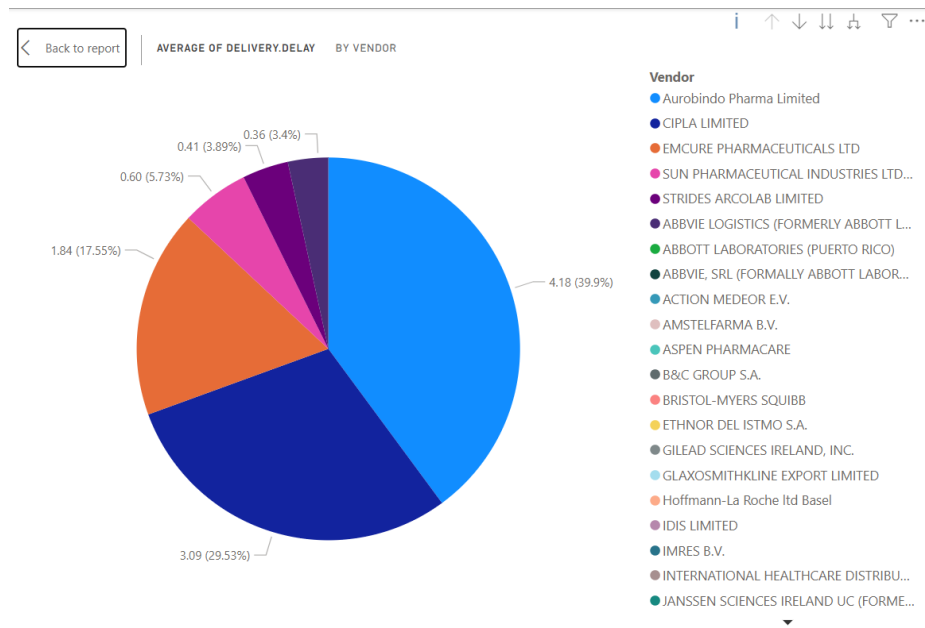
Fashions Direct \$16M

Sunburst

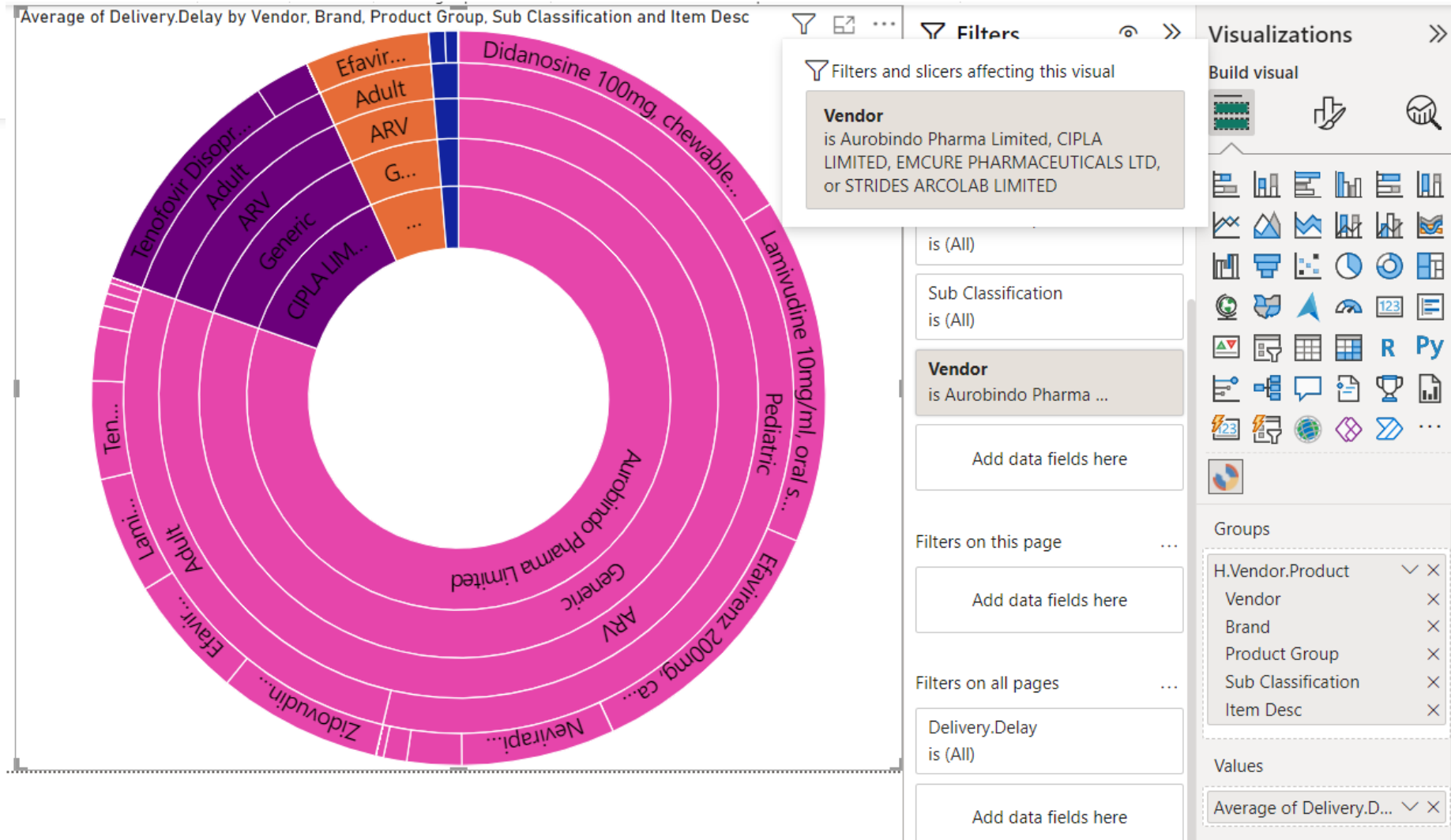
- Multilevel donut chart for effectively visualizing hierarchical data
- Sunburst chart is used to visualize hierarchical data, depicted by concentric circles. The circle in the center represents the root node, with the hierarchy moving outward from the center.
- A segment of the inner circle bears a hierarchical relationship to those segments of the outer circle which lie within the angular sweep of the parent segment.



Pie VS Donut



Sunburst



The Art of Story Telling

- Tell the data narrative page by page → takes shape of a report
- Text helps to show interpretation – keep in mind your client.

Dashboard Vs Report

	Dashboard	Report
Purpose	Used for high-level monitoring, often in real-time or near-real-time, providing a consolidated view of business performance	Used for in-depth analysis and exploration of data to answer complex business questions.
Interactivity and Structure	Limited interactivity - single page view at a glance.	Greater interactivity - detailed multi-page analysis.
Updates	Designed for real-time or near real-time updates making monitoring of live data easy.	Focused on historical data and may require periodic updates enabled through PowerBI scheduled refresh capabilities.
Use case	Quick sharing of insights across organization	More suited for detailed analysis allowing for specific aspects of the data.

Dashboard

Monitoring e-Commerce Sales

A quick review of all KPIs.

A well-designed dashboard enable spotting problems quickly.



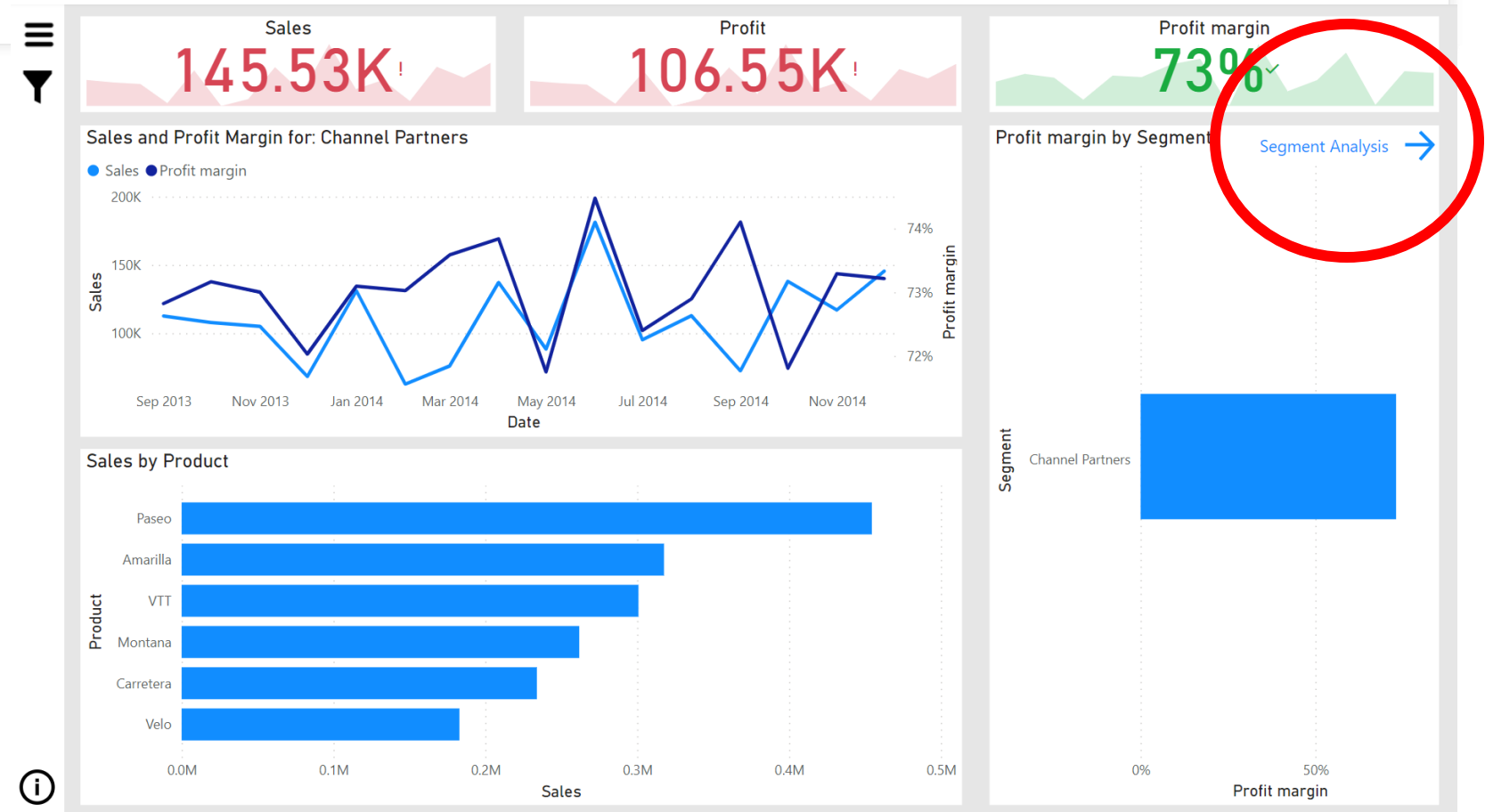
Source: DataCamp

Report



Analyze impact of a recent promotional campaign on sales.

Review the sales by different dimensions.



Data Story Telling

- Data storytelling is the concept of building a compelling narrative based on complex data and analytics that help tell your story and influence and inform a particular audience.



A good story is...

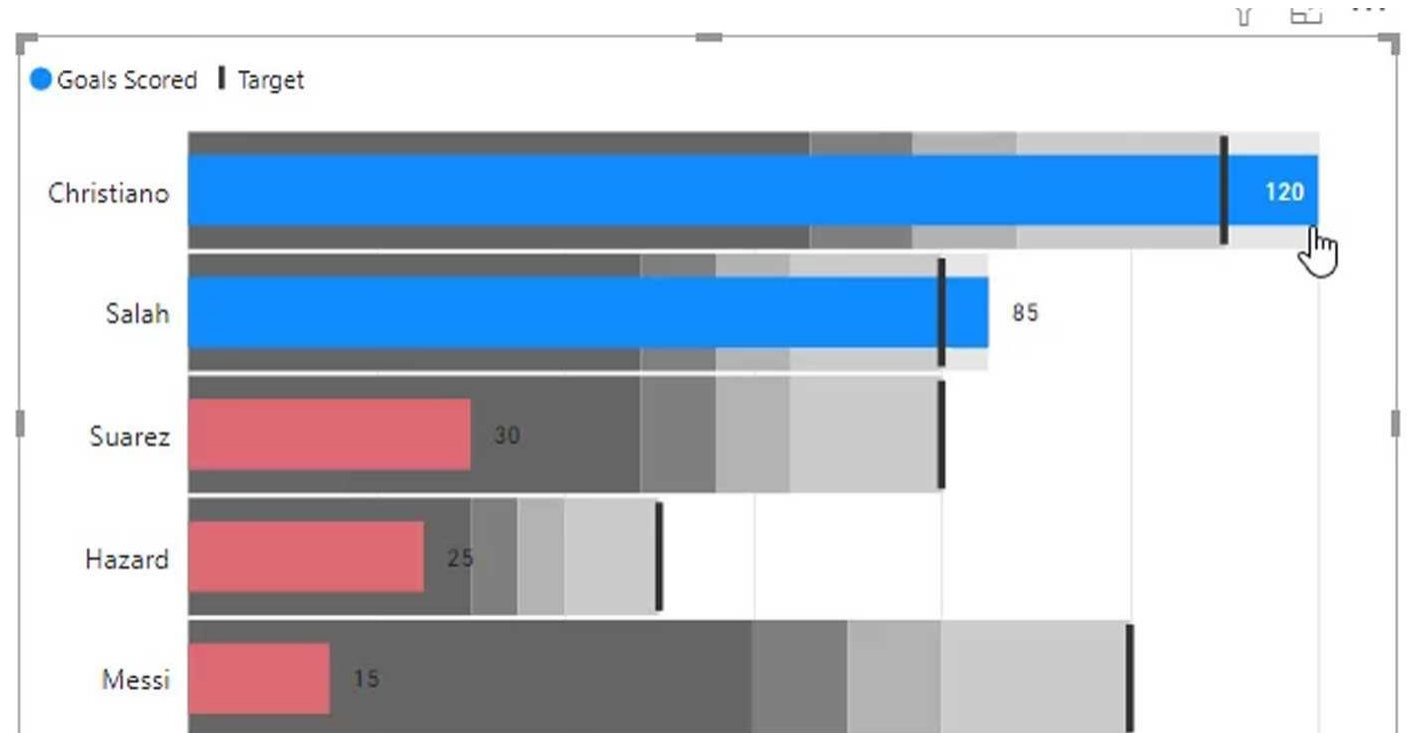
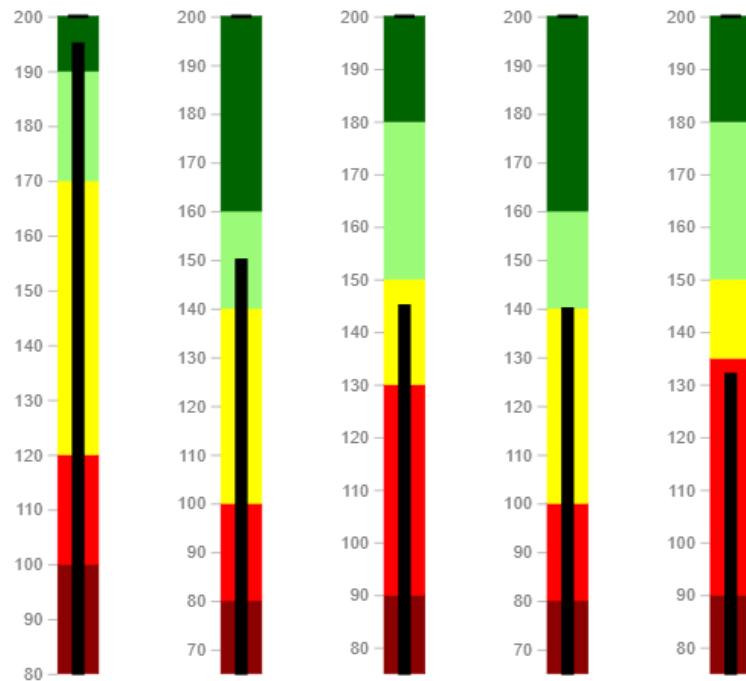
- **Relevant** to the audience , the business domain and specific problem being solved.
- Uses **good data** – collected from reputable sources that convey the true story.
- Forms a **clear narrative** – introduce the topic before diving in.
- Uses **Smart visuals** (charts/images/etc)– convey the intended purpose. Well labelled, legible, not misleading

Bullet Chart



Bullet chart

- A Power BI bullet chart is a more advanced type of bar chart and great for plotting data comparisons. Each bar is shown against multiple qualitative ranges and a target, making it easy to monitor progress. For example, you could use the chart to show how exam results are graded.



Adding some targets

- Let's first understand what DAX is...

A short, vertical orange bar is positioned to the left of the text.

DAX Data Analysis Expression



What is DAX in Power BI?

- Data Analysis Expressions (DAX) is a programming language that is used throughout Microsoft Power BI for creating calculated columns, measures, and custom tables.
- It is a collection of functions, operators, and constants that can be used in a formula, or expression, to calculate and return one or more values.
- You can use DAX to solve a number of calculations and data analysis problems, which can help you create new information from data that is already in your model.

Calculated Columns vs Measures

Calculated Column

- Similar to other regular columns, calculated columns are the ones that come out as a result of **computations within two columns** of different data sets. They are ideal for row-wise calculations;
- In the calculated column type, the calculation takes place at the **row level** within a given table.

Calculated Measure

- Calculated measure are ideal for dynamic calculations as they do not acquire any physical space. **These are used when data in rows are grouped together for computations.**
- In the calculated measure type, the calculation is done at the **cell level in the entire report or the query.**

> Math & statistical functions

- **SUM(<column>)** Adds all the numbers in a column.
- **SUMX(<table>, <expression>)** Returns the sum of an expression evaluated for each row in a table.
- **AVERAGE(<column>)** Returns the average (arithmetic mean) of all the numbers in a column.
- **AVERAGEX(<table>, <expression>)** Calculates the average (arithmetic mean) of a set of expressions evaluated over a table.
- **MEDIAN(<column>)** Returns the median of a column.
- **MEDIANX(<table>, <expression>)** Calculates the median of a set of expressions evaluated over a table.
- **GEOMEAN(<column>)** Calculates the geometric mean of a column.
- **GEOMEANX(<table>, <expression>)** Calculates the geometric mean of a set of expressions evaluated over a table.
- **COUNT(<column>)** Returns the number of cells in a column that contain non-blank values.
- **COUNTX(<table>, <expression>)** Counts the number of rows from an expression that evaluates to a non-blank value.
- **DIVIDE(<numerator>, <denominator> [, <alternateresult>])** Performs division and returns alternate result or BLANK() on division by 0.
- **MIN(<column>)** Returns a minimum value of a column.
- **MAX(<column>)** Returns a maximum value of a column.
- **COUNTROWS([<table>])** Counts the number of rows in a table.
- **DISTINCTCOUNT(<column>)** Counts the number of distinct values in a column.
- **RANKX(<table>, <expression>[, <value>[, <order>[, <ties>]]])** Returns the ranking of a number in a list of numbers for each row in the table argument.



Filter functions

- **FILTER**(`<table>`, `<filter>`) Returns a table that is a subset of another table or expression.
- **CALCULATE**(`<expression>`[, `<filter1>` [, `<filter2>` [, ...]]) Evaluates an expression in a filter context.
- **HASONEVALUE**(`<columnName>`) Returns TRUE when the context for columnName has been filtered down to one distinct value only. Otherwise it is FALSE.
- **ALLNOBLANKROW**(`<table>` | `<column>`[, `<column>`[, `<column>`[,...]]) Returns a table that is a subset of another table or expression.
- **ALL**([`<table>` | `<column>`[, `<column>`[, `<column>`[,...]]) Returns all the rows in a table, or all the values in a column, ignoring any filters that might have been applied.
- **ALLEXCEPT**(`<table>`, `<column>`[, `<column>`[, ..]]) Returns all the rows in a table except for those rows that are affected by the specified column filters.
- **REMOVEFILTERS**([`<table>` | `<column>`][, `<column>`[, `<column>`[,...]]) Clear all filters from designated tables or columns.



Logical functions

- **IF(<logical_test>, <value_if_true>[, <value_if_false>])** Checks a condition, and returns a certain value depending on whether it is true or false.
- **AND(<logical 1>, <logical 2>)** Checks whether both arguments are TRUE, and returns TRUE if both arguments are TRUE. Otherwise, it returns FALSE.
- **OR(<logical 1>, <logical 2>)** Checks whether one of the arguments is TRUE to return TRUE. The function returns FALSE if both arguments are FALSE.
- **NOT(<logical>)** Changes TRUE to FALSE and vice versa.
- **SWITCH(<expression>, <value>, <result>[, <value>, <result>]...[, <else>])** Evaluates an expression against a list of values and returns one of possible results
- **IFERROR(<value>, <value_if_error>)** Returns value_if_error if the first expression is an error and the value of the expression itself otherwise.

> Date & time functions

- `CALENDAR(<start_date>, <end_date>)` Returns a table with a single column named "Date" that contains a contiguous set of dates.
- `DATE(<year>, <month>, <day>)` Returns the specified date in datetime format.
- `DATEDIFF(<date_1>, <date_2>, <interval>)` Returns the number of units between two dates as defined in <interval>.
- `DATEVALUE(<date_text>)` Converts a date in text to a date in datetime format.
- `DAY(<date>)` Returns a number from 1 to 31 representing the day of the month.
- `WEEKNUM(<date>)` Returns weeknumber in the year.
- `MONTH(<date>)` Returns a number from 1 to 12 representing a month.
- `QUARTER(<date>)` Returns a number from 1 to 4 representing a quarter.

> Time intelligence functions

- `DATEADD(<dates>, <number_of_intervals>, <interval>)` Moves a date by a specific interval.
- `DATESBETWEEN(<dates>, <date_1>, <date_2>)` Returns the dates between specified dates.
- `TOTALYTD(<expression>, <dates>[, <filter>][, <year_end_date>])` Evaluates the year-to-date value of the expression in the current context.
- `SAMEPERIODLASTYEAR(<dates>)` Returns a table that contains a column of dates shifted one year back in time.
- `STARTOFMONTH(<dates>) // ENDOFMONTH(<dates>)` Returns the start // end of the month.
- `STARTOFQUARTER(<dates>) // ENDOFQUARTER(<dates>)` Returns the start // end of the quarter.
- `STARTOFYEAR(<dates>) // ENDOFYEAR(<dates>)` Returns the start // end of the quarter.

> Relationship functions

- **CROSSFILTER**(`<left_column>`, `<right_column>`, `<crossfiltertype>`) Specifies the cross-filtering direction to be used in a calculation.
- **RELATED**(`<column>`) Returns a related value from another table.

> Table manipulation functions

- **SUMMARIZE**(`<table>`, `<groupBy_columnName>`[, `<groupBy_columnName>`]...[, `<name>`, `<expression>`]...) Returns a summary table for the requested totals over a set of groups.
- **DISTINCT**(`<table>`) Returns a table by removing duplicate rows from another table or expression.
- **ADDCOLUMNS**(`<table>`, `<name>`, `<expression>`[, `<name>`, `<expression>`]...) Adds calculated columns to the given table or table expression.
- **SELECTCOLUMNS**(`<table>`, `<name>`, `<expression>`[, `<name>`, `<expression>`]...) Selects calculated columns from the given table or table expression.
- **GROUPBY**(`<table>` [, `<groupBy_columnName>`[, [`<column_name>`] [`<expression>`]]...) Create a summary of the input table grouped by specific columns.
- **INTERSECT**(`<left_table>`, `<right_table>`) Returns the rows of the left-side table that appear in the right-side table.
- **NATURALINNERJOIN**(`<left_table>`, `<right_table>`) Joins two tables using an inner join.
- **NATURALLEFTOUTERJOIN**(`<left_table>`, `<right_table>`) Joins two tables using a left outer join.
- **UNION**(`<table>`, `<table>`[, `<table>` [,...]]) Returns the union of tables with matching columns.



Text functions

- `EXACT(<text_1>, <text_2>)` Checks if two strings are identical (`EXACT()` is case sensitive).
- `FIND(<text_to_find>, <in_text>)` Returns the starting position a text within another text (`FIND()` is case sensitive).
- `FORMAT(<value>, <format>)` Converts a value to a text in the specified number format.
- `LEFT(<text>, <num_chars>)` Returns the number of characters from the start of a string.
- `RIGHT(<text>, <num_chars>)` Returns the number of characters from the end of a string.
- `LEN(<text>)` Returns the number of characters in a string of text.
- `LOWER(<text>)` Converts all letters in a string to lowercase.
- `UPPER(<text>)` Converts all letters in a string to uppercase.
- `TRIM(<text>)` Remove all spaces from a text string.
- `CONCATENATE(<text_1>, <text_2>)` Joins two strings together into one string.
- `SUBSTITUTE(<text>, <old_text>, <new_text>, <instance_num>)` Replaces existing text with new text in a string.
- `REPLACE(<old_text>, <start_posotion>, <num_chars>, <new_text>)` Replaces part of a string with a new string.



Information functions

- **COLUMNSTATISTICS()** Returns statistics regarding every column in every table. This function has no arguments.
- **NAMEOF(<value>)** Returns the column or measure name of a value.
- **ISBLANK(<value>) // ISERROR(<value>)** Returns whether the value is blank // an error.
- **ISLOGICAL(<value>)** Checks whether a value is logical or not.
- **ISNUMBER(<value>)** Checks whether a value is a number or not.
- **ISFILTERED(<table> | <column>)** Returns true when there are direct filters on a column.
- **ISCROSSFILTERED(<table> | <column>)** Returns true when there are crossfilters on a column.
- **USERPRINCIPALNAME()** Returns the user principal name or email address. This function has no arguments.

Advanced DAX



DAX statements

- `VAR(<name> = <expression>)` Stores the result of an expression as a named variable. To return the variable, use `RETURN` after the variable is defined.
- `COLUMN(<table>[<column>] = <expression>)` Stores the result of an expression as a column in a table.
- `ORDER BY(<table>[<column>])` Defines the sort order of a column. Every column can be sorted in ascending (`ASC`) or descending (`DESC`) way.

> DAX Operators

Comparison operators	Meaning
=	Equal to
= =	Strict equal to
>	Greater than
<	Smaller than
> =	Greater than or equal to
= <	Smaller than or equal to
< >	Not equal to

Text operator	Meaning	Example
&	Concatenates text values	Concatenates text values [City]&[State]

Logical operator	Meaning	Example
&&	AND condition	([City] = "Bru") && ([Return] = "Yes")
	OR condition	([City] = "Bru") ([Return] = "Yes")
IN {}	OR condition for each row	Product[Color] IN {"Red", "Blue", "Gold"}

Applying DAX



Insert New Columns by Calculations

- Compute Delay in Power BI using DAX
- DATEDIFF: returns the difference between 2 dates (both as column references in date formats) in days, months, quarters, years, etc.
- Delay = Delivery Date - Scheduled Date in DAYS
- Delay.DAX =
`DATEDIFF('Table 1 (SC dataset - Power BI)'[Scheduled Delivery Date], 'Table 1 (SC dataset - Power BI)'[Delivery Date],DAY)`

Insert New Columns by IF

- Compute Delay Category using DAX
- Use the IF Function to output 3 categories → On-time, Delayed, Early
- `Delay.Cat = IF('Table 1 (SC dataset - Power BI)'[Delay.DAX]=0,"On-time",IF('Table 1 (SC dataset - Power BI)'[Delay.DAX]>0,"Delayed","Early"))`

MAX Delay

Column

- `Max.Delay.DAX = MAX('Table 1 (SC dataset - Power BI)'[Delivery.Delay])`

Measure

`Max.Measure.Delay.DAX = MAX('Table 1 (SC dataset - Power BI)'[Delivery.Delay])`

Create Tables for each with Manufacturing Country

Delivery.Country	Max.Delay.DAX
Benin	165
Botswana	165
Burundi	165
Côte d'Ivoire	165
Cameroon	165
Congo, DRC	165
Dominican Republic	165
Ethiopia	165
Ghana	165
Guatemala	165
Guyana	165
Haiti	165
Libya	165
Mozambique	165
Namibia	165
Nigeria	165
Rwanda	165
Senegal	165
South Africa	165
South Sudan	165
Swaziland	165
Tanzania	165
Uganda	165
Vietnam	165
Zambia	165
Zimbabwe	165

Max.Measure.Delay.DAX	Delivery.Country
22	Benin
2	Botswana
48	Burundi
76	Côte d'Ivoire
22	Cameroon
165	Congo, DRC
27	Dominican Republic
34	Ethiopia
120	Ghana
10	Guatemala
35	Guyana
37	Haiti
3	Libya
68	Mozambique
13	Namibia
105	Nigeria
68	Rwanda
3	Senegal
150	South Africa
59	South Sudan
6	Swaziland
78	Tanzania
53	Uganda
63	Vietnam
113	Zambia
75	Zimbabwe

165

